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**West Dorset Swimming Club**

**Code of Conduct for parents/carers**

This Code of Conduct has been produced to help ensure that parents and carers display the right behaviour and support their swimmer in a positive way.

Please:

* Encourage your child to learn the rules and play within them.
* Discourage unfair play and arguing with officials.
* Help your child to recognise good performance, not just results.
* Never force your child to take part in sport.
* Set a good example by recognising fair play and applauding the good performances of all.
* Never punish or belittle a child for losing or making mistakes.
* Publicly accept officials’ judgements.
* Support your child’s involvement and help them to enjoy their sport.
* Use correct and proper language at all times