

#### WHAT IS SAFE SPORT?

Safe Sport is an initiative designed to foster a fun, healthy, and safe environment for our athletes to compete and train. Safe Sport's goal is to Prevent and Respond to abuse and misconduct.

### REPORTING INFORMATION

"Where do I report?"

Raleigh Swimming Association Safe Sport Representative:

Laura Hubbard (919-271-8163) laura.hubbard@swimrsa.org

**Other Reporting Contacts:** 

USA Swimming Safe Sport Staff (719)866-4578 <u>safesport@usaswimming.org</u>

Safe Sport Reporting Information <a href="http://www.usaswimming.org/report">http://www.usaswimming.org/report</a>

• US Center for Safe Sport (720) 531-0340 <a href="https://safesport.i-sight.com/portal">https://safesport.i-sight.com/portal</a>

• US Center for Safe Sport "Incident Reporting Form" <a href="https://safesport.i-sight.com/portal">https://safesport.i-sight.com/portal</a>

• FIND MORE INFORMATION: <a href="http://www.uscenterforsafesport.org">http://www.uscenterforsafesport.org</a>

#### **5 TIPS FOR PARENTS**

(By USA SWIMMING)

# 1) GET EDUCATED:

Education is the most important tool for combatting misconduct. Look for resources that can help you understand how abuse occurs and what you can do about it.

# 2) CREATE HEALTHY BOUNDARIES:

It's important to establish healthy boundaries between athletes and coaches and have clear expectations about the coach's role. A coach is a teacher & mentor, not a friend or peer.

## 3) IDENTIFY & ADDRESS HIGH RISK AREAS:

For misconduct to take place, an offender needs privacy, access, and control. Some high-risk areas include travel, locker rooms & electronic communication.

# 4) SPEAK UP:

If you recognize questionable behaviors, say something! TAC Titans designated representative is Claire Donahue. Contact her at: cdonahue@tactitans.org.

# 5) TALK TO YOUR KIDS!:

Physical & sexual misconduct can be a hard topic for parents to talk about with their children. Having these conversations is extremely important in helping your child from becoming a victim of abuse.

## **RESOURCES**

SAFE SPORT ACTIVITY BOOK (Ages 6-11)

https://www.teamunify.com/nctac/\_\_doc\_\_/safe-sport-activity-book-sp18%20(1).pdf

TRAINING FOR PARENTS & ATHLETES

http://www.usaswimming.org/learn

**US CENTER FOR SAFE SPORT** 

http://www.uscenterforsafesport.org

**USA SWIMMING SAFE SPORT** 

https://www.usaswimming.org/Home/safe-sport

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