

Topeka Swim Association Parent Code of Conduct

The purpose of a code of conduct 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 also 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 facilities.

___ I will get involved by volunteering, observing practices, cheering at meets, and talking with my child and his/her coach about their progress.

___ I will refrain from coaching my child.

___ 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.

___ I will direct my concerns first to my swimmer's coach, then, if not satisfied, to the appropriate supervisor.

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

Parent/Guardian (1) _____ Date _____

Parent/Guardian (2) _____ Date _____