Attracting small birds to your garden

Small garden birds are delightful to watch as they forage around the garden or queue up to take a bath. While finches are seedeaters and Silvereyes berry-eaters, the majority of small birds are insect-eaters. Great natural pest controllers!

Habitat tips:

- plant dense or prickly indigenous shrubs for protection and safe nest sites including prickly wattles, teatrees, correas and climbers
- prune indigenous shrubs to create a denser form
- provide a shallow dish of fresh water in an elevated (safe) position for bathing and drinking
- create open areas for foraging
- mulch garden beds
- practice natural pest control
- keep your cat contained 24/7.

