
















A WORKSHOP with The Mushroom Forager

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Northeastern ForageCast • Mushrooms of July

COMMON NAME	SCIENTIFIC NAME	WHERE TO LOOK	CULINARY VALUE	
	Bicolor bolete	<i>Boletus bicolor</i>	On forest floor in hardwood forests, especially near oak	Excellent
	Porcini	<i>Boletus edulis</i>	On forest floor near spruce or hemlock; also near pine and occasionally in hardwood forests	Excellent
	Giant puffball	<i>Calvatia gigantea</i>	Lawns, agricultural fields, urban areas, disturbed ground, open woods	Good
	Smooth chanterelle	<i>Cantharellus lateritius</i>	On forest floor near oaks	Excellent
	Golden chanterelle	<i>Cantharellus cibarius</i>	On forest floor under mixed hardwoods, pine or hemlock	Excellent
	Cinnabar-red chanterelle	<i>Cantharellus cinnabarinus</i>	On forest floor in hardwood forests	Excellent
	Black trumpet	<i>Craterellus cornucopioides</i>	On forest floor in hardwood and coniferous forests, often growing in moss	Excellent
	Yellow foot	<i>Craterellus ignicolor</i> , <i>Craterellus tubaeformis</i> , <i>Craterellus aurora</i>	On forest floor or logs in coniferous bogs and sphagnum moss. Also, on ground in mossy areas in hardwood forests	Excellent
	Reishi	<i>Ganoderma tsugae</i>	Dead or dying hemlock	Medicinal
	Lion's mane	<i>Hericium americanum</i> , <i>Hericium coralloides</i> , <i>Hericium erinaceus</i>	On hardwood logs, stumps and standing trees	Very good; Medicinal

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 Hedgehog	<i>Hydnum repandum</i> , <i>Hydnum umbilicatum</i>	On forest floor in hardwood and coniferous forests	Excellent
 Lobster mushroom	<i>Hypomyces lactifluorum</i>	On forest floor, anywhere you have seen white <i>Lactarius</i> or <i>Russula</i> species fruiting. In both deciduous and coniferous forests, but most often under hemlock	Good
 Chicken of the woods	<i>Laetiporus sulphureus</i>	On dead or dying hardwoods, particularly ash. Avoid consuming specimen found on hemlock.	Good
 Scaber stalk bolete	<i>Leccinum</i> sp.	On the forest floor near birch, poplar, aspen, oak, beech, spruce or pine	Mediocre
 Oyster mushroom	<i>Pleurotus poulinus</i>	On older <i>Populus</i> species - especially poplar.	Good
 King stropharia	<i>Stropharia rugosannulata</i>	Wood chip mulch in suburban or landscaped areas	Good
 Saffron milky	<i>Lactarius deliciosus</i>	On forest floor in hardwood and coniferous forests	Good

