



Kuprilya Springs Pipeline celebration



CLOCKWISE FROM TOP: Family picnic, Norman Raggett on his horse, everyone attends, church services

“It was a delight from the very beginning, as I watched fellas leaving community in the morning on their horses, many without saddles and young lads riding young colts they had recently broken in themselves. Car loads of families slowly drove past the mounted horses, often offering water out car windows as it was a hot day from early morning”

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Coordinator Community Safety - MacSafe

Once up at the spring, family groups gathered in different spots, many making temporary sunshades with tarps and spreading out their tucker. Adults participated in the church service, while kids tendered to the horses, roamed the bush and climbed the cliff walls. Unfortunately no one could play in the water as the spring is dry for the first time in living memory.

“I am very grateful to have experienced such a special day as it is an event the community is always excited about and rightly proud of. It was a great reminder of the wonderful organisational abilities of bush communities for large events, and the joy of coming together, sharing food and stories in a relaxed and culturally safe environment”

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