



SARASOTA SWIM ACADEMY SWIM TEAM

Team Travel Policy for Athletes

The following guidelines are to help athletes understand their boundaries when attending a travel meet and staying with the team.

1. The possession or use of alcohol, tobacco products or controlled substances by any athlete is prohibited.
2. Curfews established by the coach(es) will be adhered to each day.
3. Team members and staff will attend all team functions including meetings, warm-ups, practices, competitions, meals, etc., unless otherwise excused or instructed by the Head Coach for that competition.
4. To ensure the propriety of the athletes and to protect the staff, there will be no male athletes in female athletes' rooms, and no female athletes in male athletes' rooms.
5. Team members and staff will refrain from any illegal or inappropriate behavior that would detract from a positive image of the **SARASOTA SWIM ACADEMY SWIM TEAM** or that might be detrimental to their performance objectives.
6. Team members will display proper respect and sportsmanship toward coaches, officials, administrators, fellow competitors and the public.
7. Any additional guidelines for the team will be established as needed by the coach of record.

IMPLEMENTATION

- a. Your signature of the document constitutes unconditional agreement to comply with the **SARASOTA SWIM ACADEMY SWIM TEAM** Travel meet policy.
- b. Failure to comply with these Guidelines as set forth in this document may result in disciplinary action.

Such discipline may include, but not be limited to:

1. Dismissal from the team and immediate return home (at the parents expense);
2. Disqualification from one or more events, or all events of competition;
3. Disqualification from future **SARASOTA SWIM ACADEMY SWIM TEAM** travel.
4. Financial penalties (return from meet, lost entries, etc.)

The undersigned has read, understands and agrees to comply with these Guidelines.

Name (please print)

Event (Meet, training camp, etc.)

Signature

Date _____

Parent Signature

Date _____