

GRAMPIANS PEAKS TRAIL

Walk Victoria's Icons

The career of a lifetime! Care for Country while Sharing your Culture

Parks Victoria, in partnership with Traditional Owners from Gariwerd, are seeking expressions of interest from Gariwerd Traditional Owners to get involved in an exciting opportunity to become a Gariwerd Ranger on the new Grampians Peaks Trail, with the north section set to open in September 2019.

The six successful Gariwerd Rangers will guide visitors on overnight walks across Country.

You will be provided with on the job training commencing March 2019 and start guiding walks in September.

About the Grampians Peaks Trail and the Edge of Gariwerd Walk

The Grampians Peaks Trail® will be 160 km long. Walkers will be able to complete it in sections or as one 13-day journey. It will provide visitors with an unforgettable experience of the rugged landscape with great views across the mountain range, and opportunities to learn about local traditional cultures.

The *Edge of Gariwerd* will be a guided three-day walk from Dead Bullock Creek to Halls Gap, staying overnight on the trail.

As a Gariwerd Ranger, you will help visitors to experience Country through your eyes. You'll have the opportunity to share your cultural knowledge, including the importance of rock art and caring for Country.

Partnered with another ranger, you will guide between 8-14 visitors on the Walk.

You will also help to prepare basic food for your group and settle them into camp accommodation.



As a Gariwerd Ranger, you will:

- Be passionate about caring for Country and sharing culture
- Enjoy interacting with people
- Love being in the outdoors
- Be a team player who can work with others and help solve problems
- Approach tasks with safety in mind
- Maintain a good level of fitness
- Be reliable and able to work long hours balanced with time off.

Perks of the job

Full-time, part-time and casual ongoing positions will be available. You will have six months paid training, including completion of an accredited qualification, before commencing guiding work. You will be given flexible work arrangements ensuring you can balance travel, family and work responsibilities.

As a first step, you are invited to come out on Country to learn more about the job and ask any questions. Please register your interest by undertaking one of the following by 5 February:

➤ Visit

www.parks.vic.gov.au/grampians-peaks-trail to complete the registration form.

➤ Phone or email

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