

## Springwood Bushwalking Club Inc.

PO Box 126 Springwood NSW 2777 www.springwoodbushwalker.org.au

# **JUNIOR MEMBER APPLICATION FORM**

Name:		Date of Birth:
Contact details:	Address & postcode:	
	Email address:	Are you happy for other members to know your email address? Yes / No
	Mobile:	Other Phone:
Emergency Contact:	Name:	Phone and email:
Medical:	Do you have any medical condition that a trip leader should be aware of? If so, please indicate briefly:	
Experience:	Have you ever been a member of a bushwalking or similar club, or have you had any other experience of outdoor activities? Please indicate briefly:	
Acknowledgement of Risk	This Acknowledgement of Risk applies to all club activities I may undertake as a member of the Springwood Bushwalking Club.  In voluntarily participating in Club activities I am aware that I may be exposed to hazards and risks that could lead to injury, illness or death, or to loss of or damage to my property. These risks may include but are not limited to slippery and/or uneven surfaces, rocks being dislodged, falling at edges of cliffs or drops or elsewhere, risks associated with crossing creeks, hypothermia and heat exhaustion. In particular when participating in abseiling or above the snowline activities I am aware that I may be exposed to additional hazards and risks. I also acknowledge that I may be in locations where evacuation for medical treatment may take hours or days. I will make all reasonable effort to avoid or minimise these risks by:  1. only participating in activities within my capabilities, 2. carrying food, water and equipment appropriate for the activity, 3. advising the leader if I am taking any medication or have any physical or other limitation that might affect my participation in the activity, 4. making every effort to remain with the rest of the party during the activity, 5. advising the leader of any concerns I am having, and 6. complying with all reasonable instructions of the activity leader, and 7. not leaving the party before the conclusion of any activity, without the leader's prior knowledge and consent. I have read or heard and understand these requirements. I have considered the risks before choosing to sign this form. I still wish to join the Club. I agree by signing this form to waive any claim for damages arising from participation in a Club activity that I may have against the Club, the leader or other participants in tort or contract. I acknowledge that I will take responsibility for	

my own actions and will help others to complete the activity safely.

#### **Privacy Statement**

SBC Inc. is bound by the Privacy Act 1988. This policy only allows personal details on this form such as phone number, email and address to be made available to leaders and other club members for purposes directly associated with club administration and activities. I agree with this statement.

### **Application:**

I have read and understood the information about the requirements for membership and hereby apply for ...... to become a Junior Member of the Springwood Bushwalking Club.

I understand that a junior member must be accompanied by a responsible adult on club activities.

Name and/or Signature:		
Signature of Parent or Responsible Adult:		
Date:		

#### Notes:

- 1. Please complete one form for each person applying and bring with the relevant fees to a club meeting (or scan and send to membership@springwoodbushwalker.org.au).
- 2. Once you reach the age of 18 you must apply to become a Prospective Member, and follow the standard process to become a full adult member of the Club.
- 3. At the discretion of the Committee, the Prospective Member process may be completed at an earlier age, giving you full membership rights, including the right to lead walks.
- 4. Meetings are held in Springwood on the first Monday of each month. See the website for details.
- 5. Contact the Membership Secretary if you have any queries