As a result of the enjoyment of this second foray a 3rd one will be held next year:-

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! A THIRD FUNGAL FORAY !

<u>Venue:</u> Te Kauri Lodge, Hamilton <u>Dates:</u> May 19th (Thursday) - May 23rd (Sunday) <u>Costs:</u> Approx \$9.50 per person per night (plus food)

Te Kauri Lodge has a fully equipped kitchen, large lounge, dining room and facilities for microscopes, displays, slide show, etc. It has room to sleep 95 persons(!), but we plan on a party of approx 25. The Lodge is ideal for a foray, it is situated 34 km from Pirongia on State Highway 31 (19 km from Kawhia). It is close to good bush areas; has an associated farmland/scenic reserve area and is near to the coast.

All who have an interest in fungi, (whether or not they earn their living as a mycologist:) are welcome! We can guarantee at least one "expert" in each of the major fungal groups to aid your identifications.

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If you would like to attend this event, please contact: Ann Bell, C/- Botany Department, Victoria University of Wellington.

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Fourteen people attended the second Fungal Foray held at Busy Park this year. It was a thorough success both from the point of view of good fungal collecting, good company and good food. The weather was perfect, and Bushy Park proved once again, to be an excellent place to hold such an event. The Custodian, Mr Alan Johnston has done an enormous amount of work on the beautiful old homestead of Bushy Park, and did everything possible to ensure the comfort of the party. The main sitting room was converted to a laboratory with trestle tables, and in the evenings we could haggle over our identifications in the comfort of a log fire. Once again, some excellent photography of fungi was displayed by foray participants. A list of fungi collected will be published in the next SYSTANZ Newsletter.
