

Safety Council Code of Conduct

Park Woods Piranhas 2014 Swim Season

<u>Values</u>	Be Kind, Work Hard
<i>Teamwork:</i>	We work together to achieve our team goals and support each other in achieving individual goals.
<i>Respect:</i>	We respect ourselves and others and embrace our diversity
<i>Accountability:</i>	We hold ourselves and each other accountable for our words and our actions.
<i>Integrity:</i>	We have a high regard for truth, play according to the rules, strive to act in ethical ways and are sincere in our actions.
<i>Humility:</i>	We are grateful for our opportunities and mindful that our participation in athletics is a privilege and not an entitlement.
<i>Sportsmanship:</i>	We are gracious competitors regardless of the final score and conduct ourselves with dignity in victory, under pressure and in the face of adversity.

Swimmers

1. Play fairly and follow the rules and regulations.
2. Be respectful of authority including coaches, team representatives, parent volunteers and league officials.
3. Be a good sport before, during and after practices and meets.
4. Be courteous to opposing teams.
5. Be modest when you win and gracious when you lose.
6. Properly use and protect the equipment and facilities.
7. Refrain from cursing or other abusive language and the use of performance enhancing or mind altering drugs including alcohol and tobacco.
8. Abide by the dress code. (one-piece style swim suit for girls, jammers or speedo style swim trunks for boys at practice & meets)
9. Be responsible for your behavior.

Parents/Guardians or Other Volunteer

1. Model good sportsmanship with positive support for all swimmers, coaches, fans and officials at all times.
2. Place the well being of your child over competitive goals.
3. Model an environment that is free of performance enhancing or mind altering drugs including alcohol and tobacco.
4. Encourage my child to play by the rules, respect authority and the rights of other swimmers, coaches, fans and officials.
5. Demonstrate positive problem-solving skills by raising concerns in a calm manner with the proper authority so they can be addressed in an appropriate and timely manner.
6. Be responsible for your behavior and the behavior of your child(ren).

Coaches and Team Representatives

1. Place the emotional and physical well being of the swimmers ahead of my competitive desires or needs.
2. Provide a safe swimming environment for all participants.
3. Lead by example in demonstrating calm authority, respect, fair play and good sportsmanship in all circumstances.
4. Provide a team experience that is free of cursing or other abusive language, performance enhancing or mind altering drugs including alcohol and tobacco.
5. Provide opportunities for each swimmer to improve, mature and fair opportunities to compete.
6. Be knowledgeable and follow the league rules and regulations, teach these rules to all swimmers and be able to explain the rules to parents/guardians.
7. Be responsible for your own behavior and the behavior of your team.

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I have read and understand the Safety Council Code of Conduct for the Park Woods Piranhas Swim Team.

	Print Name	Signature	Date
Parent/Guardian 1			
Parent/Guardian 2			
Swimmer 1			
Swimmer 2			
Swimmer 3			
Swimmer 4			
Other Volunteer			
Other Volunteer			

As a **Swimmer**, I hereby agree that if my actions are judged by team or league authorities to be in violation of the Safety Council Code of Conduct while attending or participating in swim practices, meets or the championship event, I will be subject to disciplinary action, including but not limited to the following in any order or combination:

- Verbal warning
- Written warning
- Suspension or immediate ejection from swim practices, meets or the championship event
- Suspension from multiple swim practices, meets or the championship event
- Suspension from the current or multiple swim seasons
- Exclusion from the vicinity of swim practices, meets or the championship event

Print Swimmer's Name

Signature

Date

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