

SWIM TEAM CODE OF CONDUCT

I UNDERSTAND THAT IT IS AN HONOR AND A PRIVILEGE TO REPRESENT MY SWIM TEAM. THEREFORE, I AGREE AT ALL TIMES TO CONDUCT MYSELF APPROPRIATELY AND HONORABLY AND TO CONFORM TO THE FOLLOWING CODE OF CONDUCT, WHILE REPRESENTING THE TEAM.

- I AGREE TO CONDUCT MYSELF IN AN EXEMPLARY MANNER.
- I RECOGNIZE THAT THE REPUTATION OF THE TEAM IS AFFECTED BY MY CONDUCT AND BEHAVIOR.

IN ORDER TO FACILITATE A PLEASANT AND SAFE EXPERIENCE FOR ALL PARTICIPANTS, TO FOSTER TEAM UNITY AND SPIRIT, AND TO ENHANCE THE REPUTATION OF THE TEAM, I WILL DO THE FOLLOWING:

- CONFORM TO ALL RULES, REGULATIONS AND PROCEDURES ANNOUNCED BY THE COACHES AND TEAM REP.
- OFFER CONGRATULATIONS TO MY OPPONENTS, WIN OR LOSE, AND CHEER ON MY TEAMMATES.
- ACT AND CONDUCT MYSELF WITH DIGNITY AND WITH RESPECT FOR OTHERS AND THE PROPERTY OF OTHERS.
- DRESS IN TEAM UNIFORMS DURING COMPETITION.
- BE HUMBLE IN VICTORY AND COURAGEOUS IN DEFEAT.
- ALWAYS TEACH AND PRACTICE GOOD SPORTSMANSHIP.
- PROMOTE POSITIVE HIGH TEAM SPIRIT AND MORALS.
- COMPETE/PARTICIPATE IN ALL OF MY EVENTS TO THE BEST OF MY ABILITY.
- PUT FORTH MAXIMUM EFFORT AT PRACTICES AND SET A POSITIVE EXAMPLE FOR MY FELLOW TEAMMATES.
- HONOR THE RULES SET BY THE COACHING STAFF AT MEETS AND PRACTICES.
- BE ON TIME FOR PRACTICES, MEET WARM-UPS AND OTHER DESIGNATED TEAM FUNCTIONS.
- STAY WITH THE TEAM DURING MEETS (FOR THE ENTIRE MEET) AND NOT BRING FRIENDS, RELATIVES, GIRLFRIENDS, OR BOYFRIENDS INTO THE TEAM AREA.

I FURTHER ACKNOWLEDGE THAT THE FOLLOWING CONDUCT IS UNACCEPTABLE AND WILL NOT BE TOLERATED:

- POSSESSION OR USE OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES, CHEMICAL OR ILLEGAL DRUGS.
- CAUSING OR THREATENING TO CAUSE PHYSICAL HARM TO ANYONE.
- INAPPROPRIATE OR UNSUPERVISED ACTIVITIES BETWEEN GROUP MEMBERS.

I UNDERSTAND THAT VIOLATING ANY OF THESE RULES MAY RESULT IN IMMEDIATE DISCIPLINARY ACTION, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO, THE FOLLOWING:

- REMOVAL FROM PRACTICE
- REMOVAL FROM COMPETITION
- SUSPENSION FROM THE TEAM
- DISMISSAL FROM THE TEAM

I UNDERSTAND THAT THE JUDGMENT OF THE COACHING STAFF AND THE TEAM REP WILL PREVAIL IN ANY DISCIPLINARY ACTION THAT ARISES.

I PLEDGE TO ABIDE BY THE SWIM TEAM CODE OF CONDUCT.

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