

# BOTANICAL WALK AT MOUNT SHERIDAN

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## Botanical Walk from Treetops Drive to Forest Gardens Park at Mount Sheridan

The following list of plants observed by members of the Cairns Branch of the Society for Growing Australian Plants (Queensland Native Plant Society) on the 18 April 2021 along the Botanical Walk from Treetops Drive to Forest Gardens Park. The inclement weather greatly hindered note taking and the identification of plants. Names used are in accordance with the *Census of the Queensland Flora 2020* by the Queensland Herbarium. The plants recorded consisted of specimens of the original plantings, self-sown local native and exotic species along with more recent plantings of exotic species. Plant species not native to the Cairns area are preceded by the following abbreviations.

- C3 Class 3 Weed
- CY Native to Cape York Peninsular
- ex Cultivated exotic species
- NQ Native to North Queensland
- SEQ South East Queensland
- V Vulnerable under the *Nature Conservation Act 1992*
- \* Naturalised exotic species
- # Native species naturalised outside of its natural range

### **FLOWERING PLANTS-BASAL GROUP**

#### Lauraceae

- |  |                                       |                 |
|--|---------------------------------------|-----------------|
|  | Cryptocarya hypospodia                | Northern Laurel |
|  | Cryptocarya triplinervis var. riparia | Brown Laurel    |

#### Myristicaceae

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|----|-------------------------|-------------|
| CY | Horsfieldia australiana | Cape Nutmeg |
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### **FLOWERING PLANTS-MONOCOTYLEDONS**

#### Areceaceae

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|----|----------------------|----------------|
| V  | Arenga australasica  | Arenga         |
| NQ | Livistona sp.        | Fan Palm       |
|    | Ptychosperma elegans | Solitaire Palm |

#### Dracaenaceae

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|---|-------------------|-------------|
| * | Dracaena fragrans | Happy Plant |
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#### Laxmanniaceae

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|  | Lomandra hystrix | Creek Mat Rush |
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#### Orchidaceae

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|  | Geodorum densiflorum | Pink Shepherd's Crook |
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## FLOWERING PLANTS-EUDICOTS

### Anacardiaceae

NQ Euroschinus falcatus var. angustifolius Maidens Blushwood

### Apocynaceae

# Alstonia spectabilis Hard Milkwood  
Wrightia laevis Millgar

### Araliaceae

Heptapleurum actinophyllum Umbrella Tree

### Bignoniaceae

Deplanchea tetraphylla Golden Bouquet Tree  
\*C3 Spathodea campanulata African Tulip

### Burseraceae

Canarium vitiense

### Casuarinaceae

Casuarina cunninghamiana River She Oak

### Combretaceae

Terminalia catappa Sea Almond  
Terminalia sericocarpa Damson

### Dilleniaceae

Dillenia alata Red Beech

### Elaeocarpaceae

Elaeocarpus grandis Silver Quandong

### Euphorbiaceae

Claoxylon hillii Hill's Bitterwood  
Homalanthus novoguineensis Native Bleeding Heart  
Macaranga tanarius Blush Macaranga  
Mallotus philippensis Red Kamala

### Fabaceae

NQ Erythrina vespertilio Bat's Wing Coral Tree

### Lamiaceae

Premna serratifolia Coastal Premna

### Lecythidaceae

NQ Barringtonia acutangula Freshwater Mangrove  
Barringtonia calyptrata Cassowary Pine

### Meliaceae

Melia azedarach White Cedar

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## Mimosaceae

Acacia mangium	Sally Wattle
Adenanthera pavonina	False Red Sandalwood
Falcataria toona	Acacia Cedar

## Moraceae

Ficus albipila	Slippery Blue Fig
Ficus benjamina	Weeping Fig
Ficus drupacea	Red Fig
Ficus racemosa var. racemosa	Cluster Fig
Ficus variegata var. variegata	Variiegated Cluster Fig
Ficus virens var. virens	White Fig

## Myrtaceae

NQ	Corymbia citriodora	Lemon Scented Gum
NQ	Eucalyptus phoenicea	Scarlet Gum
NQ	Leptospermum madidum subsp. madidum	Weeping Tea Tree
	Lophostemon suaveolens	Swamp Mahogany
NQ	Melaleuca fluviatilis	River Tea Tree
	Syzygium australe	Creek Lillypilly
*	Syzygium cumini	Malabar Plum; Java Plum
	Syzygium forte subsp. forte	Flaky Barked satinash
*	Syzygium jambos	Rose Apple
NQ	Syzygium suborbiculara	Lady Apple
	Tristaniopsis exiliflora	Kanuka Box
SEQ	Waterhousea floribunda	Weeping Lilly Pilly
	Xanthostemon chrysanthus	Golden Penda

## Oleaceae

Chionanthus ramiflora	Native Olive
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## Phyllanthaceae

Cleistanthus apodus	Weeping Cleistanthus
Glochidion philippicum	Buttonwood
Phyllanthus cuscutiflorus	Pink Phyllanthus

## Pittosporaceae

Pittosporum tinifolium	Rusty Pittosporum
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## Polygonaceae

*	Triplaris americana	Ant Tree
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## Proteaceae

Grevillea baileyana	Findlay's Silky Oak
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## Rhamnaceae

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	Alphitonia oblata	Hairy Sarsaparilla
<b>Rubiaceae</b>		
	Morinda citrifolia	Rotten Cheesefruit
	Nauclea orientalis	Leichhardt Tree
<b>Rutaceae</b>		
	Flindersia brayleyana	Queensland Maple
	Melicope rubra	Evodiella
*	Murraya paniculata var. "Exotica"	Mock Orange
<b>Sapindaceae</b>		
	Allophylus cobbe	Allophyllus
	Cupaniopsis anacardioides	Tuckeroo
	Ganophyllum falcatum	Daintree Hickory
#	Harpullia ramiflora	Cape York Tulipwood
	Toechima daemelianum	Cape Tamarind
<b>Sapotaceae</b>		
CY	Manilkara kauki	Wongi Nut
<b>Stemonuraceae</b>		
	Gomphandra australiana	Buff Beech
<b>Sterculiaceae</b>		
	Brachychiton acerifolius	Flame Tree
<b>Theaceae</b>		
ex	Camellia sp.	Camellia
<b>Vitaceae</b>		
	Leea novoguineensis	Bandicoot Berry