

## Parent Code of Conduct

The purpose of a code of conduct for parents is to establish consistent expectations for behavior by parents. 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.

As an parent member of the Red Dragon Swimming Club, I will abide by the following guidelines:

### **Practice Conduct**

- I will do my best to have my athletes to practice in a timely manner.
- I will not step on the pool deck during practice so coaches can conduct a quality practice.
- I will notify the Head Coach if we will be taking a month off from the team in a timely manner.

### **Team Conduct**

- I will set the right example for our children by demonstrating sportsmanship and showing respect and common courtesy at all times to the team members, coaches, competitors, officials, parents and all facilities.
- I will get involved by volunteering, observing practices, cheering at meets, and talking with my child and their coach about their progress.
- I will refrain from coaching my child from the stands during practices and 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 all officials.
- I will direct my concerns to first to the Head Coach of Red Dragon Swimming; then, of not satisfied, to the appropriate supervisor.

### **Signatures**

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

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Parent/Guardian's signature

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Date