



PARENT/GUARDIAN CODE OF CONDUCT

The Saskatoon Goldfins Swim Club is committed to providing our athletes with an environment that will enable them to achieve their potential, as well as an environment in which all athletes, coaches, staff and families are treated with courtesy and respect. Members and participants of the Saskatoon Goldfins Swim Club shall conduct themselves at all times in a manner consistent with the Saskatoon Goldfins Swim Club, Swim Sask and Swimming Canada Codes of Conduct, which includes fairness, integrity and mutual respect.

I, the undersigned, hereby commit and contract to comply with the following as a condition of my continued membership with the Saskatoon Goldfins Swim Club. I understand that failing to comply with the contract can result in disciplinary sanctions, including expulsion.

- ☐ I will treat swimmers, other members, staff and officials with respect and courtesy at all times, regardless of their gender, age, ethnic origin, sexual orientation or religion.
- ☐ I will comply with the [Member Code of Conduct and Harassment Policy \(M-3\)](#) set out by Swim Sask Inc. (SSI).
- ☐ I will conduct myself in a manner that reflects favorably on me, the Saskatoon Goldfins Swim Club, its mandate, and programs.
- ☐ I have read and understood the Bully Prevention Policies and Procedures defined in this document, including the definition of bullying, the types of bullying, and the steps that are followed by the Goldfins Swim Club in the event of a bullying incident.
- ☐ I will comply with the Bully Prevention Policies and Procedures defined in this document.
- ☐ I will ensure my swimmer understands and abides by the Saskatoon Goldfins Swim Club Athlete Code of Conduct, including the Bully Prevention Policies and Procedures.
- ☐ I will ensure that comments stated in public concerning the Saskatoon Goldfins Swim Club, coaches, swimmers, other members, Board of Directors, and officials are positive and supportive and will not bring disgrace to the Saskatoon Goldfins Swim Club. This includes but is not limited to all forms of social media.
- ☐ I will contact the President or coach directly if I wish to express a grievance or concern regarding the club and/or my swimmer.
- ☐ I recognize the authority of the Saskatoon Goldfins Swim Club Board of Directors, who were elected to manage the affairs of the Club. If I wish to address the Goldfins Board of Directors I will contact the President.
- ☐ I will not advocate on behalf of the Saskatoon Goldfins Swim Club, represent the Saskatoon Goldfins Swim Club in a public forum, or conduct media interviews on behalf of the Goldfins without Board approval.
- ☐ Coaches are responsible for coaching. Parents are spectators only. I may discuss my swimmer with his/her Squad Coach but will not do so during practice or competitions. Instead, I will set up an appointment or phone call with the coach at a mutually satisfactory time to discuss progress or concerns in private. If the concern is not resolved after meeting with the Squad Coach, please arrange a meeting with the Squad Coach and Head Coach. If the concern is still not resolved, please arrange a meeting with the Head Coach and the President.
- ☐ I will pay all fees/charges fully each monthly billing cycle. Membership privileges may be revoked if accounts are past due more than 60 days.
- ☐ I will purchase a team uniform as specified by the Goldfins Swim Club for my swimmer(s).
- ☐ I will keep my swimmer’s medical information up to date by notifying the Team Manager immediately teammanager@goldfins.ca about any changes to my swimmer’s health and medical condition. I will also notify my swimmer’s coach of any medical information that may be relevant to training or competition (new medications, injuries, illnesses, or conditions).
- ☐ I will adhere to deadlines and policies regarding event sign up for swim meets and/or Saskatoon Goldfins Swim Club functions and register my swimmer’s intent to either attend or decline a meet by the specified cut-off date, on the signed in events tab of the website at www.goldfins.ca.
- ☐ I will officiate at the specified number of required shifts at all Saskatoon Goldfins Swim Club hosted swim meets or be penalized according to the [Officiating Requirements](#), and will register for one Officials Training Clinic per year as offered to a minimum of a level 3.
- ☐ I will participate in the compulsory fundraisers as set out by the Club.
- ☐ For transfers in from other swim clubs, I hereby provide consent to the Saskatoon Goldfins Swim Club Board of Directors/Coaching staff to contact my swimmer’s previous clubs and provide consent to my swimmer’s previous clubs to discuss membership history.
- ☐ I understand that the Saskatoon Goldfins Swim Club reserves the right to refuse membership.

I, the undersigned, have read, understand and agree to comply with the Saskatoon Goldfins Swim Club Parent/Guardian Code of Conduct and the Member Code of Conduct and Harassment Policy.

Parent or Guardian

Date