

Perth Urban Bushland Fungi

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Introducing the fungi walk



Examining the fungi collected



Group about to set out



Comparing weights of some large fungi

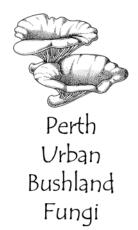
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Photos and field assistance by PUBF participants

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Thirty four people attended the Perth Urban Bushland Fungi (PUBF) Project walk held at Koondoola Regional Bushland on 10 June 2006.

This walk was organised with the assistance of the Friends of Koondoola Regional Bushland. Five groups were taken foraying led by Roz Hart and Tanja Lambe; Joe Froudist and Louise Little; Phylis Robertson; Jolanda Keeble; and Margaret Langley and Anthony Francis, all leaders from the PUBF Project. Mycologist Neale Bougher identified and talked about the fungi collected at the conclusion of the walk.

This event has allowed us to produce the **first ever inventory of fungi for Koondoola Regional Bushland**. This list represents a very small portion of the fungi which are likely to be present in this bushland. Due to the nature of fungi, which fruit irregularly and intermittently, it will be necessary to conduct many such surveys over different days in the fungi season as well as in successive years to produce an accurate inventory of the fungi present in this valuable urban bushland.

Koondoola Bushland Fungi: 10 June 2006

Unusually low rainfall in the period prior to this survey severely restricted the abundance and diversity of fungi observed in the survey. Only 16 species were recorded. These include decomposer fungi such as *Mycena*, and beneficial mycorrhizal fungi such as *Russula erumpens*. Some of the fungi recorded in this survey remain unidentified pending further collections or more detailed comparative analyses. Many of the fungi could only be identified to genus level. This is because detailed taxonomic examinations are yet to be completed, or perhaps some are undescribed species.

Far more fungi are likely to occur in Koondoola Regional Bushland than those recorded in this inaugural survey. Because of the unpredictable nature of fungi fruiting, surveys need to be conducted over many years in order to capture the biodiversity of fungi present in any given area. Such inventory data can be used as a baseline to monitor changes in biodiversity at Koondoola Bushland, such as any trend towards reduction in the diversity of significant ecological groups of fungi such as mycorrhizal species, and the effects of major disturbances such as fire or disease incursions.

<u>Life Mode Key</u>: M = Mycorrhizal, S = Saprotropic (Decomposer), S/P = Saprotrophic and Parasitic **Life Mode** is probable only as many fungi have not been tested.

Field Book Page number refers to the Perth Urban Bushland Fungi Field Book which is available for downloading from the project website at www.fungiperth.org.au

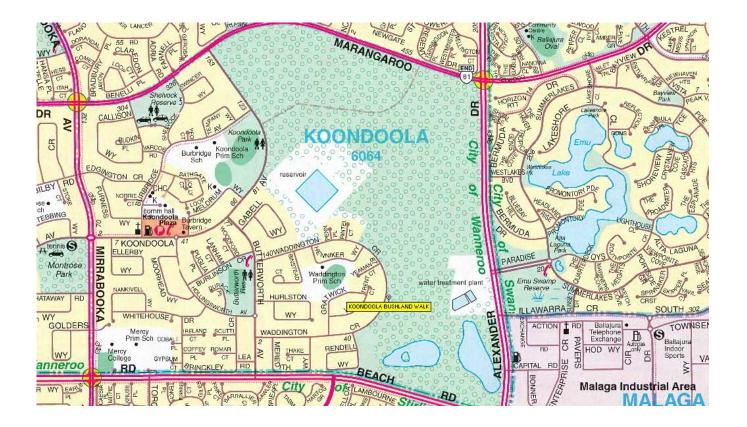
Scientific Name	Common Name	<u>Form</u>	<u>Habitat</u>	<u>Life</u> <u>Mode</u>	Field Book Page No	Specimen <u>ID</u>
Amanita sp.		mushroom	litter/ground	M		2004, 2005, 2007, 2010, 2018, 2030
Amanita umbrinella		mushroom	litter/ground	M		2017
Cortinarius sp.		mushroom	litter/ground	M		2014, 2015, 2031
Laccaria sp.		mushroom	litter/ground	M		2022
?Marasmiellus sp.		mushroom	litter/ground	-		2025
Mycena sp.		mushroom	litter/ground	S		2020
Pisolithus sp.	Dog Poo Fungus	puffball	litter/ground	M	L-3	2013, 2000, 2024
Pycnoporus coccineus	Scarlet Bracket Fungus	bracket	dead wood	S	N-8	2019, 2012
Ramaria sp.		coral	litter/ground	M		2021
Russula sp.		mushroom	litter/ground	M		2001, 2006, 2028
Russula neerimea group		mushroom	litter/ground	M		2009

Russula erumpens	Erupting Russula	mushroom	litter/ground	M	J-28	2011
Scleroderma sp.		puffball	litter/ground	M	L-4	2027
Tricholoma sp.		mushroom	litter/ground	S		2008, 2016, 2023
Undetermined Bolete		mushroom	litter/ground	M		2002, 2003, 2029
Undetermined Resupinate		resupinate	dead wood	M		2026

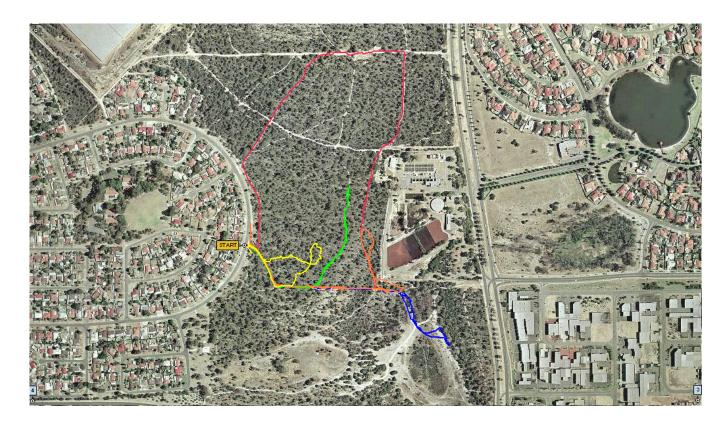
Permanent Voucher Collections

Three of the fungi collected during this event were deposited in the WA Herbarium fungi collection with the following details:

?Marasmiellus sp.	Voucher ID: BOU 200	Specimen ID: 2025
Russula erumpens	Voucher ID: BOU 201	Specimen ID: 2011
Amanita umbrinella	Voucher ID: BOU 202	Specimen ID: 2017



StreetExpress Map showing the location of Koondoola Regional Bushland, Bush Forever Site 201. Koondoola Regional Bushland is a Department of Environment and Conservation Reference Site.



Aerial photo showing the colour coded tracks walked by the five groups on 10 June 2006.

Roz Hart and Tanja Lambe's group, 10 June 2006



The numbers on the coloured dots in the fungi photos correspond to the collecting number and usually **do not** match the photo number. It is the **photo number** preceding the fungus name which correlates with the site on the map above.



02 Pisolithus sp.

Photographer Tanja Lambe

Dog Poo Fungus

Specimen ID: 2000

Growing in sand amongst litter in jarrah, banksia woodland.

Latitude: -31° 50' 43.79" Longitude: 115° 52' 18.65"

Easting:393258 Northing: 6476135 Zone: 50

Date: 10 Jun 2006 opt Image KD56 142TL02



06 Russula sp.

Photographer Tanja Lambe

Specimen ID: 2001

Growing in sand amongst litter in jarrah, marri woodland. Latitude: -31° 50′ 43.73″ Longitude: 115° 52′ 19.09″

Easting:393270 Northing: 6476137 Zone: 50

Date: 10 Jun 2006 opt Image KD56_142TL06



07 Undetermined Bolete

Photographer Tanja Lambe Specimen ID: 2002

Growing in sand in jarrah, marri woodland.

Latitude: -31° 50' 43.58" Longitude: 115° 52' 20.63"

Easting:393310 Northing: 6476141 Zone: 50

Date: 10 Jun 2006 opt Image KD56_142TL07



09 Undetermined Bolete

Photographer Tanja Lambe Specimen ID: 2003

Growing in sand in jarrah, marri woodland.

Latitude: -31° 50' 43.38" Longitude: 115° 52' 21.12"

Easting: 393323 Northing: 6476148 Zone: 50

Date: 10 Jun 2006 opt Image KD56_142TL09



12 Amanita sp.

Photographer Tanja Lambe Specimen ID: 2004

Growing in sand in jarrah, banksia, sheoak woodland. Latitude: -31° 50′ 43.51″ Longitude: 115° 52′ 21.20″

Easting: 393325 Northing: 6476144 Zone: 50

Date: 10 Jun 2006 opt Image KD56_142TL12



14 Amanita sp.

Photographer Tanja Lambe Specimen ID: 2005

Growing in sand in jarrah, banksia woodland.

Latitude: -31° 50' 43.72" Longitude: 115° 52' 23.77"

Easting: 393393 Northing: 6476138 Zone: 50

Date: 10 Jun 2006 opt Image KD56_142TL14

Joe Froudist and Louise Little's group, 10 June 2006



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05 Russula sp.

Photographer Louise Little Specimen ID: 2006

Growing in sand, in banksia, jarrah woodland. Latitude: -31° 50' 45.14" Longitude: 115° 52' 23.88"

Easting: 393396 Northing: 6476094 Zone: 50

Date: 10 Jun 2006 opt Image KD56_143LL05



08 Amanita sp.

Photographer Louise Little Specimen ID: 2007

Growing in sand, in banksia, jarrah woodland. Latitude: -31° 50' 44.81" Longitude: 115° 52' 24.02"

Easting: 393400 Northing: 6476105 Zone: 50

Date: 10 Jun 2006 opt Image KD56 143LL08



12 Tricholoma sp.

Specimen ID: 2008 Photographer Louise Little

Growing in sand, in banksia, jarrah woodland. Latitude: -31° 50' 44.16" Longitude: 115° 52' 24.45" Easting: 393411 Northing: 6476125 Zone: 50

Date: 10 Jun 2006 opt Image KD56_143LL12



16 Russula neerimea group

Photographer Louise Little Specimen ID: 2009

Growing in sand, in banksia, jarrah woodland. Latitude: -31° 50' 42.11" Longitude: 115° 52' 26.18" Easting: 393456 Northing: 6476188 Zone: 50

Date: 10 Jun 2006 opt Image KD56_143LL16



18 Amanita sp.

Photographer Louise Little Specimen ID: 2010

Growing in sand, in banksia, jarrah woodland. Latitude: -31° 50′ 38.72″ Longitude: 115° 52′ 26.26″

Easting:393456 Northing: 6476293 Zone: 50

Date: 10 Jun 2006 opt Image KD56_143LL18



23 Russula erumpens

Erupting Russula Photographer Louise Little Specimen ID: 2011

Growing in sand, in banksia, jarrah woodland. Latitude: -31° 50′ 38.33″ Longitude: 115° 52′ 26.40″ Easting: 393460 Northing: 6476305 Zone: 50

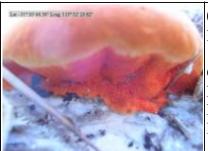
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Vouchered into WA Herbarium BOU 201

Phylis Robertson's group, 10 June 2006



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08 Pycnoporus coccineus

Photographer Paul Sexton

Scarlet Bracket Fungus

Specimen ID: 2012

Growing on dead *Melaleuca preissiana* wood in wetland. Latitude: -31° 50′ 46.36″ Longitude: 115° 52′ 29.82″

Easting: 393552 Northing: 6476059 Zone: 50

Date: 10 Jun 2006 opt Image KD56_144PS08



10 Pisolithus sp.

Photographer Paul Sexton

Dog Poo Fungus

Specimen ID: 2013

Growing in litter in wetland.

Latitude: -31° 50' 46.28" Longitude: 115° 52' 30.93"

Easting: 393582 Northing: 6476061 Zone: 50

Date: 10 Jun 2006 opt Image KD56_144PS10



17 Cortinarius sp.

Photographer Paul Sexton Specimen ID: 2014

Growing in sand in *Eucalyptus rudis* woodland. Latitude: -31° 50' 46.50" Longitude: 115° 52' 31.51"

Easting: 393597 Northing: 6476055 Zone: 50

Date: 10 Jun 2006 opt Image KD56_144PS17



19 Cortinarius sp.

Photographer Paul Sexton Specimen ID: 2015

Growing in sand in *Eucalyptus rudis* woodland. Latitude: -31° 50' 46.50" Longitude: 115° 52' 31.51" Easting:393597 Northing: 6476055 Zone: 50

Date: 10 Jun 2006 opt Image KD56_144PS19



24 Tricholoma sp.

Photographer Paul Sexton Specimen ID: 2016

Growing in sand in *Eucalyptus rudis* woodland under *Jacksonia furcellata*.

Latitude: -31° 50' 47.04" Longitude: 115° 52' 32.12"

Easting:393613 Northing: 6476038 Zone: 50

Date: 10 Jun 2006 opt Image KD56_144PS24



27 Amanita umbrinella

Photographer Paul Sexton Specimen ID: 2017

Growing in sand in *Eucalyptus rudis* and *Melaleuca preissiana* woodland.

Latitude: -31° 50′ 50.54″ Longitude: 115° 52′ 35.63″

Easting: 393706 Northing: 6475931 Zone: 50

Date: 10 Jun 2006 opt Image KD56_144PS27

Vouchered into WA Herbarium BOU 202

Jolanda Keeble's group, 10 June 2006



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06 Amanita sp.

Photographer Jolanda Keeble Specimen ID: 2018

Growing in sand in banksia, jarrah woodland. Latitude: -31° 50' 45.87" Longitude: 115° 52' 22.62"

Easting: 393363 Northing: 6476072 Zone: 50

Date: 10 Jun 2006 opt Image KD56_145JK06



09 Pycnoporus coccineus

Scarlet Bracket Fungus Photographer Jolanda Keeble Specimen ID: 2019

Growing on burnt melaleuca branch in banksia, jarrah woodland.

Latitude: -31° 50' 42.79" Longitude: 115° 52' 28.34"

Easting: 393513 Northing: 6476168 Zone: 50

Date: 10 Jun 2006 opt Image KD56_145JK09



12 Mycena sp.

Photographer Jolanda Keeble Specimen ID: 2020

Growing in sand in grassy area.

Latitude: -31° 50' 45.88" Longitude: 115° 52' 30.90"

Easting: 393581 Northing: 6476074 Zone: 50

Date: 10 Jun 2006 opt Image KD56_145JK12



15 Ramaria sp.

Photographer Jolanda Keeble Specimen ID: 2021

Growing in sand in grassland.

Latitude: -31° 50' 45.84" Longitude: 115° 52' 30.90"

Easting: 393581 Northing: 6476075 Zone: 50

Date: 10 Jun 2006 opt Image KD56_145JK15



17 Laccaria sp.

Photographer Jolanda Keeble Specimen ID: 2022

Growing in sand.

Latitude: -31° 50' 45.94" Longitude: 115° 52' 30.88"

Easting:393580 Northing: 6476072 Zone: 50

Date: 10 Jun 2006 opt Image KD56_145JK17



19 Tricholoma sp.

Photographer Jolanda Keeble Specimen ID: 2023

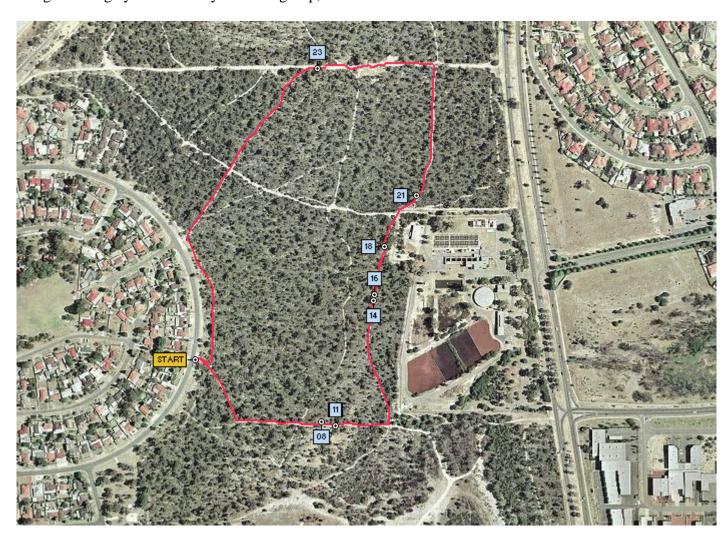
Growing in sand in *Eucalyptus rudis*, *Melaleuca sp* woodland.

Latitude: -31° 50' 46.07" Longitude: 115° 52' 31.32"

Easting: 393592 Northing: 6476068 Zone: 50

Date: 10 Jun 2006 opt Image KD56_145JK19

Margaret Langley and Anthony Francis' group, 10 June 2006



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10 ?Marasmiellus sp.

Photographer Anthony Francis Specimen ID: 2025

Growing on debarked banksia wood in banksia woodland. Latitude: -31° 50′ 46.14″ Longitude: 115° 52′ 25.50″

Easting: 393439 Northing: 6476064 Zone: 50

Date: 10 Jun 2006 opt Image KD56 146AF10

Vouchered into WA Herbarium BOU 200



11 Undetermined Resupinate

Photographer Anthony Francis Specimen ID: 2026

Growing on debarked wood in banksia woodland. Latitude: -31° 50′ 46.14″ Longitude: 115° 52′ 25.50″

Easting: 393439 Northing: 6476064 Zone: 50

Date: 10 Jun 2006 opt Image KD56_146AF11



14 Scleroderma sp.

Photographer Anthony Francis Specimen ID: 2027

Growing in sand in jarrah, banksia woodland. Latitude: -31° 50' 39.65" Longitude: 115° 52' 27.95" Easting:393501 Northing: 6476264 Zone: 50

Date: 10 Jun 2006 opt Image KD56_146AF14



16 Russula sp.

Photographer Anthony Francis Specimen ID: 2028

Growing in sand in banksia woodland.

Latitude: -31° 50' 39.34" Longitude: 115° 52' 28.02"

Easting:393503 Northing: 6476274 Zone: 50

Date: 10 Jun 2006 opt Image KD56_146AF16



18 Undetermined Bolete

Photographer Anthony Francis Specimen ID: 2029

Growing in sand in jarrah, banksia woodland.

Latitude: -31° 50' 36.85" Longitude: 115° 52' 28.67"

Easting:393519 Northing: 6476351 Zone: 50

Date: 10 Jun 2006 opt Image KD56_146AF18



21 Amanita sp.

Photographer Anthony Francis Specimen ID: 2030

Growing in sand under Adenanthos sp.

Latitude: -31° 50′ 34.22″ Longitude: 115° 52′ 30.65″

Easting:393570 Northing: 6476432 Zone: 50

Date: 10 Jun 2006 opt Image KD56_146AF21



23 Cortinarius sp.

Photographer Anthony Francis Specimen ID: 2031

Growing in sand in jarrah, banksia woodland.

Latitude: -31° 50' 27.53" Longitude: 115° 52' 24.71"

Easting: 393412 Northing: 6476637 Zone: 50

Date: 10 Jun 2006 opt Image KD56 146AF23