



MAC PARENT CODE OF CONDUCT

The purpose of a code of conduct for parents is to establish consistent expectations for behavior by parents. As a parent/guardian, I understand the important growth and development that my child's participation in Monocacy Aquatic Club (MAC) 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:

- Parents play a vital role in their child's swimming development. This includes love, encouragement, safety, transportation, nutrition and overall health and wellbeing.
- I understand that the MAC coaching staff is responsible for all coaching, stroke development and training. This is not my role as a parent.
- I will be involved with MAC through volunteering, cheering at meets and setting an example for all MAC swimmers through my behavior and attitude.
- During practices I will honor the importance of the coach/swimmer relationship and allow my swimmer to be an independent, responsible member of MAC.
- I will conduct myself in an appropriate manner that represents the core values, mission, and vision of MAC.
- I will not make negative or disparaging comments about other teams, swimmers, officials or meet personnel.
- I will not engage in unfounded gossip or rumors about MAC or other teams. When in doubt, ask a coach.
- All questions and concerns will be directed first to your swimmer's group coach, then the head coach, and finally the MAC Board President.

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

Signature

Printed Name

Date