



Columbia Falls Swim Team

Parent Contract

The Columbia Falls Swim Team is committed to providing your swimmer(s) with a successful swim season. Please review the following Parent Contract prior to registration. Each parent/guardian will be required to sign the Parent Contract before their swimmer(s) can participate in CFST functions, practices or season meets.

- Show respect and common courtesies at all times to team members, coaches, competitors, officials, parents and for all facilities and other property used during practice or competition.
- Support your coaches as they strive to do what is best for each CFST swimmer. They have been hired based on their expertise and enthusiasm for the sport and CFST. If you have concerns to address with them, do so after practice and in a calm, respectful manner.
- We must provide a safe and healthy environment for our coaching staff, board of directors, swimmers and families. **Any hostile or aggressive behavior from parent(s) or guardian(s) may result in family dismissal from the team.**
- Must display good sportsmanship in practice and at meets, as well as at all times when representing the team. This includes behaving with respect, grace and dignity in both victory and defeat.
- Commit to a minimum of 20 volunteer hours or pay \$10/hour in lieu of volunteer time.
- Participate in the CFST season raffle. Each swimmer is required to sell 1 full book of raffle tickets (10 tickets @ \$10/ticket) prior to participating in water practices.
- Provide swimmer(s) with appropriate gear (team suit, team cap, goggles, water bottle, etc.).
- Profanity is not acceptable at any time during a team function (practices, meets, dances, camping areas, etc.).
- Facilitate meet attendance for your swimmer(s). Swimmers must swim a minimum of two regular swim meets and the divisional meet and commit to attend the State meet if they qualify.
- Notify the Coach of participation in the coming swim meet by the end of practice on Tuesday of the same week. This is done online via Google Forms. If you cannot access this online form, please see Coach or a CFST Board Member.
- Ensure swimmer(s) will abide by curfews imposed by the host team.
- In addition to this Parental Contract, review, sign and abide by the Columbia Falls Swim Team Code of Conduct.

Any violation of the above contract will be reviewed by the board and may result in family dismissal from the team. **There shall be no warnings necessary. All parents and guardians shall be required to agree** to the above as a condition to their child's participation on the Columbia Falls Swim Team.

I understand that my child's Coach(es)/sponsor reserves the right to remove them from the team or take disciplinary action for any infraction that is considered by the coach/sponsor as being a detriment to the team and/or its members.

Parent/Guardian Printed Name

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

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