



## VICTORY AQUATICS SWIM CLUB



### *Victory Codes of Conduct – Parents*

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*These Codes of Conduct are recommended by USA Swimming and can be found on our web site as well as the USA Swimming web site.*

## **VICTORY CODE OF CONDUCT: PARENTS**

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. I agree with the following statements:

- 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 or meets.
- I will refrain from interrupting the coach during practices or meets. If I need to speak with the coach I will make arrangements after the coach has finished all practices. Coaches can also be contacted via their emails. Coach emails are available on our web site.
- 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.
- If I need to resolve an issue I will file a complaint with the Head Coach and/or General Manager for conflict resolution. If all else fails I also have the option of filing an official Complaint with the Board of Directors. The Complaint form is on the web.

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