



Swimmer and Parent Code of Conduct Agreement

The goal of our swim team is to create an environment of respect, encouragement, and hard work, where all athletes and families contribute to the success of the program. This Code of Conduct outlines the expectations for both swimmers and parents. By signing this agreement, both swimmers and parents commit to maintaining the highest standards of behavior and integrity.

Swimmer Code of Conduct

As a swimmer, I agree to:

1. Respect and Sportsmanship:

- Treat my coaches, teammates, competitors, and officials with respect and kindness at all times.
- Follow all instructions and feedback given by my coach and team leaders.
- Be a positive role model for younger swimmers and teammates.

2. Commitment and Effort:

- Arrive on time for all practices and competitions, ready to participate and give my best effort.
- Maintain a strong work ethic in practice and competition, striving for personal improvement and team success.
- Prioritize good sportsmanship, whether I win or lose, and handle competition with maturity and grace.

3. Behavior and Attitude:

- Avoid using inappropriate language or engaging in disruptive behavior during practice, competitions, or team events.
- Follow all team rules and regulations, including safety and dress code policies.
- Uphold the values of teamwork, responsibility, and self-discipline.

4. Communication:

- Communicate openly and respectfully with my coach and teammates.
- Address concerns or problems directly with my coach or team leadership in a professional manner.
- Stay informed about practice schedules, team events, and any other important announcements.

5. Health and Wellness:

- Maintain good physical and mental health, including proper nutrition, hydration, and rest.
- Inform my coach of any injuries or health issues that may affect my training.



Parent Code of Conduct

As a parent, I agree to:

1. Support and Encouragement:

- Encourage my child to do their best while maintaining a positive attitude, regardless of the outcome.
- Support the coach's decisions and trust their expertise in developing my child's athletic abilities.
- Acknowledge that positive reinforcement and constructive feedback are vital to my child's development.

2. Respect and Sportsmanship:

- Show respect for the coaches, officials, and other families, both in practice and during competitions.
- Refrain from criticizing or speaking negatively about coaches, officials, or other swimmers publicly, especially during meets or practices. This includes gossip and uncivil behavior.
- Model good sportsmanship and respect for all competitors, treating every swimmer with dignity.

3. Communication:

- Keep open and respectful lines of communication with the coaches. If I have concerns, I will schedule a private meeting or phone call with the coach.
- Avoid discussing my child's performance or any team-related issues with coaches during practice sessions or competitions.

4. Commitment and Responsibility:

- Ensure that my child arrives on time for practice and competitions, and is prepared with the necessary equipment (e.g., swim gear, food, etc.).
- Understand that my child's participation in the sport is a joint commitment, and I will support their involvement with transportation, attendance, and engagement in team activities.
- Respect team rules and policies, including the financial and logistical responsibilities related to competitions and events.
- Ensure that payment for meet fees and swim membership fees are made by due dates. Timely payments are essential for maintaining our program.

5. Role in the Team Environment:

- Encourage a positive team atmosphere by fostering good relationships with other parents and swimmers.
- Volunteer for team events or fundraising activities, as needed, to help the program succeed.
- Be understanding that the coach's role is to develop swimmers to the best of their abilities, and my role is to provide support for my child's growth and development as an athlete.



Consequences of Violating the Code of Conduct:

Swimmer Violations:

- If a swimmer violates the code of conduct, they may be subject to disciplinary action, which may include a warning, temporary suspension, or removal from practice or competition.

Parent Violations:

- If a parent's behavior violates this code, it may result in a warning or restriction of attendance at practices or meets. Further violations may lead to the termination of their child's participation in any Maverick Aquatics Activities.

Code of Conduct will be enforced by Maverick Aquatics Coaches and Staff.

Acknowledgment:

By signing below, I acknowledge that I have read and understand the Swimmer and Parent Code of Conduct of Maverick Aquatics. I agree to adhere to these expectations and will help foster a positive, respectful, and supportive environment.

Swimmer's Name: _____

Group: _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Parent's Name: _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____