



CHILDREN ATTENDING WALKS

Membership of WEA Ramblers Sydney is restricted to people over 18.

Walk leaders MAY, and entirely at their discretion, allow a person under 18 to join their walk as a Temporary Member providing all the following conditions are satisfied:

- The parent/carer has contacted the walk leader *prior* to the day of the walk to discuss its suitability, and their child's ability to complete it without difficulty.
- Having had the discussion with the parent/carer, the walk leader is happy for the
 young person to join their walk. The leader is under no obligation at all to accept
 any visitor (including a young person) if they do not feel it is suitable,
 appropriate, or they simply do not wish to do so. The Club will back the Leader's
 decision on this in all cases.
- The parent or legal guardian has completed *Attendance Sheet for a Child: Acknowledgement of Risks and Obligations* in advance, signs, and brings it with them to hand to the leader <u>before</u> the walk starts. This form must be downloaded by the parent from the Ramblers' website (www.wearamblers.org.au). Walk leaders will not carry spare forms with them, as prior completion and signature is essential.
- The parent/carer is responsible for the supervision of the under 18 person throughout the walk.