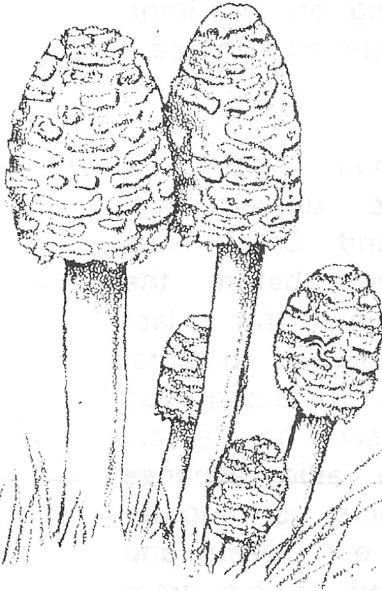


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CALENDAR

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| Nov. 8 | Gary Lincoff at SCEEC - 2:00 p.m. |
| Nov. 29 | Annual Business Meeting and
Holiday Party ! 2:00 p.m. SCEEC
Election of Officers
Photo Contest |
| Dec. 29 | Dr. Homola at SCEEC - 2:00 p.m. |

Directions to SCEEC (Somerset County Park Commission Environmental Education Center 908-766-2489). Route 287 to the North Maple Ave./Basking Ridge exit. Follow N. Maple Ave. as it bends left and becomes S. Maple Ave. in town. Follow S. Maple Ave. past Lord Sterling Stables. Make a left on Lord Sterling Road (the Great Swamp sign is on your right). SCEEC is on the left in about a mile. Park in the lot, NOT in front.

PRESIDENT'S PAGE

ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING

The executive committee decided last winter to go back to having the election of officers in December as required in our *Constitution and Bylaws*. As in most years, the first Sunday in December conflicts with SCEEC's Festival of Trees, so we decided to hold the meeting on Nov. 29, the last Sunday in November. This means that the new officers will be elected prior to the start of their terms on Jan. 1, and we will have our holiday party before rather than after the holidays. JOIN US! It is time to vote and to contribute your best holiday treats.

PHOTO CONTEST

It is also a tradition to have our photo contest as part of the business and holiday program. I hope you have been reviewing your slides and will get them to me (Gene Varney, 17 Hadler Dr. Somerset NJ 08873) by the deadline of November 8. Instructions for submitting slides can be found in the last issue of *NJMA NEWS*. You can avoid sending slides through the mail by taking them to the Gary Lincoff lecture. Please enter the contest even if you have only one slide to submit-- it could be a winner!

THE NEWSLETTER

Mike Rubin has done a great job of getting news together and

designing a format for *NJMA NEWS*. Due to new responsibilities at work and being in a doctoral program at Rutgers, Mike has had to resign as editor. I want to take this opportunity to thank Mike on behalf of all the members for taking on this large task after having served two years as president.

My concern over finding a replacement was unwarranted. Alex Adams and Carol Titus volunteered even before the announcement in the last newsletter. In addition to Carol and Alex, Judy Swanson also came forward (see her article herein -ed.) The rapid response from our members is another indication of the enthusiasm and vigor I have found in this great group of mushroomers. I cannot thank Alex and Carol enough for adding this major responsibility to their already busy lives.

ART SHOW

As far as I can determine from the published history of NJMA, this is the first year since 1982 that an art show has been organized. Jim Richards suggested having one and, of course, he got the job of organizer. (Please don't let this discourage you from suggesting new club activities!). Jim arranged to have the works of Bernice Fatto, Richard Homola, Geoffrey Kibby, Neal MacDonald, Stan

Siegler, Bunji Tagawa, and Grete Turchick on display for the month of September in the gallery at SCEEC. The art selected for display was exceptionally beautiful. The show attracted many viewers and I thank Jim for taking the time to put the show together. I also give special thanks to Bernice Fatto and Dorothy Smullen who helped in the hanging of the art work. Bernice somehow managed to find space to display most of the art at Fungus Fest which added color and vibrancy to the special event. Thanks to all, including the very helpful staff at SCEEC, who made it possible for us to show off the talents of the artists in NJMA.

FUNGUS FEST

We all owe special thanks to Ursula Pohl for making the many arrangements necessary for putting on a successful program and to the many participants in this major event of the year. We had more to offer the public and the visitors were unusually interested as was evidenced by the questions being asked at the various displays and exhibits. I didn't see any people going by the displays with a dull uninterested look on their faces. The public responded to the obvious enthusiasm we all have for mushrooms!

FUTURE ACTIVITIES

Another workshop on mushroom cultivation and a workshop on the identification of slime molds (Myxomycetes) are in the planning stage. Details will appear in the next newsletter.

Gene Varney

SUPPORT YOUR !!! CANDIDATES !!!

These names have been submitted by the Nominating Committee: Jan Vasant, Chair; Al Northup; Paul Meyer. Additional names may be placed in nomination from the floor at the annual meeting on Nov. 29.

President: Hanna Tschekunow

Vice-President: Dorothy Smullen

Treasurer: Grete Turchick

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SUPPORT YOUR !!! CANDIDATES !!!

**Don't Miss These
Opportunities to Learn
from the Experts!**

Nov. 8 2:00 p.m.

GARY LINCOFF

World renowned author of *The Audubon Field Guide to North American Mushrooms* will present a lecture called "Simplifying the Honey Mushroom Complex".

Dec. 29 at 2:00 p.m.

Dr. Richard Homola

Our old friend Dick Homola will once again appear during the holiday season. This year's topic is "Variations in Closely Related Boletes".

DUES ARE DUE

\$10. individual membership

\$15. household membership.

Pay Grete at the November meetings or the December meeting or send her a check.

Grete Turchick

GRETE TURCHICK FORAY

The annual Stokes State Forest foray and picnic has been officially named the Grete Turchick foray in honor of this charter member who has been the club treasurer for 20 years and has worn several other official "hats" during that time including Membership Secretary. Unofficially she helps assimilate new people to be comfortable in the group and is widely known for being the "Morel Queen".

When asked how she is so successful in finding mushrooms, Grete said it was training and practice that allows her to "...see a mushroom a quarter mile away. It's the shape.", she says. Gifted with a good sense of direction, Grete says she remembers where she (and the mushrooms) are and doesn't get lost.

"A hobby like mycology keeps a person young", Grete says, flashing a big smile. "It's also an exercise of the mind that is a challenge besides being fun." Grete occasionally gets calls from the Poison Control Center and helps identify problem mushrooms. Grete confesses to being a "pot hunter" - "If it's edible and there's a lot of it - I know it." Thanks Grete for everything.

Carol Titus

Turkey Tail - New Anti-cancer Medicine?

Dr. T. C. Chen, Chair
of the Department of
Plant Pathology at
Rutgers, recently gave
me a leaflet introducing
Coriolus versicolor as
a rare medicinal fungus
with anti-cancer activity.
We now know it as
Trametes versicolor the
common Turkey-tail and
as the fungus Rhoda
Roper uses in the
creation of attractive
mushroom jewelry and
other craft items.

Does anyone else have
any information on the
medicinal properties of
Turkey-tail? If so,
please contact me, Gene
Varney.

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Read My Spore Print No Higher Taxa

The Sept. 28, 1992 edition of *The Wall Street Journal* featured a front-page article entitled "To Eat or Not to Eat? That is a Question 'Shroomers' Ponder" by James P. Sterba, staff reporter. In a light-hearted review of the fall issue of the periodical, *Mushroom, the Journal of Wild Mushrooming*, James Sterba opined, "The quirky quarterly for amateur mycologists is chock-full of the latest mycobabble, fungal fulminations, and its usual valiant efforts to sort the hyphae from the hype". Citing as an example of hype, Sterba states that the recent headlines in *The Washington Post* and *The New York Times* describing the 38-acre fungus in Upper Michigan and the 1500-acre Washington State fungus were, according to the co-editor of the *Journal*, first discovered in the late 1960's!

One Sterba excerpt from the *Journal* highlights the great debate between "lumpers" and "splitters". "Read my spore print - no higher taxa", says Gary Lincoff, a "lumper" who wants to retain the traditional "senses" approach to mushroom classification - by look, feel, smell, and taste. Splitters, on the other hand, use chemical analysis and electron microscope technology to search for differences to support the creation of new names and groupings.

Another selection by Sterba points out the fact that sales of so-called exotic mushroom species, such as shiitake, cremini, oysters, and enoki, are mushrooming in supermarkets, and "wild" mushrooms are appearing on the menus in more and more restaurants, seeming to erode the American mycophobia (fear and distaste of mushrooms), which some people trace back to their British ancestors.

Regarding "sprouting periodicals", Sterba notes that most of the 75 local and regional amateur mycology clubs in the US. and Canada put out their own newsletters, some of which have coined imaginative titles, such as "Spores Illustrated", published in Colorado.

Other *Journal* articles, reports Sterba, explore the latest fungi news and mycogossip, pending forays, reviews or the latest mushroom books and guides, wild mushroom photography, cooking, and fungi art. Sterba relates that another prominent publication, *The New Yorker* magazine, in a review of a mushroom field guide, once expressed the opinion that "edible but not recommended strikes a nice balance between gastronomy and toxicology".

Judy Swanson

Note, To order a subscription, send \$16. to *Mushroom, The Journal of Wild Mushrooming* PO Box 3156 Moscow, ID 83843

COMPOSITE CHECKLIST FOR 1992 NJMA FORAYS
Data Compiled by Ray Fatto

		F01	F02	F03	F04	F05	F06	F07	F08	F09	F10	F11	NJF
Boletaceae (cont.)													
Boletus (cont.)		X									X		
	pallidus Frost										X	X	
	pseudosensibilis Sm. & Thrs.										X	X	
	pulverulentus Opat.										X	X	
	separans Pk.		X									X	
	vermiculosus Pk.			X								X	
Chalciporus	piperatus (Bull.; Fr.) Sing. (=Boletus)					X	X						X
Gyrodon	merulicoides (Schw.) Sing. (=Boletinellus)			X							X	X	
Gyroporus	castaneus (Bull.; Fr.) Quel.		X	X							X	X	
	cyanescens (Bull.; Fr.) Quel.			X								X	
	purpurinus (Snell) Sing.				X							X	
Leccinum	atrostipitatum Sm., Thrs. & Watl.								X			X	
	chromapes (Frost) Sing. (=Tylopilus)		X									X	
	scabrum (Bull.; Fr.) Gray			X				X				X	
	snellii Sm., Thrs. & Watl.				X							X	
	subglabripes (Pk.) Sing. (=Boletus)				X							X	
Phylloporus	rhodoxanthus (Schw.) Bres. (=Paxillus)		X								X	X	
Porphyrellus	porphyrosporus (Fr.) Gilb. (=Tylopilus)		X									X	
	sordidus (Frost) Snell (=Tylopilus)			X								X	
Strobilomyces	confusus Sing.		X		X							X	
	floccopus (Fr.) Karst.		X	X	X							X	
Suillus	americanus (Pk.) Snell								X			X	
	brevipes (Pk.) Kunt.									X			X
	granulatus (L.; Fr.) Kunt.					X		X				X	
	grevillei (Klotzsch) Sing. (=eleoqans)						X	X				X	
	intermedius (Sm. & Thrs.) Sm. & Thrs.						X	X				X	
	luteus (L.; Fr.) Gray								X			X	
Tylopilus	alboater (Schw.) Murr.								X			X	
	balloui (Pk.) Sing.				X							X	
	felleus (Bull.; Fr.) Karst.		X						X	X		X	
	ferrugineus (Frost) Sing.			X								X	
	plumbeoviolaceus (Snell) Snell			X								X	
Xanthoconium	rubrobrunneus Mazzer & Sm.			X								X	
	affine v. affine (Pk.) Sing. (=Boletus)		X					X				X	
	affine v. maculosus (Pk.) Sing. (=Boletus)		X									X	
Xerocomus	badius (Fr.) Kuehn.; Gilb. (=Boletus)		X									X	
	chrysenteron (Bull.; St. Am.) Quel. (=Boletus)		X									X	
	roxanae (Frost) Snell (=Boletus)						X						
Coprinaceae													
Coprinus	comatus (Muell.; Fr.) Gray						X		X			X	
	micaceus (Bull.; Fr.) Fr.							X	X			X	
Panaeolina	foeniseccii (Pers.; Fr.) Maire (=Psathyrella)											X	
Panaeolus	campanulatus (Bull.; Fr.) Quel.											X	
Psathyrella	candolleana (Fr.) Maire		X									X	
	delineata (Pk.) Sm.			X					X			X	
	hydrophila (Bull.; Mer.) Maire				X				X			X	
	sp.					X		X	X			X	
	velutina (Pers.; Fr.) Sing.						X		X			X	
Cortinariaceae													
Cortinarius	armillatus (Fr.) Fr. Tela.							X		X			X
	collinitus (Sow.) Fr. Myx. (=cylindripes Kauff.)							X		X			X
	cyanites Fr. Seric.										X		X
	delibutus Fr. Myx.					X						X	
	iodes Berk. & Curt. Myx.		X		X	X				X		X	
	lilacinus Pk. Seric.		X		X				X				X
	obliquus Pk. Seric.					X		X		X			X

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Tricholomataceae (cont.)													
Cystoderma	<u>amianthinum</u> v <u>rugosoreticulatum</u> (Lor.) Sm. & Sing.				X						X		
Flammulina	<u>velutipes</u> (Fr.) Karst. (=Collybia)	X						X			X	X	
Hohenbuehelia	<u>angustata</u> (Berk.) Sing.											X	
Hypsizygus	<u>tessulatus</u> (Bull.; Fr.) Sing. (=Pleurotus ulmarius)											X	
Laccaria	<u>amethystea</u> (Bull.; Mer.) Murr. <u>bicolor</u> (Maire) Orton							X	X			X	
Lentinellus	<u>laccata</u> (Scop.; Fr.) Berk. & Br. <u>ochropurpurea</u> (Berk.) Pk. <u>cochleatus</u> (Pers.; Fr.) Karst.		X	X				X	X			X	
Lyophyllum	<u>ursinus</u> (Fr.) Kuehn.		X					X	X			X	
Marasmiellus	<u>multiforme</u> (Pk.) Big.							X	X			X	
Marasmius	<u>candidus</u> (Fr.) Sing. <u>fulvoferrugineus</u> Gilliam <u>nigrodiscus</u> (Pk.) Halling (=tenuifolia)	X										X	X
Melanoleuca	<u>rotula</u> (Scop.; Fr.) Fr. <u>siccus</u> (Schw.) Fr. sp.	X	X									X	
Micromphale	<u>strictipes</u> (Pk.) Sing. (=Collybia)			X								X	
Mycena	<u>alboflavida</u> (Pk.) Murr. <u>foetidum</u> (Fr.) Sing. (=Marasmius) <u>acicula</u> (Schff.; Fr.) Kum. <u>galericulata</u> (Scop.; Fr.) Gray <u>haematopus</u> (Pers.; Fr.) Kum. (=haematopoda) <u>hemisphaerica</u> Pk. <u>inclinata</u> (Fr.) Quel. <u>luteopallens</u> (Pk.) Sacc. <u>pseudoinclinata</u> Sm. <u>pura</u> (Pers.; Fr.) Kum. <u>roseocandida</u> (Pk.) Sacc. sp.		X					X				X	
Omphalina	<u>strombodes</u> (Berk. & Mont.) Murr. (=Gerronema, Clitocybe)	X										X	
Panellus	<u>stipticus</u> (Bull.; Fr.) Karst.		X	X				X	X			X	X
Phyllocladus	<u>nidulans</u> (Pers.; Fr.) Sing.									X			
Pleurotus	<u>ostreatus</u> (Jacq.; Fr.) Kum. <u>pulmonarius</u> (Fr.) Quel.	X											X
Tectella	<u>patellaris</u> (Fr.) Murr. (=Panus operculatus)								X				
Tricholoma	<u>fumosiluteum</u> Pk. <u>odorum</u> Pk. <u>portentosum</u> (Fr.) Quel. <u>resplendens</u> (Fr.) Karst. <u>sejunctum</u> (Fr.) Quel.			X	X				X				X
Tricholomopsis	<u>platyphylla</u> (Fr.) Sing. <u>rutilans</u> (Fr.) Sing. <u>kauffmanii</u> Sm.		X	X	X							X	X
Xeromphalina	<u>furfuracea</u> (Pk.) Redh., Ginns, & Shoem.	X				X							X
Xerula	<u>radicata</u> (Rehman; Fr.) Doerfelt (=Oudemansiella)	X	X										
Aphyllophorales													
Albatrellaceae													
Albatrellus	<u>caeruleoporus</u> (Pk.) Pouz. <u>ovinus</u> (Schff.; Fr.) Kotl. & Pouz.							X					X
Bondarzewiaceae													
Bondarzewia	<u>berkeleyi</u> (Fr.) Bond. & Sing.								X				X
Cantharellaceae													
Cantharellus	<u>cibarius</u> Fr. <u>cinnabarinus</u> Schw.		X			X	X	X	X	X		X	X

Cantharellaceae (cont.)

Cantharellus (cont.)

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Cantharellaceae													
Cantharellus	lateritius (Berk.) Sing. (=Craterell. cantharellus)	X	X										X
	minor Pk.	X	X	X	X	X							X
	tubaeformis Fr.			X		X							X
Craterellus	xanthopus (Pers.) Duby (=lutescens)	X		X		X							X
	fallax Sm.	X	X	X	X								X
Clavariaceae													
Clavaria	zollingeri Lev.		X										X
Clavariadelphus	truncatus (Quel.) Donk				X								X
Clavicorona	pyxidata (Pers.; Fr.) Doty		X			X							X
Clavulina	amethystina (Fr.) Donk			X									X
	cinerea (Fr.) Schroet.	X		X			X						X
	cristata (Fr.) Schroet.			X		X							X
Ramaria	concolor (Corner) Pet.		X										
	sp.	X											X
Ramariopsis	fusiformis (Gow.; Fr.) Pet. (=Clavulinopsis)	X	X	X	X	X							X
	kunzei (Fr.) Donk	X		X			X						X
Corticiaceae													
Phlebia	radiata Fr. (=merismoides)							X					X
	tremellosus (Fr.) Nakas. & Burds. (=Merulius)							X					X
Fistulinaceae													
Fistulina	hepatica Schiff.; Fr.			X		X							X
Pseudofistulina	radicata (Schw.) Burds. (=Fistulina pallida)			X									
Ganodermataceae													
Ganoderma	applanatum (Pers.) Pat.	X	X		X	X	X						X
	lucidum (Fr.) Karst.			X				X					X
	tsugae Murr.	X											X
Hericiaceae													
Hericium	coralloides (Scop.; Fr.) Pers. (=americanum)			X		X							X
	erinaceus (Bull.; Fr.) Pers.				X		X						X
	ramosum (Mer.) Letell. (=laciniatum, caputursi)				X								X
Hydnaceae													
Climacodon	septentrionale (Fr.) Karst. (=Steccherinum)							X					X
Hydnnum	repandum L.; Fr. (=Dentinum)	X		X									X
	umbilicatum Pk. (=Dentinum)				X		X						X
Steccherinum	ochraceum (Pers.; Fr.) Gray			X									X
Hymenochaetaceae													
Coltricia	cinnamomea (Pers.) Murr.		X										X
Hydnochaete	olivacea (Schw.) Bank. (=Hydnoporia fuscescens)							X					X
Inonotus	tomentosus (Fr.) Teng (=Onnia (Fr.) Karst.)							X					X
Phellinus	gilvus (Schw.) Pat.			X		X							X
Polyporaceae													
Antrodia	albida (Fr.) Donk (=Trametes sepium)				X								X
Daedalea	quercina L.; Fr.		X			X		X					X
Daedaleopsis	confragosa (Bolt.; Fr.) Schroet.			X	X		X	X					X
Grifola	frondosa (Dicks.; Fr.) Gray (=Polyporus)					X							X
Hapalopilus	nidulans (Pers.; Fr.) Karst.		X										X
Irpea	lacteus (Fr.) Fr. (=Polyporus tulipiferus)	X	X				X	X					X
Laetiporus	sulphureus (Bull.; Fr.) Murr.				X		X	X	X				X
	sulphureus v. semialbinus Pk.	X				X		X	X				X
Meripilus	sumstinei (Murr.) Larsen (=giganteus ss Auct.)												X
Oligoporus	caesius (Schrad.; Fr.) Gilbn. & Ryv. (=Tyromyces)							X					X
Oxyporus	populinus (Schum.; Fr.) Donk (=Fomes connatus)							X					X
Phaeolus	schweinitzii (Fr.) Pat.							X					X
Piptoporus	betulinus (Bull.; Fr.) Karst. (=Polyporus)	X			X		X	X	X				X

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Polyporaceae (cont.)													
Polyporus	<i>arcularius</i> Batsch:Fr. (=anisosporus)			X				X			X	X	
	<i>badius</i> (Pers.:Gray) Schw. (=picipes)										X	X	
	<i>elegans</i> Bull.:Fr.	X	X					X				X	
	<i>mori</i> Pollini:Fr. (=Favolus alveolaris)	X				X		X			X	X	
	<i>squamulosus</i> Huds.:Fr.		X					X			X	X	
	<i>tuberaster</i> (Pers.:Fr.) Fr. (=lentus)		X									X	
Poria	<i>nigra</i> (Berk.) Cke.											X	
Pycnoporus	<i>cinnabarinus</i> (Jacq.:Fr.) Karst.					X		X				X	
Trametes	<i>conchifer</i> (Schw.:Fr.) Pilat (=Poronidulus)							X				X	
	<i>hirsuta</i> (Wulf.:Fr.) Pilat (=Coriolus)								X			X	
	<i>pubescens</i> (Schum.:Fr.) Pilat (=Coriolus)		X								X	X	
	<i>versicolor</i> (L.:Fr.) Pilat (=Coriolus)	X	X		X	X	X	X	X		X	X	
Trichaptum	<i>biforme</i> (Fr.) Ryv. (=Polyporus pargamenus)	X	X	X	X	X		X	X		X	X	
Tyromyces	<i>chioneus</i> (Fr.) Karst. (=albellus)	X	X	X	X	X	X	X				X	
Schizophyllaceae	<i>commune</i> Fr.		X	X			X	X				X	X
Schizophyllum	<i>complicatum</i> (Fr.) Fr.	X			X	X	X	X			X	X	
Stereaceae	<i>lobatum</i> Kunze:Fr.			X								X	
Stereum	<i>ostrea</i> (Fr.) Fr.				X			X	X			X	X
Xylobolus	<i>frustulatus</i> (Fr.) Boid. (=Stereum frustulosum)							X	X			X	X
Thelephoraceae													
Hydnellum	<i>peckii</i> Bank. in Pk.					X							
	<i>scrobiculatum</i> v. <i>zonatum</i> (Batsch:Fr.) Harr.		X	X			X						X
Phellodon	<i>spongiosipes</i> (Pk.) Pouz.						X						X
	<i>confluens</i> (Pers.:Fr.) Pouz.							X					
	<i>tomentosus</i> (Fr.) Bank.							X					X
Sarcodon	<i>underwoodii</i> Bank.	X											
Thelephora	<i>vialis</i> Schw.		X			X							X
Auriculariales													
Auriculariaceae													
Auricularia	<i>auricula</i> (Hook.) Underw.								X				X
Dacrymycetales													
Dacrymycetaceae													
Calocera	<i>viscosa</i> (Pers.:Fr.) Fr.								X				X
Dacrymyces	<i>chrysospermus</i> Berk. & Curt. (=palmatus)						X						X
	<i>stillatus</i> Nees:Fr. (=deliquescens)												X
Exobasidiales													
Exobasidiaceae													
Exobasidium	<i>vaccinii</i> (Fkl.) Moronin		X										
Tremellales													
Tremellaceae													
Exidia	<i>glandulosa</i> Bull.:Fr.	X											X
Sebacina	<i>incrassata</i> (Pers.:Fr.) Tul.			X									X
Tremella	<i>foliacea</i> Pers.:Fr.							X				X	X
Tremellodendron	<i>pallidum</i> (Schw.) Burt (=schweinitzii)	X		X									X
Gasteromycetes													
Lycoperdales													
Gastraceae	<i>saccatum</i> Fr.								X				X
Gastrum													
Lycoperdaceae													
Bovista	<i>minor</i> Morg.								X				
Calvatia	<i>craniiformis</i> (Schw.) Fr.								X				X
Lycoperdon	<i>candidum</i> Pers. (=marginatum)								X				X
	<i>perlatum</i> Pers. (=gemmaatum)		X	X	X	X	X	X	X			X	X

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Lycoperdaceae (cont.)													
Lycoperdon (cont.)	<i>pyriforme</i> Schiff.:Pers. sp. <i>umbrinum</i> Pers.					X	X			X	X		
Nidulariales													
Nidulariaceae													
Crucibulum	<i>laeve</i> (Bull.:DC.) Kambly (=vulgare)			X						X	X		
Cyathus	<i>striatus</i> (Huds.) Willd.:Pers.			X	X					X	X		
Phallales													
Phallaceae													
Mutinus	<i>elegans</i> (Mont.) Fischer (=curtisii)		X							X	X		
Phallus	<i>ravenelii</i> Berk. & Curt.					X					X		
Protophallaceae													
Rhopalogaster	<i>transversarium</i> (Bosc) Johnston						X				X		
Sclerodermatales													
Sclerodermataceae													
Scleroderma	<i>areolatum</i> Ehrenb. (=lycoperdooides) <i>cepa</i> (Vail.) Pers. (=flavidum) <i>citrinum</i> Pers. (=aurantium,vulgare) <i>polyrhizum</i> Pers. (=geaster)	X	X	X	X	X				X	X		
Tulostomatales													
Calostomataceae													
Calostoma	<i>cinnabrina</i> Desv.		X	X	X	X						X	
Ascomycotina													
Discomycetes													
Helotiales													
Geoglossaceae													
Microglossum	<i>rufum</i> (Schw.) Underw.		X									X	
Trichoglossum	<i>hirsutum</i> (Pers.:Fr.) Boud.		X									X	
Helotiaceae													
Bisporella	<i>citrina</i> (Batsch:Fr.) Korf & Carp. (=Helotium,Calyptella)		X		X	X				X	X		
Leotiaceae													
Leotia	<i>lubrica</i> Pers. <i>viscosa</i> Fr. (=stipitata)		X	X	X		X					X	
Pezizales													
Helvellaceae													
Gyromitra	<i>korfii</i> (Rait.) Harmaja (?=gigas)										X	X	
Helvella	<i>crispa</i> Fr.		X									X	
Morchellaceae													
Morchella	<i>crassipes</i> Pers.:Fr. <i>deliciosa</i> Fr. <i>elata</i> Fr. (angusticeps,conica) <i>esculenta</i> Pers.:St.Am. <i>semilibera</i> DC.:Fr. (=Mitrophora) sp.										X	X	
Verpa	<i>conica</i> Swartz:Pers.										X	X	
Pezizaceae										X			
Peziza	<i>repanda</i> Pers.												
Pyronemataceae													
Humaria	<i>hemisphaerica</i> (Wigg.:Fr.) Fkl.			X								X	
Scutellinia	<i>scutellata</i> (L.:St.Am.) Lamb.		X	X		X	X				X	X	
Sarcoscyphaceae													
Sarcoscypha	<i>occidentalis</i> (Sow.) Sacc.	X		X				X				X	
Sarcosomataceae													
Galiella	<i>rufa</i> (Schw.) Nannf. & Korf (=Bulgaria)		X	X	X						X	X	

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Sarcosomataceae (cont.)	<i>Urnula craterium</i> (Schw.) Fr.							X			X	X	
Euascomycetes													
Taphrinales													
Taphrinaceae													
Taphrina	<i>caeruleascens</i> (Desm. & Mont.) Tul.	X											
Lecanoromycetes													
Dothideales													
Amphisphaeriaceae													
<i>Apiosporina</i>	<i>morbosa</i> (Schw.; Fr.) Arx (=Dibotryon)	X											X
Dothideaceae													
<i>Scorias</i>	<i>spongiosa</i> (Schw.; Fr.) Fr.					X	X					X	
Pyrenomycetes													
Clavicipitales													
Clavicipitaceae													
<i>Cordyceps</i>	<i>capitata</i> (Holmsk.; Fr.) Link			X									X
Diatrypales													
Diatrypaceae													
<i>Diatrype</i>	<i>stigma</i> (Hoffm.; Fr.) Fr.							X					
Hypocreales													
Hypocreaceae													
<i>Creopus</i>	<i>gelatinosus</i> (Tode; Fr.) Link (=Hypocrea, Chromocrea)							X					
Hymenomycetaceae													
<i>Hypomyces</i>	<i>chrysospermus</i> Tul.											X	X
Hyphomycetidae													
<i>hyalinus</i> (Schw.; Fr.) Tul.							X					X	
	<i>luteovirens</i> (Fr.) Tul.						X					X	
Xylariales													
Xylariaceae													
<i>Camarops</i>	<i>petersii</i> (Berk. & Curt.) Nannf. (=Peridoxylon)											X	X
<i>Daldinia</i>	<i>concentrica</i> (Bolt.; Fr.) Ces. & DeNot.							X				X	X
<i>Ustulina</i>	<i>deusta</i> (Fr.) Petrak (=vulgaris)											X	X
<i>Xylaria</i>	<i>hypoxylon</i> (L.; Hook.) Grev.	X										X	X
	<i>polymorpha</i> (Pers.; Fr.) Grev.	X	X					X					X
Myxomycotina													
Myxomycetes													
Ceratiomyxales													
Ceratiomyxaceae													
<i>Ceratiomyxa</i>	<i>fruticulosa</i> (Muell.) Macbr.			X								X	X
Liceales													
Enteridiaceae													
<i>Lycogala</i>	<i>epidendrum</i> (L.) Fr.	X	X	X			X		X			X	X
<i>Tubifera</i>	<i>ferruginosa</i> (Batsch) Gmel.											X	X
Physarales													
Physaraceae													
<i>Leocarpus</i>	<i>fragilis</i> (Dicks.) Rostaf.			X									
<i>Physarum</i>	<i>luteolum</i> Pk.	X											
Stemonitales													
Stemonitaceae													
<i>Brefeldia</i>	<i>maxima</i> (Fr.) Rostaf.											X	
<i>Stemonitis</i>	<i>axifera</i> (Bull.) Macbr.											X	X
	<i>fusca</i> Roth											X	X
	sp.					X							X

Trichiales

Trichiaceae

Arcyria nutans (Bull.) Grev.
 Hemitrichia serpula (Scop.) Rostaf.

FORAY TOTAL

Total species recorded = 451

New species this year = 50

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	X								X		X	
	55	95	55	103	60	83	140	86	47	0	153	401

1992 FORAY DATES AND LOCATIONS

F01	JUN 20	POCONO ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION CENTER
F02	JUL 19	MEADOW WOODS PARK
F03	AUG 2	HOLMDEL PARK
F04	AUG 30	STEPHENS STATE PARK
F05	SEP 13	CHEESEQUAKE PARK
F06	SEP 27	STOKES STATE FOREST
F07	OCT 4	FUNGS FEST - SCEEC
F08	OCT 11	WASHINGTON CROSSING STATE PARK
F09	OCT 18	LEBANON STATE FOREST
F11	APR-OCT	NON-SCHEDULED AND OTHER FORAYS INCLUDING HUTCHESON MEMORIAL FOREST INVENTORY
NJF	1981-1991	RECORDED ON PRIOR NJMA FORAY REPORTS

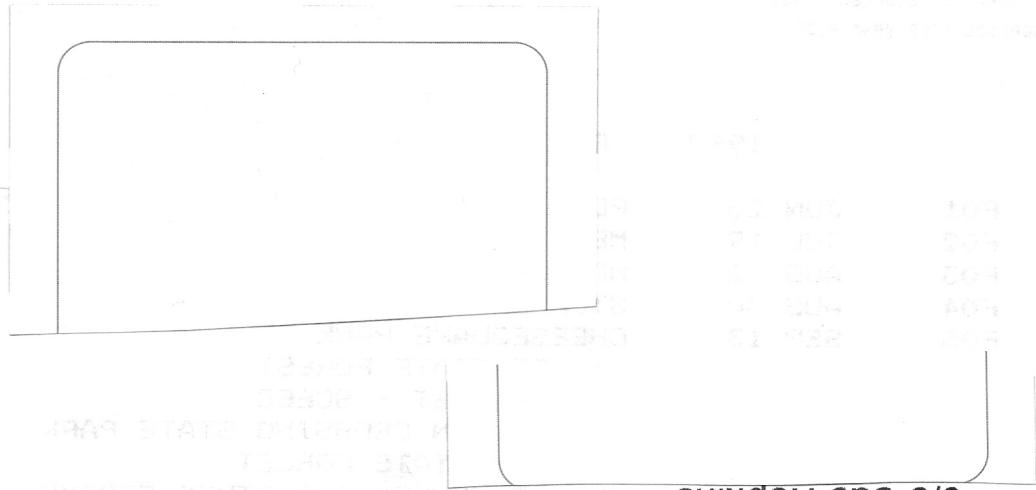
In contrast to last year's record number of 90+ degree days, this has been an unusually cool summer. Foraying was quite rewarding in that 451 different fungi were tallied, of which 50 were recorded for the first time in our NJ database. The number of species was high but, for the most part, the quantity of each collection was low. For instance, we personally saw only two clusters of *Armillaria tabescens*, none of the massive clusters of the yellow form of *Armillaria mellea*, and only one side dish worth of *Armillaria lutea*. Last year there were massive fruitings of these species. *Calvatia* species also seemed to be virtually nonexistent.

However, several interesting fungi were identified this year. Two new boletes were added to the NJ list - *Boletellus projectellus* was found at the Lebanon foray and *Xerocomus roxanae* at the Cheesquake foray. Lebanon also produced more of the very rare *Rhopalogaster transversarium* which was collected there for the first time last year, and *Hypholoma (Naematoloma) udum* was also recorded for the first time in NJ. (Thanks Aaron).

Stephens Park, near Hackettstown, not only once again produced *Gyroporus purpurinus* for us, but also yielded a beautiful cluster of pale pink *Mycena roseocandida* and the microscopically interesting *Clitocybe hydrogramma*. Stokes State Forest always seems to provide us with an unusual fungus. This year it was the rare *Pseudofistulina radicata*.

Lastly, at the Fungus Fest we had an unusual display of strikingly decorated *Trametes (Poronidulus) conchifer* found by the Vansants at Washington Crossing Park and our first collection of the unusual *Tectella patellaris* found growing on cherry birch branches on the Sourland Mountains of Somerset County.

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C/O Sue Hopkins
NJMA news



"Is it my imagination, or has it been an unusually wet summer?"