

## **Sheridan Swim Team Cell Phone Policy**

- Cell phone usage is only allowed in the main floor lobby of Sheridan Swim Club. This includes the use of the camera and video functions, and because of privacy concerns, swimmers who violate this rule are subject to dismissal from the team.
- Cell phones and other mobile devices with recording capabilities, including voice recording, still cameras and video cameras are not allowed into locker rooms in any capacity even while stored in bags and lockers. If a cell phone will be at practice with the swimmer, it must be stored on-deck in the provided area.

\*IF THE SAFETY OR PRIVACY OF ANOTHER SWIMMER IS AT RISK BECAUSE OF THE VIOLATION, SST MAY INVOLVE LAW ENFORCEMENT FOR INVESTIGATIVE PURPOSES AND FILE A REPORT WITH SAFESPORT/USA SWIMMING. IMMEDIATE DISMISSAL FROM THE TEAM MAY OCCUR AS A RESULT\*

### **USA SWIMMING POLICY: USE OF CELL PHONES AND OTHER MOBILE RECORDING DEVICES**

Cell phones and other mobile devices with recording capabilities, including voice recording, still cameras and video cameras increase the risk for different forms of misconduct in locker rooms and changing areas.

The USA Swimming Athlete Protection Policies prohibit the use of such devices in the locker room or other changing area: 305.3 Use of audio or visual recording devices, including a cell phone camera, is not allowed in changing areas, rest rooms or locker rooms.