

# **NEWCASTLE RAMBLERS BUSHWALKING CLUB INC.**

## **MEMBERS RISK WAIVER AGREEMENT**

The activities of the Newcastle Ramblers Bushwalking Club are varied and of differing degrees of difficulty and risk. Activities can include but are not limited to bushwalking, bike riding, rafting, canoeing, swimming and canoeing.

In voluntarily participating in any activity of the Newcastle Ramblers Bushwalking Club I am aware that I may be exposed to risks that could lead to injury, illness or death or to loss of, or damage to my property. Those 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.

To minimize these risks I will endeavour to ensure:

That any activity in which I participate is within my capabilities and that I am carrying food, water and equipment and wearing clothing and footwear appropriate for the activity. I agree to advise the activity leader if I am taking any medication or have any physical or other limitations that might affect my participation in the activity.

I will make every effort to remain with the rest of the party during the activity and accept the instructions of the leader of the activity.

I have read or heard and understand these requirements; I have considered the risks before choosing to agree to these requirements. I still wish to participate in the activities of Newcastle Ramblers Bushwalking Club. I agree by signing this form to waive any claim for damages arising from these activities that I may have against the Club, the leader or other participants in tort or contract.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

PRINT NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_