# MACS' TRACKS

#### from David and Gae McDonald

Fellowship in the Bush. Gae has been visiting an older aboriginal lady. We have a great time of fellowship. Gae asked her how she would like to be addressed; we have several 'aunties'. The lady said with a huge grin, "Call me 'Sis' because we are sisters in Christ." Praise God for our family resemblance in Christ.



Above taken at Ballina: 'Rig' changes The Morrows, Cripps and McDonalds have had their ageing vehicles replaced. Also when the trucks moved to new patrol areas, they were less suited to new terrain.

This winter has knocked us around with colds and infections. It has kept us home more than we would have liked. Garlic breath abounds. Also Gae is recovering from a dog bite.

"Again he prayed, and the heavens gave **rain**,

and the earth produced its crops."

James 5:18



**Above:** With a dryer that average Spring predicted by the Bureau of Meteorology, drought continues with no obvious end.

## Easter Highlight - Reconnecting with SA Station Couple

The PIM ute that started in SA with the Mackenzies, then McDonalds, later moved to the Morrows in Victoria (Mungo Patrol). It has been returned to SA after being sold to station owners - Laura and Graham Ragless. They flew over to pick up the ute before Easter. It was a huge highlight to worship with them at our sending church, Southern Cross PC (East Lismore) at the Easter service. Old outreach team members who stayed at Beltana Station excitedly welcomed them. Laura said she loved

the singing and Graham was glad the roof stayed in place (wink) but we saw him enjoying the service.



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#### **PIM News**

### Natalie Miller

is our new Communications Officer.

She is working part time and is your contact if you need anything or have general PIM questions.

WELCOME Natalie! communications@pim.org.au

#### The Narrabri Presbyterian Church hosted the PIM Camp Oven Dinner.



14 camp ovens

were cooked at Terry & Judy Sadler's place and then the served at the church hall to all comers. Dinner is free but donations to PIM are

encouraged. Andrew Letcher, our CEO was the guest speaker for the Camp



Over Night. He spoke about how PIM is reaching out to inland Australia with the Gospel in many different ways, in many different areas. Also, that the responsibility to share the Good News of Jesus belongs to all of us.

#### **Praise and Prayer points**:

- -Praise God that He is always in control
- -that the Lord will work in the hearts of the people in the outback
- -that we will return to good health
- -that we are faithful in telling the gospel and discipling for God's glory.
- that people will turn to God in prayer: depending on Him for their needs

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