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Wetlands Fungi.

The fungi season has commenced in earnest with our recent rains. There is a number fruiting at the Wetlands at present, it's just the mosquitos that are a challenge. One that was a delight to see was the *Mycena clarkei*, a beautiful delicate pink gilled fungus seen emerging from borer holes in the *Melaleuca quinquenervia* along the path.



Mycena clarkei

Photo: Wayne Boatwright



Another one that is easy to spot is the *Gymnopilus sp.* This one often forms dense colonies on and around dead wood. It is a golden cinnamon colour and has the common name of Spectacular Rustgill.