



## **Photo & Video Policy**

Flashes Aquatics will use photos of athletes, families, and coaches to promote Flashes Aquatics and its activities in online media. A written request to exclude your athlete from any photos used can be provided to Flashes Aquatics (see below). Families are responsible to provide a written request to exclude your athlete.

When using photographs or videos of athletes we will adhere to the following guidelines:

All photographs and videos must observe generally accepted standards of decency in particular:

- Action shots should be a celebration of the sporting activity and not a sexualized image in a sporting context.
- Action shots should not be taken or retained where the photograph reveals a torn or displaced swimsuit.
- Photographs should not be taken from behind swimming blocks at the start of a race or exhibit a child climbing out of the swimming pool.
- Photographs should not be taken in locker-rooms or bathrooms.





## Refusal to have child photographed notification form:

Flashes Aquatics may wish to take photographs (individual and in groups) of swimmers under the age of 18 that may include your child during their membership in the club. All photos will be taken and published in line with club policy. The club requires parental consent to take and use photographs.

Parents have a right to refuse agreement to their child being photographed. I will not allow the following As the parent/caregiver of Take photographs to use on the club's secure website Consent given Consent refused Take photographs to include with newspaper articles Consent given Consent refused Take photographs to use on club notice boards Consent given Consent refused Video for training purposes only Consent given Consent refused Signed:

Please return this form to: Flashes Aquatics Club President, Board Member, or Club Manager