

Bottlebrush & Tea-tree Walkabout KWG

Many members of the plant family Myrtaceae are growing in Ku-ring-gai Wildflower Garden. These plants are small to very tall shrubs which generally exhibit two features often characteristic of Myrtaceae. The leaves have oil dots which make them aromatic when crushed and the stamens make a significant contribution to the flower display.

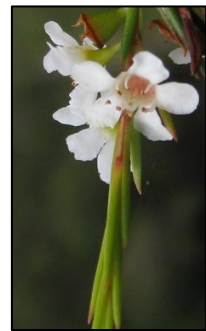
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Austromyrtus tenuifolia
Leaves narrow, opposite



Austromyrtus dulcis
Low, spreading shrub



Baeckea linifolia
Weeping shrub



Sannantha pluriflora
Shrub to 4m



Calytrix tetragona
Leaves fine, crowded



Darwinia fascicularis
Leaves & flowers bundled



Darwinia procera
Leaves flattened

Bottlebrushes: Callistemon



C. citrinus
Erect shrub



Callistemon pinifolius
Leaf stiff, very narrow



C. rigidus
Leaf stiff, narrow



C. salignus
Willow-like leaf



C. 'Little John'
Short inflorescence

Paperbarks: *Melaleuca*



M. armillaris
Leaves narrow



Melaleuca deanei
Low clonal shrub



M. elliptica
W.A. species



M. hypericifolia
Bird attractant



M. linariifolia
Snow in summer



Melaleuca nodosa
Flowers cream



M. quinquenervia
Five veins on leaf



M. styphelioides
Twisted sharp leaves



M. thymifolia
Weeping shrub

Tea-trees: *Leptospermum*



L. arachnoides
Spiky leaves



L. grandifolium
Leaf broad



L. laevigatum
Leaf smooth



L. parvifolium
Leaf small, hairy



L. petersonii
Lemon-scented



L. polygalifolium
Lemon-scented



L. squarrosum
Leaves rigid



L. trinervium
Leaves 3-veined



Kunzea ambigua
Leaves in disarray



Kunzea capitata
Young leaves hairy

Myrtaceae Walk Ku-ring-gai Wildflower Garden

Caley's Pavilion: *Agonis flexuosa*, *Austromyrtus tenuifolia*, *Baeckea linifolia*, *Callistemon viminalis*, *C. 'Little John'*, *Leptospermum laevigatum*, *Melaleuca hypericifolia*, *M. thymifolia*, *Sannantha pluriflora*

Bidwill's Clearing: *Austromyrtus tenuifolia*, *Leptospermum arachnoides*, *L. petersonii*

Entrance road: *Callistemon pinifolius*, *Callistemon salignus*, *Melaleuca styphelioides*

Flower display: Plants in flower

Visitor centre: *Callistemon 'White ANZAC'*, *Callistemon 'Little John'*, *Melaleuca hypericifolia*

Dampier's Clearing: *Kunzea ambigua*, *Leptospermum squarrosum*

Cunningham's Rest: *Baeckea diosmifolia*, *Callistemon citrinus*, *Harmogia densifolia*, *Kunzea ambigua*, *Kunzea capitata*, *Melaleuca armillaris*, *M. elliptica*, *M. hypericifolia*, *M. styphelioides*

Smith Track: *Darwinia fascicularis*, *Kunzea ambigua*, *K. capitata*, *Leptospermum squarrosum*, *L. trinervium*

Bentham and Caley Tracks: *Kunzea ambigua*, *Kunzea capitata*

The Knoll: *Callistemon citrinus*, *C. subulatus*, *L. polygalifolium* "Cardwell Form", *Melaleuca hypericifolia*, *Micromyrtus ciliata*

Lambert's Clearing: *Callistemon viminalis*, *Melaleuca hypericifolia*, *M. styphelioides*

Browns Trail: *Austromyrtus tenuifolia*, *Baeckea linifolia*, *Callistemon citrinus*, *Leptospermum polygalifolium*, *L. trinervium*, *Melaleuca linariifolia*, *Sannantha pluriflora*

Solander Trail: *L. arachnoides*, *L. squarrosum*, *L. trinervium*, *Callistemon linearis*, *C. viminalis*, *C. salignus*, *C. subulata*, *Calytrix tetragona*, *Darwinia fascicularis*, *Kunzea capitata*, *Melaleuca deanei* (vulnerable), *M. styphelioides*, *M. quinquenervia*, *M. linariifolia*, *M. thymifolia*

Senses Track: *Leptospermum petersonii*, *Kunzea ambigua*

Long Walk

Mueller Track (east): *Austromyrtus tenuifolia*, *Darwinia procera*, *Darwinia fascicularis*, *Leptospermum grandifolium*

Whip-bird Gully track: *Leptospermum parvifolium*, *L. arachnoides*

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