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## Cottonwood Crescent Bush Fungi Report 2004

17 people attended a Perth Urban Bushland Fungi Project Fungi walk in Cottonwood Crescent bush on **24<sup>th</sup> July 2004**, between 10:30am-12 noon.

The walk was organized together with Jan Bant of the Friends of Cottonwood Crescent Bush and Jane Bracken of the WA Naturalists' Club as a WA Naturalists' Club Youngnats event. The event was led by Neale Bougher of the PUBF Project.

Photographs were taken by Louise Little.



The following 8 species of fungi were recorded.

### Cottonwood Reserve Fungi list 2004

| Scientific name                 | Common name            | Form         | Habitat       | Life Mode | Herbarium Voucher | Specimen ID |
|---------------------------------|------------------------|--------------|---------------|-----------|-------------------|-------------|
| <i>Chlorociboria aeruginosa</i> | Green Stain Fungus     | cushion      | dead wood     | S         |                   | 477         |
| <i>Dacrymyces</i> sp.           |                        | jelly fungus | dead wood     | S         | E8094             | 471         |
| <i>Laccaria lateritia</i>       |                        | mushroom     | litter/ground | M         | E8095             | 476         |
| <i>Pholiota</i> sp.             |                        | mushroom     | dead wood     | S         | E8093             | 475         |
| <i>Pycnoporus coccineus</i>     | Scarlet Bracket Fungus | bracket      | dead wood     | S         |                   | 472         |
| <i>Ramaria gracilis</i>         | Coral Fungus           | coral        | litter/ground | M         |                   | 470         |
| <i>Schizopora</i> sp.           | Skin Fungus            | resupinate   | dead wood     | M         |                   | 473         |
| <i>Tremella aurantia</i>        | Orange jelly           | jelly fungus | dead wood     | M         |                   | 474         |

**Life Mode Key:** M = Mycorrhizal, S = Saprotrophic (Decomposer).

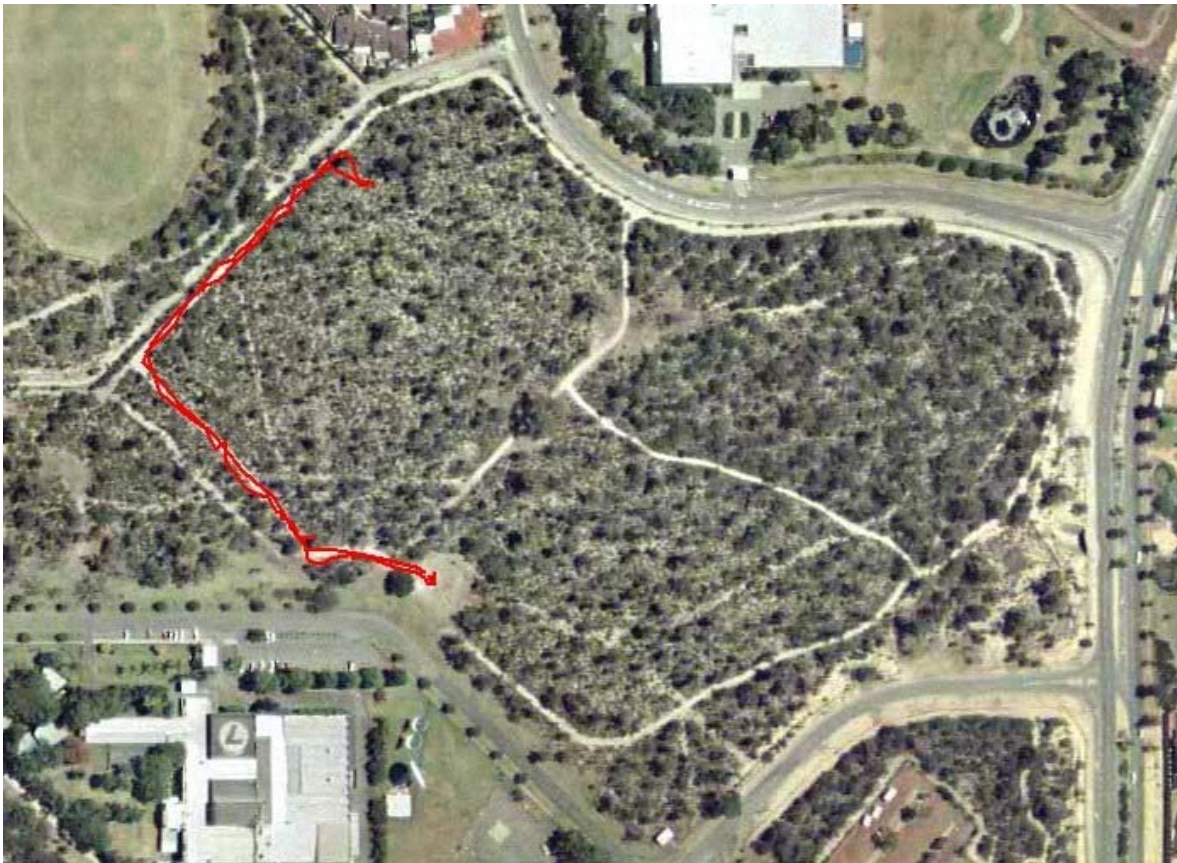
**Recommendations:** This event has allowed us to produce the **first ever inventory of fungi for Cottonwood Crescent bush**. This list represents a very small portion of the fungi which are likely to be present in this reserve. Due to the nature of fungi, which fruit irregularly and intermittently, 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 bush reserve.



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**Map showing location of Cottonwood Crescent bush in Dianella.**



**Aerial photo showing track of walk**



**Georeferenced Photos and track for walk at Cottonwood Crescent Bush, Dianella. Perth, Western Australia.**

24 July 2004.

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|  | <p><b><i>Ramaria gracilis</i> - Coral Fungus</b></p> <p><b>Photographer, Louise Little</b></p> <p>In Jarrah, Sheoak, <i>Banksia</i> woodland, in litter beneath Jarrah<br/>                 Latitude: -31° 52' 51.35" Longitude: 115° 51' 27.85"</p> <p>Date: 24 Jul 2004    Image CW16_28LL7815</p> |
|  | <p><b><i>Dacrymyces</i> sp. - Jelly fungus</b></p> <p><b>Photographer, Louise Little</b></p> <p>On dead <i>Banksia</i> wood<br/>                 Latitude: -31° 52' 50.95" Longitude: 115° 51' 27.50"</p> <p>Date: 24 Jul 2004    Image CW16_28LL7817</p>  |
|  | <p><b><i>Pycnoporus coccineus</i> - Scarlet Bracket Fungus</b></p> <p><b>Photographer Louise Little</b></p> <p>On dead <i>Banksia</i> wood<br/>                 Latitude: -31° 52' 50.66" Longitude: 115° 51' 27.08"</p> <p>Date: 24 Jul 2004    Image CW16_28LL7820</p>                             |

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|    | <p><b><i>Schizopora</i> sp. - Curtain-Pored Skin Fungus</b></p> <p><b>Photographer Louise Little</b></p> <p>Under smoke bush on dead wood<br/>Latitude: -31° 52' 50.25" Longitude: 115° 51' 26.58"<br/>Date: 24 Jul 2004 Image CW16_28LL7822</p>                   |
|    | <p><b><i>Tremella aurantia</i> - Orange Jelly Fungus</b></p> <p><b>Photographer, Louise Little</b></p> <p>On dead <i>Banksia</i><br/>Latitude: -31° 52' 49.49" Longitude: 115° 51' 25.86"<br/>Date: 24 Jul 2004 Image CW16_28LL7824</p>                            |
|   | <p><b><i>Pholiota</i> sp.</b></p> <p><b>Photographer, Louise Little</b></p> <p>Brown gills, dark stem, shaggy cap, velvet top, in sand under Jarrah<br/>Latitude: -31° 52' 47.41" Longitude: 115° 51' 25.38"<br/>Date: 24 Jul 2004 Image CW16_28LL7825</p>         |
|  | <p><b><i>Laccaria lateritia</i></b></p> <p><b>Photographer, Louise Little</b></p> <p>Near Jarrah, in sand by Blackboy with <i>Hypocalyma robustum</i><br/>Latitude: -31° 52' 45.45" Longitude: 115° 51' 28.29"<br/>Date: 24 Jul 2004 Image CW16_28LL7832</p>       |
|  | <p><b><i>Chlorociboria aeruginosa</i> – Green Stain Fungus</b></p> <p><b>Photographer, Louise Little</b></p> <p>Blue/green stain fungus, on dead <i>Banksia</i><br/>Latitude: -31° 52' 45.53" Longitude: 115° 51' 28.50" Date: 24 Jul 2004 Image CW16_28LL7836</p> |

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