

JAWS PARENTS CODE OF CONDUCT

Jasper Aquatic Wildcats, Inc. has adopted the following Parent Code of Conduct for the important message it holds about the proper role of parents in supporting their child in swimming. Any parent guilty of improper conduct at any meet or practice will be asked to leave the sports facility. Repeat violations may result in being denied the privilege of attending meets or the removal of the swimmer from our program. Each parent must read the code and sign and date below.

As a parent, I agree to the following:

1. I will not force my child to participate in swimming.
2. I will remember that swimming is for the child's enjoyment and well-being, not for my satisfaction in the child's success.
3. I will learn the fundamentals of swimming and encourage my child in a positive manner.
4. I (and my guests at events) will be a positive role model for my child and encourage sportsmanship by showing respect and courtesy to officials, coaches, swimmers, and other spectators.
5. I (and my guests) will not engage in any kind of unsportsmanlike conduct with any official, coach, player, or parent such as booing and taunting, using profane language or gestures, arguing about results.
6. I will resolve conflict without resorting to hostility or violence.
7. I will encourage my swimmer and other swimmers to do their best and I will do this by positive words and actions.
8. I will respect the officials and their authority during meets and will not question or confront an official. I will also respect coaches and will not confront a coach at a swim meet. If there is a need to have a discussion with a coach, I will speak to coach at an agreed upon time.
9. I will refrain from coaching my child or other children during meets and practices unless I have been appointed as a coach.
10. I understand that if I am in violation of these rules, I will be asked to leave the swim meet or practice. A repeat violation can result in suspension from future meets or even the removal of the swimmer from the program. This will be addressed by the Board of Directors.

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____