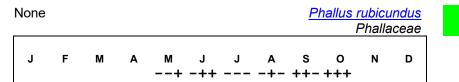
Phallus rubicundus (Bosc) Fries



OVERALL: Ellicott City, 10/2/2016, *J. Solem.* OVERALL:Schooley Mill Park, 5/29/2018, *J. Solem.* HEAD:Schooley Mill Park, 5/29/2018, *J. Solem.* IMMATURE (eggs): Ellicott City, 10/2/2016, *J. Solem.* OLD STALK BASES: Ellicott City, 10/2/2016, *J. Solem.*



ID: Body reddish/orangish; cylindric, pock-marked w/ slimy greenish-brown cap. Foul smelling. Body egg-like before emergence.

Habitat: Solitary, clusters. In/near gardens, meadows, on woodchips.

Fertile surface (head): 1.2 - 1.8" x 0.7" [3 - 4.5 cm x 1.5 cm] Narrowly bell-shaped w/ skirt, covered by spore mass; reddish opening at apex. Head easily detached from stalk. Tapers toward tip.

Stalk: Up to 7.9" x 0.6" [>= 20 cm x 1.5 cm] Reddish/orangish. Elongated pock-marks. Hollow. Arises from whitish volva.

Immature Fruiting Body: Egg-like (resembling small puffball), Whitish/pale brown; internally gelatinous.

Spore Mass: Slimy, foul smelling: *Greenish-brown/olive-brown.* Ellipsoid, smooth, hyaline.

Frequency: Occasional.

Locations: CEDLP, HAMVL, OTHER, PATBT, SLMLP.

Notes: Mycobank 427855. Spores of Ellicott City and Schooley Mill Park specimens examined by R. Solem.

References: Bni 508. K&M 304. W&L 214-5. Stu 417. W&L 214-5.



SPORES (3.2-6.4 X 1.7-2.6 µm): Ellicott City, 10/2/2016, R. Solem.