







Tree Tales: Monkey's Dinner Bell Tree Introduced



Other Names

Hura crepitans, Monkey-no-Climb, Sandbox Tree, Monkey's Pistol, Possumwood, Dynamite Tree

Leaves and Flowers

The female flowers grow alone and produce the fruit. Male flowers grow on long spikes and look like dark red berries. They have no petals. The heart shaped leaves are papery thin.

Fruit

The fruit are pumpkin-shaped capsules, made up of 16 carpels, like crescent segments.