

Greetings Everyone,

I hope this finds you all well and healthy. During these unprecedented times we must find a way to remember what is truly important in life in hope that it will allow us to remain positive mentally and physically.

I received this yesterday and am very excited to share this wonderful opportunity with you all. This is a fabulous way to help all the clubs achieve one of the more logistically challenging aspects of becoming a Safe Sport Recognized Club.

USA Swimming is excited to announce that starting Wednesday, April 22, USA Swimming Safe Sport staff will be hosting weekly Zoom trainings to help clubs achieve the training requirements of the Safe Sport Club Recognition Program.

Parents and athletes will tune in for the one-hour training where attendance will be taken so their clubs receive credit. There will also be weekly training available to coaches where they will learn more about the Safe Sport Club Recognition program and how to share Safe Sport information with their entire team.

There is no registration required at this time, attendees only need to join the meeting at the links below and come willing to participate and learn.

Training's will be held weekly starting April 22<sup>nd</sup> and every meeting will be held from 3:00-4:00pm EST (1:00 – 2:00pm MST).

Wednesday - Parent

Training <https://zoom.us/j/93724361466?pwd=OVF4RFINZFpaMHhqSEVVRGwzbmpQUT09>

Thursday - Athlete

Training <https://zoom.us/j/97633664936?pwd=YnpXZmljME5PcldacW9ZQ0w5YTFIZz09>

Friday - Coach

Training <https://zoom.us/j/98698656108?pwd=NzQ5TGdjWkRDc0lrc9tWHpJL1hkQT09>

I understand that tonight's parent training might be a challenge to attend but hopefully you can get the word out for next weeks. These trainings would be a great opportunity for some virtual team bonding. Have your athletes and parents attend the training's and then schedule a zoom call for some team bonding activities Safe Sport style.

Alongside all of the hard work that you all are doing, I hope this will be another resource to assist in our goal of getting every Snake River Team being Safe Sport Recognized.

As always please reach out with any questions and let me know if there is anything I can do to help. I am still waiting to hear back from some of you on the names of your Safe Sport Team Parent and athletes. Please get me those as soon as possible. I am anxious to hear how you are all coming along in the process.

Take care and stay healthy!

Fondly,

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