

# Pterostylis sp. 'Boyup'

## Name and Authority

**Pterostylis sp. 'Boyup'**

## Common Name

Boyup Bird Orchid

## Complex Name

Pterostylis barbata/turfosa (Bird Orchids)

## Originally Described by

Undescribed

## Distribution and Habitat

Augusta to Tenterden, growing in sandy and sandy-clay soils in woodlands and shrublands, often around the margins of seasonally wet flats.

## Flowering Months

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## Description

A little-known [species](#) 120–200 mm high with a loose, ascending [rosette](#) of leaves 12–35 mm across, two to four [cauline](#) leaves and one (rarely two) translucent, light green and white flowers 9–11 mm across.

## Distinguishing Features

It is distinguished from Bearded Bird Orchid (*Pterostylis turfosa*) by its shorter, prominently upcurved [dorsal sepal](#).

## WA Conservation Code (Threatened Status)

Not Listed



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