

# WFY SHARKS TEAM CODE OF CONDUCT

I understand that it is an honor and a privilege to represent the Wyckoff Family YMCA. I recognize that the reputation of the YMCA and our team is effected by and dependent upon my conduct and behavior. Therefore, I agree at all times to conduct myself in a mature, courteous and responsible manner, both at the WFY and when attending functions away from our YMCA. Swimmers will not be allowed to compete and many not be allowed to practice if this form is not signed and returned.

As an athlete on the WFY swim team, I agree to the following standards:

- I will follow all of the rules, regulations and procedures set forth by the team and the coaches
- I will always be encouraging and supportive of my teammates
- I will practice/compete to the best of my ability at all times
- I will not go through, take, or destroy anyone's personal belongings
- I will never endanger the safety of another participant
- I will never leave the supervision of the coaching staff without their direct approval

Further I acknowledge that the following conduct is not acceptable and will NOT be tolerated:

- Possession or use of alcohol, illegal drugs or tobacco products
- Physically assaulting a teammate, coach, official, fellow competitor in any manner
- Use of profanity or inappropriate language
- Inappropriate or unsupervised activities between participants
- Referring to teammates in an inappropriate or unsporting manner

I understand that failure to abide by the WFY Code of Conduct may result in immediate disciplinary action including, but not limited to the following:

- Suspension from practices(s), event(s), or meet(s)
- Suspension from the WFY team
- Dismissal from the WFY team
- Any combination of the above

I understand that decisions made by the WFY coaching staff at site of any infraction will prevail. Appeals can be made at a later date to be heard in a rational, constructive, and fair manner.

I Pledge to abide by the WFY Sharks Swim Team Code of Conduct.

Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

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Swimmer's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_