

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT AND INDEMNITY

The term 'bushwalking' where used herein includes but is in no way limited to - all manner of track and off track walking, creek walking, creek swimming, rock hopping, canoeing, cycling, bush camping, abseiling, and similar or incidental activities.

I acknowledge that when I am participating in any activity of the Sunshine Coast Bushwalkers Inc. ('the Club') I am doing so of my own free will in all aspects and as such I accept all responsibility for loss of property, bodily injury or death to me however it may occur.

I acknowledge that my participation in these activities may expose me to hazards and risks that could lead to injury, illness or death or to loss of or damage to my property. In particular when participating in abseiling or above the snow line activities I am aware that I may be exposed to additional hazards and risks. Despite such dangers I have chosen, of my own free will, to engage in bushwalking.

I will make all reasonable effort to avoid or minimise these risks by; only participating in activities within my capabilities, carrying equipment and enough food and water appropriate for the activity, and advising the leader if I am taking any medication or have any physical or other limitation that might affect my participation in such activity.

The Club is not liable or otherwise responsible to me for any injury or illness I suffer or sustain when bushwalking nor for the consequences of such injury or illness.

No member of the Club (be they past, present or future) is personally liable or otherwise responsible for any such injury or illness suffered or sustained by me when I am taking part in any bushwalking arranged by, or on behalf of, the Club or otherwise arranged in connection with the Club, nor the consequences of such injury or illness.

If I am accompanied when so bushwalking by any person under the age of 18 years ('a child') I shall exercise all reasonable care and guidance to ensure that he or she is not injured or otherwise harmed and hereby indemnify the Club and its members of any costs it or they sustain incidental to any legal proceedings or other claim whatsoever made against them either jointly or severally by or on behalf of such child.

I acknowledge that the payment of my renewal subscription will be deemed as full acceptance and understanding of the above.