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November 2009 Newsletter

Our November Christmas Party /Saturday Fly-In was a great success with 37 fixed wing, 4 helicopters, and 1 trike (yes trikes can be counted!) attending. We had 80 plus people that included 72 paying visitors and 2 new memberships. Most thought they could beat the rush and landed early around 8:00 am on Runway 33 into about 15 knots of northerly wind. Good airmanship by all pilots resulted in a very orderly arrival despite the heavy traffic. It was heard at one stage Brisbane Radar advising area traffic of 5 aircraft in or close to our circuit! Our tireless Pat and her team worked very hard to provide a magnificent spread of traditional Christmas food. Thank you Pat and all your helpers.



Above: The feast!



Above: Kevin Haase at the smorgasbord



Above: The young people.

Don't forget our December fly-in on the 19th

Also remember to check out our new website as there are regular additions, especially to the photo gallery where you will find some brilliant air photos from the Wilsons. Fly safe. More photos next page!



Above: Mia and Michael



Above Bob Tait with his award winning Pacer



Above: Bob and Marie.



Above. Katherine & Duncan.



Above. Pat with the certificate of appreciation she received for the club's hosting the Air Cadets on the October fly in weekend.



Two of four R44 helicopters attending.



Below: Julie & Helmut, helicopter arrivals.

