

Our MAKO Coaches will be reviewing the following Swimmer Code of Conduct at the beginning of the season with <u>ALL</u> <u>11&over swimmers</u>. Acceptance of this Code of Conduct indicates that you have reviewed the following with your MAKO 11 & older swimmer.

The mission of the Mason MAKOS Swim Team is to foster swimming as a fun, lifelong activity in a family-oriented environment. To support this mission, the Mason MAKOS Swim Team (the "Team") holds the following **expectations** of all swimmers:

- ❖ Swimmers will not use social media to degrade, demean, or attack any person, team or organization.
- Swimmers will not use derogatory language or distribute material that is of a sexual, racist, obscene, or profane nature.
- Swimmers will not engage in illegal or inappropriate behavior that would detract from a positive image of the Team or be detrimental to performance objectives.
- Swimmers will not possess or use alcohol or tobacco products during any Team activity including, but not limited to, meets, practices and/or social functions.
- Swimmers will not participate in and/or condone bullying in any way, shape or form in accordance with USA Swimming's Anti Bullying Policy.
- ❖ Swimmers will display proper respect and sportsmanship towards coaches, officials, administrators, teammates, fellow competitors, and the public at all times.
- ❖ Swimmers will represent the Team in a positive manner at all times.
- Swimmers will not engage in inappropriate physical contact or assault during any Team activity.

If the above expectations are not met, swimmers may be subject to the following:

- Disqualification from one or more Team activities;
- Disqualification from future Team travel meets;
- Termination of participation in any of the above listed Team activities and immediate return home at the expense of the Swimmer; and/or
- Dismissal from the Team.