

Elizabethtown Aquatic Club

Parent Code of Conduct

As a parent of a swimmer and member of the Elizabethtown Aquatic Club, I will abide by the following guidelines:

- I. Practice *teamwork* with all parents, swimmers and coaches by supporting the values of *Sportsmanship, Loyalty, Commitment and Hard Work*.
- II. As a parent, I will not coach or instruct the team or any swimmer (from the stands or any other area) or interfere with coaches on the pool deck.
- III. Demonstrate good sportsmanship by conducting myself in a manner that earns the respect of my child, other swimmers, parents, officials and the coaches at meets and practices.
- IV. Maintain self-control at all times. Know my role.

Swimmers – Swim
Coaches – Coach
Officials – Officiate
Parents – Parent

- V. As a parent, I understand that criticizing, name-calling, use of abusive language or gestures directed toward the coaches, officials, and/or any participating swimmer will not be permitted or tolerated.
- VI. Enjoy involvement with the Elizabethtown Aquatic Club by supporting the swimmers, coaches and other parents with positive communication and actions.
- VII. During competitions, questions or concerns regarding decisions made by meet officials are directed to a member of our coaching staff. Parents address officials via the coaching staff only.

Sanctions. Should I conduct myself in such a way that brings discredit or discord to the Elizabethtown Aquatic Club, or USA Swimming, I voluntarily subject myself to disciplinary action. EAC maintains the right to terminate any membership with/without cause in the interest of our vision, mission and objectives.

Signature _____

Date: _____

Print Name _____