



TEAM CODE OF CONDUCT: PARENTS

The purpose of MACM's code of conduct for parents is to establish consistent expectations for behavior by parents. As a parent/guardian, I understand the important growth and developmental support that my child's participation fosters. I also understand that it is essential to provide the coaching staff with respect and the authority to coach the team. I agree with the following statements:

- I will set the right example for our children by demonstrating sportsmanship and always showing respect and common courtesy to the team members, coaches, competitors, officials, parents, and all facilities.
- I will get involved by volunteering, observing practices, cheering at meets, and talking with my child and their coach about their progress.
- I will **refrain from coaching my child** from the stands during practices or meets.
- I understand that criticizing, name-calling, use of abusive language or gestures directed toward coaches, officials, volunteers, and/or any participating swimmer will not be tolerated.
- I will **respect the integrity of the officials**.
- I will **direct my concerns to first, to the swimmer's coach**; then, if not satisfied, to the appropriate supervisor.

I understand the above expectations and that my failure to adhere to them may result in disciplinary action.

Name: _____

Signature(s) _____

Date _____

Swimmer Name: _____