Leamington Spa Amateur Swimming Club



Code of Conduct for Parents

Parents are expected to:

- 1. Complete and return the Medical Information Form as requested by the Club and give details of any health conditions/concerns relevant to your child. Any changes in the state of your child's health should be reported to the coach prior to training sessions. Ensure the Club has up-to-date contact details for you and any alternative person.
- 2. Deliver and collect your child punctually to and from coaching sessions/swim meets. Please inform a member of the committee or coaching staff if there is an unavoidable problem. It is your responsibility to make sure your child arrives on poolside safely before each session. We would like to raise awareness of, and concerns about, swimmers especially young children who are dropped off in the car park and have to make their way to poolside alone, especially before morning training.
- 3. Ensure your child has the correct clothing for the training sessions/events including all the required equipment, ie. hats, goggles, kickboards.
- 4. Inform the coach if your child is to be collected early from a coaching session/meet and, if so, by whom.
- 5. Encourage your child to show respect to the coach, to follow instruction and to obey the rules set down for the squad. It is important that your child knows he/she can only do his/her best.
- 6. Behave responsibly as a spectator at training/meets and treat swimmers, coaches, committee members and parents of your and other clubs with due respect in line with the ASA commitment to equality.
- 7. Ensure you do not use inappropriate language within the Club environment.
- 8. Support your child at all times.
- 9. Ensure your child's nutritional needs are met and listen to advice from the coaches.
- 10. Support the coaches and committee members and raise any concerns you may have in an appropriate manner. Details of the Club Welfare Officer can be found on the website and in your welcome letter.
- 11. Do not enter poolside unless requested to do so or in an emergency. If you wish to have a discussion with the coach, please contact him/her separately. Do not interrupt a coaching session
- 12. Most of all help your child enjoy swimming and achieve his/her potential.

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The Club will:

- 1. Inform you at once if your child is ill and ensure his/her wellbeing until you arrive.
- 2. Ensure good safeguarding guidelines are followed at all times to keep your child safe.
- 3. Ensure all activities are properly supervised, taught and coached.

The parent has a right to:

- 1. Make a complaint to the Club if they believe that someone is not acting in accordance with ASA/Club rules and regulations. Details of the complaint procedure can be obtained from the Club Welfare Officer.
- 2. Make a complaint on behalf of their child to the ASA Office of Judicial Administration.

I agree to adhere to LSASC's Code of Conduct for Parents as detailed above and on www.swimleamington.org

Swimmers Name
Parent Name
Parents Signature
Date

Please return signed slip to LSASC, email address treasurer@swimleamington.org