

St Albans Volunteer Rural Bushfire Brigade
PIONEER Trail Run, K9 Trail Run, WEE WOOFA Trail Run

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

*These Terms and Conditions are dated and may be changed at any time.
Please review just prior to race day.*

All participants must print and fill in the form on the last page to be handed in to the Registration Desk, acknowledging that they have read and accepted the following:

1. Participants and visitors must show respect for event officials, the environment, landowners, local communities and other recreational users.
2. Make sure that you are wearing your bib and timing transponder at all times during the race. Bibs and timers must not be exchanged with other participants and must be returned after the race.
3. Participants running with dogs must bring a supply of poop bags (extras may be obtained at the Fire Shed). Always keep your litter with you and dispose of it in the bins provided around the course and in the village.
4. Each race will have a different colour code; please stick to the marked coded tracks.

5. COVID-19

- a. Race applicants whose address lies within any NSW Government designated COVID-19 hotspot on the day of the event must report to the COVID Safety Desk for advice prior to registration. Applicants who fail to comply may face immediate withdrawal as per the Event COVID Safety Plan.
 - b. Race participants must report to the COVID Safety Desk for a temperature check prior to attending the Registration Desk. Any participant who feels unwell must report to the designated Medic for assessment.
 - c. All participants waiting in queues must comply with the Safe Physical Distancing requirements of the Event COVID Safety Plan.
 - d. All participants must comply with any instruction from a COVID Safety Marshall.
6. Participants are to notify the designated Medic at the St Albans Fire Shed of any significant medical history (e.g. asthma, diabetes etc). Participants are strongly encouraged to take out personal accident cover with an accredited health provider.
 7. Participants must be prepared to comply with on or off course medical advice (including immediate withdrawal if recommended).
 8. No outside assistance to participants or dogs is allowed during the event.
 9. Participants and visitors must cooperate with event officials at all times.
 10. Winners will be determined by the fastest time. First, second and third places will be awarded for human Male and Female competitors for all three races.
 11. The Event Director's decision is final.

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12. Runners are expected to assist participants who have injured themselves. In an emergency, ask another runner to go for help. If you come across an injured runner/canine, provide assistance and ask a fellow runner to inform race officials at the next checkpoint.
13. Sweeper teams will be clearing the course behind the last runners. If you are still on the course, these sweepers will assist you in case of emergency or injury.
14. All dogs must be on a lead at **ALL times** and the owner must take responsibility to pick up any doggy poo on the racecourse or in the St Albans village local area.
15. Tickets are non-refundable, nor can they be transferred; however substitute participant details may be submitted at least 3 days before the event for consideration by event officials (subject to these Terms & Conditions).
16. All photos and videos taken on the day are the property of St Albans Volunteer Rural Bushfire Brigade and by accepting these terms and conditions, you consent to usage of these media. If for legal reasons you cannot have photos of your children published, please advise at the Registration desk.
17. Anyone in good health can enter the PIONEER, K9, or WEE WOOFA Trail Runs. Children aged 5 years and under run for free and a parent/guardian must accompany children aged 12 years and under at all times on the course. Participants aged 17 years and under must have a parent/guardian sign acceptance of these Terms & Conditions on their behalf.
18. Dogs must be fully vaccinated (including C5 as they may be sharing drinking troughs) to take part in the K9 and WEE WOOFA Trail Runs. If you are unsure whether your dog will be able to complete the K9 or WEE WOOFA Trail Runs, please seek veterinary advice prior to registering for the event. If your dog has recently had an operation, you should also seek advice from a veterinarian.
19. What canine safety information do I need to be aware of to take part in the St Albans K9, or WEE WOOFA Trail Runs?
 - a. It is vital that all participants, both two and four legged have a safe and enjoyable experience at the event. For dogs to take part, they must:
 - i. be fully vaccinated (including C5) and registered
 - ii. have had a flea, worming and tick treatment based on the recommendations of the product used
 - iii. be on a leash at all times
 - iv. be reasonably fit and exercised regularly in the lead up to the event
 - v. be socialized and non-aggressive to people and other dogs
 - vi. be wearing a collar with an identification tag
 - vii. not be "In Season"
 - viii. not be a declared dangerous or menacing breed

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- b. The K9 and WEE WOOFA Trail Runs are human and dog only races. Please do not bring any other type of animal to the event.
20. What should I bring to the event?
- a. Containers of water for humans and hounds, including portable bowls for your pooch
 - b. Comfortable walking/running shoes
 - c. A raincoat if necessary
 - d. Sunscreen, and some for your pooch too - do not forget the nose!
 - e. We recommend sunglasses and a hat
 - f. Money to buy food and to purchase merchandise and other cool dog gear on sale at the event
 - g. Poop bags to pick up after your pooches
21. All participants will enter their chosen race at their own risk. St Albans Volunteer Rural Bush Fire Brigade does not except any responsibility for any injuries to human or canine participants nor damage to or loss of belongings or equipment.
22. Changes, postponement, or cancellation due to forecast bad weather or other factors will be determined, if possible, between 7 to 2 days before the event.
23. In the event of an Extreme Weather Alert issued by the BOM, the race may be postponed to the following year and all tickets held until then.
24. Race planning has proceeded in line with existing requirements of COVID-19 restrictions. If the situation changes and compliance with updated restrictions will seriously impede or prevent the race from going ahead, it will be postponed until the following year and all tickets held until then.
25. Acknowledgement and acceptance of these Terms and Conditions is confirmed in the form on the next page.

Please fill out the form on the next page and
bring with you to the Registration Desk on the day.

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To complete Registration, participants are to bring a copy of the most recent version of this page completed and signed, plus any Microchip Information & Vaccination Certificates, to the Registration desk.

I acknowledge that I have read and accept these Terms & Conditions.

Participant	Parent/Guardian <small>(if participant is 17 years or younger)</small>
Participant's Full Name <hr/>	Parent/Guardian's Full Name <hr/>
Participant's Signature (over 17) <hr/>	Parent/Guardian's Signature <hr/>
Date ____ / ____ / ____	Date ____ / ____ / ____

Participating Dogs

I confirm that these dogs have had all specified vaccinations including C5

Name, Breed & Colour <input type="checkbox"/> Large <input type="checkbox"/> Medium <input type="checkbox"/> Small <hr/>	Microchip No. & Vaccinations <hr/>
Name, Breed & Colour <input type="checkbox"/> Large <input type="checkbox"/> Medium <input type="checkbox"/> Small <hr/>	Microchip No. & Vaccinations <hr/>

Office Use Only:

Ticket No: _____ **BIB No:** _____ **Microchipping & Vaccinations verified:** _____