QUEENSLAND BLUE GRASS TREE

(Xanthorrhoea Glauca)







FUN FACTS

- The flower spike soaked in water makes a sweet drink.
- The growing part of the leaf stem and the white leaf bases can be eaten.
- The dried flower stems form a base for fire drills when making a fire.
- The resin from the base of the leaves is a glue used when making weapons and axes.
- The dry flower stems of smaller species were used for spears. The tough leaves were used as knives to cut meat.