

FYF PARENT CODE OF CONDUCT

The purpose of a code of conduct for parents is to establish clear and consistent expectations for parental behavior. 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. By my electronic consent to this code of conduct, I agree to the following statements:

- ☐ I will set the right example for our children by demonstrating sportsmanship and showing respect and common courtesy to all team members, coaches, competitors, officials, parents, and all facility personnel at all times.
- ☐ I will get involved by volunteering, cheering at meets, and discussing my child's progress with their coach.
- ☐ 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 first to the coaching staff; then, if not satisfied, to the appropriate YMCA employee.
- ☐ ***Parents who display sexist, racist, homophobic, or other inappropriate behavior will face consequences.***

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