Health benefits of homegrown remedy

THE lignosus rhinocerus or Tiger Milk Mushroom is a rare Malaysian fungus that is believed to contain medicinal values and is thus able to cure certain ailments

It derives its name from a Malaysian aboriginal folklore and is said to grow on the spot the tigress dripped its milk while feeding her cubs.

This mushroom is so rare that it is only found in tropical forests in Malaysia, Indonesia, Thailand, South China, the Philippines and Papua New Guinea

The Father of Malaysian Rubber Industry Henry Ridley cited the Tiger Milk Mushroom in

1890 as an important mushroom with medicinal values used by the local people.

The Aborigines, Malays and Chinese truly believed in the healing properties of the Tiger Milk Mushroom and used it to produce their medicines.

This mushroom consists of a cap, stem and sclerotium. The sclerotium is the part of the mushroom that contains medicinal value and features white tissue that looks and tastes like milk when ground and mixed with water One would find the Tiger Milk

Mushroom in Chinese households in the 1950s and 60s.

The Chinese used it to treat asthma, coughs, and to protect the lungs and respiratory system. It is also used as a general tonic.

Malay bomohs used the Tiger Milk Mushroom for more serious illnesses such as breast cancer and joint pains.

Although there has been no hard evidence on the mushroom's ability to fight cancer, people still believed in its healing

Universities and research institutes have carried out extensive studies and research on the wonders of the Tiger Milk Mushroom. Its properties are scientifically proven to be anti-inflammatory, immune-modulating and antiproliferative.



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Key health benefits

- > Relieves symptoms of asthma
- > Relieves chronic cough > Relieves nasal and sinus
- > Relieves respiratory allergy > Helps to repair inflamed tissues and improve respiratory functions.
- > Recommended for those with chronic cough, sinus, respiratory allergies, bronchitis, asthma. smokers or those who are constantly exposed to a polluted environment
- > Helps those suffering from joint pain due to injuries or old
- > Relieves joint pain caused by diseases such as dengue and chikugunya
- > Works as a general tonic to strengthen a weak constitution, especially for the elderly and those with busy and hectic
- > Helps to strengthen the immune system of children who are susceptible to colds and flu.
- > Helps those with skin allergies such as eczema and rashes.
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