



PARENT'S / PERSON WITH PARENTAL RESPONSIBILITY CODE OF CONDUCT

1. I will complete and return the Medical Information Form as requested by Bilston Swimming Club and provide details of any health conditions/concerns relevant to my child(ren) on the consent form I will report any changes in the state of their health to the coach prior to any training sessions or events.
2. I will ensure that Bilston Swimming Club has up to date contact details for me and for any alternative person(s) as required. I will ensure the Emergency Contact Details Keyfob is attached to my child's bag.
3. I will deliver and collect my child(ren) punctually to and from training sessions and events. For children under the age of 11 I will watch them onto poolside and into the coaches care, I will also be at the pool before they leave the water to get changed. I will inform a member of the committee or coaching staff if there is an unavoidable problem.
4. If Bilston Swimming Club changes my child's lane and/or training times, I will remember that the change is to provide appropriate levels of training and to enable my child(ren) to progress, and I should therefore support and encourage this at all times.
5. I will ensure that my child(ren) is properly and adequately attired for the training session or event including all mandatory equipment e.g. hats, goggles etc.
6. I will inform the coach before a session if my child is to be collected early and, if so, by whom.
7. I will encourage my child(ren) to obey the rules and teach them that they can only do their best.
8. I will behave responsibly as a spectator during training and events and treat all members, coaches, committee members and other parents of members of both Bilston Swimming Club and any other organisation with due respect in accordance with Swim England commitment to equality and diversity.
9. I will not use inappropriate language within the environment of Bilston Swimming Club or any other organisation.
10. I will show appreciation and support my child(ren) and all of the team

members.

11. I will ensure that my child's needs are met in terms of nutrition and I will listen to advice given by the coach or nutritionist.

12. I will support the coach and committee appropriately and raise any concerns that I may have in an appropriate way to the Welfare Officer.

13. I will not enter poolside unless requested to do so or in the case of an emergency.

14. If I wish to have a discussion with the coach, I will wait until an appropriate time i.e. not during a training session.

15. Most of all I will help my child to enjoy the sport and to achieve to the best of their ability.

16. Parents are not allowed to take photographs on poolside or in changing areas. Non-compliance may result in disciplinary proceedings and Swim England suspension.

17. I understand that no glass bottles are allowed pool side or in the viewing area, only Bilston Water Bottles are allowed.

Bilston Swimming Club will:

1. Inform you at once if your child becomes ill and will ensure their wellbeing until you are able to collect them.

2. Ensure that good child safeguarding guidelines are followed at all times to keep your child(ren) safe. 3. Ensure that all activities are properly supervised/taught/coached and that consent is obtained for any activity outside of that previously agreed.

You have a right to:

1. Make a complaint to Bilston Swimming Club if you feel that it or any of its members is not acting appropriately or in accordance with Swim England or the Club Constitution. Details of how to do this can be obtained from the Welfare Officer.

2. Make a complaint on behalf of your child(ren) to Swim England Office of Judicial Administration.

Any breaches of this code of conduct will be dealt with immediately by a Bilston Swimming Club. Persistent concerns or breaches may result in you being asked not to attend if it is considered detrimental to the welfare of swimmers. The ultimate action should a parent/guardian continue to breach the code of behaviour may be Bilston Swimming Club regrettably asking your child to leave the session, event or club.