

2014 LWW Water Otter Parent Pledge

- _____ (initials) I will remember that children participate to have fun, and that the meet is for and about kids, not adults.
- _____ I will be a positive role model for my child and encourage sportsmanship by showing respect and courtesy to swimmers, coaches and spectators.
- _____ I will teach my child to play by the rules and to resolve conflicts without resorting to hostility and violence.
- _____ I will respect the officials and their authority and will not confront them at the meets.
- _____ I will never ridicule or yell at my child or other participants for making a mistake or losing a competition.
- _____ I will not engage in unsportsmanlike conduct such as booing, taunting, cursing, threats or physical assaults.
- _____ I will teach my child that doing one's best is more important than winning.
- _____ I am responsible for my child's behavior and actions at all meets and practices whether I am in attendance or not and will be held responsible for any damages to properties they may cause.

I understand and accept the policy that if I violate the pledge I may be asked to leave the meet/practice. I also understand that continued violations of the pledge may result in my being banned from further attendance at meets/practice for the remainder of the season and/or my child may be dropped from the team.

Please put your initials next to each item of the pledge and sign your name below.

Signature

Date

Swimmer's Name or Names