



Southern Tablelands Regional
Botanic Garden at Forest 20,
National Arboretum Canberra.

Of Interest at Forest 20 May 2024
Number 108



Pelargonium Sp. Striatellum Omeo Storksbill. A yet to be formally named endangered species.



Crowea exalata Ginninderr Falls. A most attractive, colourful long flowering local species.



Brachyscome spathulata Spoon-leaved Daisy with a tiny green *Aphididae* (family) *Aphid*.



Ranunculus papulentus Large River Buttercup. Spreads by rhizomes and appreciates moisture.



Chrysocephalum apiculatum Common Everlasting. A hardy perennial Daisy with many forms.



Leucochrysum albicans. An attractive daisy with white or yellow ray florets. Grows well on gravelly well drained surfaces.



Gymnopilus junonius Spectacular Rustgill.
Growing at the base of *Eucalyptus viminalis*.



Podolepis jaceoides Showy Copper Wire Daisy. A long flowering perennial daisy that attracts insects.



Ammobium alatum Winged Everlasting. A perennial Daisy that reseeds readily. Is considered weedy.



Leptorhynchus squamatus Scaly Buttons with a *Muscidae* (family) Muscid Fly.



Solanum linearifolium Mountain Kangaroo Apple. A tall woody shrub that readily reseeds.



Pterygophorus cinctus Bottlebrush Sawfly. These are active on our Callistemon species.

Our working bees are held each Thursday morning from 8am. Morning tea (byo) is at 10am at the tables near the shed. Tools are supplied. New volunteers are welcome, just turn up and make yourself known.

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