



MEMORANDUM FOR RECORD

15 November 2017

SUBJECT: TERRE HAUTE TORPEDOES (THT) CODE OF CONDUCT: ATHLETES

The purpose of a code of conduct for athletes is to establish a consistent expectation for athletes' behavior. By signing this code of conduct, I agree to the following statements:

- I will respect and show courtesy to my teammates and coaches at all times.
- I will demonstrate good sportsmanship at all practices and meets.
- I will set a good example of behavior and work ethic for my younger teammates.
- Team members will display proper respect and sportsmanship toward coaches, officials, administrators, teammates, fellow competitors and the public at all times.
- Team members and staff will refrain from any illegal or inappropriate behavior that would detract from a positive image of the team or be detrimental to its performance objectives.
- I will be respectful of my teammates' feelings and personal space. Swimmers who exhibit sexist, racist, homophobic, or otherwise inappropriate behavior will be faced with consequences.
- I will attend all team meetings and training sessions, unless my coach excuses me.
- I will show respect for all facilities and other property (including locker rooms) used during practices, competitions, and team activities.
- The possession or use of alcohol or tobacco products by any athlete is prohibited.
- The possession, use, or sale/distribution of any controlled or illegal substance or any form of weapon is strictly forbidden.
- I will refrain from foul language, violence, behavior deemed dishonest, offensive, or illegal.
- No "deck changes" are permitted. Athletes are expected to use available change facilities.
- Team members are reminded that when competing in meets, traveling on trips, and attending other meet-related functions, they are representing both themselves and the Terre Haute Torpedoes. Athlete behavior must positively reflect the high standards of the club and the Indiana LSC.
- If I disagree with an official's call, I will talk with my coach and not approach the official directly.
- I will adhere and agree to the Locker Room Monitoring, Travel, Electronic Communications, Photography, and Bullying policies established by THT.
- I will obey all of USA Swimming & Terre Haute Torpedoes rules and codes of conduct.

I understand that if I violate this code of conduct, I will be subject to disciplinary action determined by my coaches and the swim club's board of directors.

Swimmer's signature

Date

Parent's signature

Date