



## NEPEAN DISTRICT HISTORICAL SOCIETY INC.

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### **Rules for Student groups visiting the Arms of Australia Inn Museum**

Teachers and supervisors must ensure you and your students understand these rules before entering the Museum.

These rules are for the benefit of all visitors to the Arms of Australia Inn Museum. Please follow them during your visit. They have been designed to ensure your student's safety and help protect museum objects. They will also help you comply with Department of Education and Training risk assessment guidelines for excursions.

The museum exhibits many items that would be considered un-safe in today's world. We ask that you take care when you are moving through the museum and only handle items that the tour guide will demonstrate or consent to.

Remember at least one adult must accompany each group of 20 secondary students, or each group of 10 years 3 – 6 students, or each group of ten K-2 students. This adult must always stay with the group and is responsible for the group's behaviour and safety.

- Travel as light as possible. Large bags and valuables should not be brought to the museum. If your students have valuables such as wallets, cameras, phones etc, it is recommended they remove them before placing their bags in the designed cloaking area.
- Be considerate of other visitors to the museum. In particular, avoid blocking major thoroughfares, entry and exit points. NO RUNNING in the museum.
- Make sure shoelaces are tied and take care with floor length clothing.
- Students must not run or climb on displays or exhibits.
- Beware of the sandstone flooring surrounding the main museum as it is uneven and students should take care when walking on this surface.
- No eating or drinking in the museum.
- Most items in the museum can be touched but certain items are marked as Do not Touch.
- Laser pointers are not permitted in the museum.
- Swearing and foul language is not tolerated, and students will be asked to leave.

Please make copies of these rules and ensure all adults have them during the visit. Schools should plan to arrive 5 – 10 minutes early. In the case of delay please contact the museum on (02) 4735 4394.

#### *Booking and Information*

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