PLANT FACT SHEET

Galearia fulva (Tul.) Miq.

GENUS *Galearia* **FAMILY** Euphorbiaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Leaves, Fruit

DESCRIPTION

A shrub. It grows 1-12 meters high. The trunk is 2 cm across. The bark is light and white. The leaves are alternate and simple. They are usually hairy underneath. The leaves base is unequal. The leaves are sword shaped. The flowers are 1.5 mm across. They are greenish-yellow. The fruit are light green and hard. They are 7 mm long and angular. They are fleshy.

HABITAT

A tropical plant. It grows in mixed forest up to 1,200 m above sea level. It can be on sandy or clay soils.

NOTES

There are 6 Galearia species.
Also put in the family Pandaceae.

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