

Bernoullia flammea

Mapola, canté

Great plaza Ballcourt
& Temple I



More than Art & Archaeology

Tikal also offers Learning about remarkable trees & their flowers



Bernoullia flammea





Bernoullia flammnea



Mapola, canté



Bernoullia *flammea*



Mapola, canté



Bernoullia flammeea



Mapola, canté



Bernoullia flammeea



Mapola, canté



Here is a report on close-up photography of mapola flowers near El Chal, Peten, Guatemala.

It was possible to find two trees near El Chal, El Peten (en route to Poptun) where the branches were low enough to do macro close-up photography.

Plus at El Chal the owner of the finca gave us permission to cut samples of the flowers so we could set up a studio (flowers on the tree branches blow in the wind, so tough to get non-blurry images, even with high ISO, high speed, and flash).

Photographs with Nikon D800E and Canon EOS 1Ds Mark III, by Nicholas Hellmuth, FLAAR Mesoamerica, www.maya-ethnobotany.org.

Bernoullia
Mapola, canté ◆
Great plaza Ballcourt
& Temple I

This full-color report is part of a project with the Parque Nacional Tikal, El Peten, Guatemala, to bring to the world the inherent natural beauty of the flora and fauna of this part of Central America. We thank the park administration and biologist Licda Mirtha Cano for providing hospitality while our team was doing the photography during April 2013.

