



## MAC COACH CODE OF CONDUCT

The purpose of this code of conduct is to establish common expectations for all Monocacy Aquatic Club (MAC) coaches. It is to be used as a guide to promote a positive team environment and good sportsmanship.

- Conduct yourself in an appropriate, professional manner that represents the core values, mission, and vision of MAC.
- Hold swimmers accountable to the MAC Mission and core values.
  Interact with parents, coaches, swimmers, and families in a respectful and productive manner.
- Be a leader/mentor by setting an example of behavior, work ethic and attitude.
  Your decisions at MAC must be made in the best interest of the team and swimmers.
- Always place the well-being, health, and safety of swimmers above all other considerations, including developing performance.
- Always maintain professional separation between coach, athlete, and families.
- Do not make negative or disparaging comments about other teams, swimmers, officials or meet personnel.
- Do not engage in unfounded gossip and rumors about MAC or other teams. When in doubt, ask the head coach.
- Act in accordance with all required athlete protection, Safe Sport guidelines and codes of conduct as set forth by USA Swimming and MAC.
- Continue to learn and grow as a coach and teacher by seeking professional development opportunities.

I understand the above expectations. Violations of this code of conduct will be addressed by the head coach or MAC Board of Directors as necessary.

Signature		
Printed Name		
Date		