

Southern Tablelands Ecosystems Park A Regional Botanic Garden for the Southern Tablelands at Forest 20 at the National Arboretum Canberra



Of Interest at Forest 20, July 2020

Number 63



Grevillea victoriae, Royal Grevillea. A frost tolerant rounded shrub with rusty coloured flowers.



Calotis glandulosa, Mauve Burr-daisy. A perennial burr-daisy with spiny seed capsules.



Crowea exalata Ginninderra Falls, Little Crowea. A long flowering local plant.



Hardenbergia violacea, False Sarsaparilla. A well-known woodland species first flowering this season.



Veronica perfoliata, Diggers' Speedwell. An almost shrubby herb that is quite long lived.



Eryngium ovinum, Blue devil. A perennial herb that has thrown up its head exceedingly early this season.



Leucochrysum albicans Hoary Sunray and Melangyna viridiceps a Hover Fly, surprised to see in cool weather



Grevillea lanigera, Woolly Grevillea. Named for its hairy branchlets and leaves. A woodland species.



Acacia penninervis, Mountain Hickory. A tall shrub that has flowered for at least seven weeks this year.

While we respect the Coronavirus threat, the STEP working bees are being held each Thursday from 8am. Car parking will be in the main car park till the new parking area is opened. Parking permits are available for our volunteers. Morning tea is byo and held in the usual place with personal distancing.



Podolepis jaceoides, Showy Copper-wire Daisy. This long-flowering perennial daisy will finish soon.



Geranium solanderi var. solanderi, Native Geranium. A volunteer native found in numerous locations here.



Rytidosperma bipartitum, Leafy Wallaby Grass. A late head on this open woodland grass species.

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