



## **Cloverdale Tritons- Parental Code of Conduct**

As a parent of a member of the Cloverdale Tritons these are the expectations we have of you. This is to provide you with a positive working relationship with coaches and other team members. Failure to adhere to these codes of conduct may lead to suspension or dismissal from the club.

Parental Role:

- Set the right example for our swimmers by showing respect and common courtesies at all times to all team members, coaches, other club competitors, officials and parents
- Encourage good sportsmanship and teamwork during all practices, competitions and team functions
- Encourage and support your child by attending and being on time for practices and appropriate competitions
- Encourage and support your child to come to practice prepared with correct swimming gear (suit, goggles, fins, pull buoy, water bottle) and dryland gear (exercise clothes, runners)
- Coaches should be notified if a swimmer is going to be absent
- Recognize that the Triton coaches are professionals and allow them to coach your child without parental interference during workouts and meets (it is not appropriate to be on the deck during practices or communicating with your child during a practice, the swimmer should be focused on their coach)
- If you would like to touch base with a coach please arrange to talk before or after a practice. Swim meets are not an appropriate time to address any concerns.
- If you have any further concerns, address them with the appropriate coach in private at an appropriate time and in a professional manner. Please use our coaches liaison to help set up any meetings
- Your child will be challenged in workouts and swim meets to do their best. We expect parents to support this.
- Make sure you are aware of club policies in the Tritons Member Handbook online and follow the policies
- Regularly check the club notice board(s) and emails and sign up on time for meets and events
- Sit in designated viewing areas at swim meets and practices (not in coaches area)
- Parents are responsible for their swimmers before practice time and after practice time. Parents are responsible for their swimmers during breaks at all swim meets. The coach will coach the swimmers but the parent will be responsible for their swimmers between races at all swim meets.

**Please sign and detach the portion below and submit to club registrar.**

**Please retain the top portion for your reference.**

**Thank you**

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I have read and agree to abide by the Parents code of conduct. I have read and agree to encourage my child to abide by the Swimmers code of conduct

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_