



Supervision of Children (Minor) Policy

Macedon Ranges Running Club is a social, long distance, non-competitive running club. Club members run for a variety of reasons and at a variety of speeds.

As a club we are committed to ensuring a high standard of safety for all our members. The following conditions are in place for children under the age of 11 participating with the club:

- A child under the age of 11, must be supervised throughout a run or walk activity by a parent, guardian, or other designated adult of the parent's choice.
- The designated adult of the parent's choice is preferably not a run leader.
- For the purposes of this policy, a child under the age of 11 is referred to as a 'minor' and a parent, guardian or other designated adult of the parent's choice is referred to as 'supervising adult'.
- Leaders of the Branch must be made aware of the supervising adult prior to a run/walk.
- During a run/walk, minors are the sole responsibility of the supervising adult.
- The supervising adult must remain close to the minor and be able to always see and hear the minor.
- If a minor injures themselves and cannot complete a run/walk, they must remain accompanied by the supervising adult.
- The supervising adult must ensure minors adhere to all club policies.
- Minors must be covered by an active membership (Family or Individual membership) regardless of age if participating with the club on runs/walks. For Example- minors travelling in prams or riding along on bikes with club members.