

Successful Swimming Parent Check List:

- **1.** A successful swimming parent understands the importance of punctuality. Being late for practice or swim meets only hurts the swimmers involved.
- **2.** A successful swimming parent nurtures and values any and all success on the team. Success breeds success.
- **3.** A successful swimming parent takes all problems, concerns and complaints to someone who can help. Grumbling makes a problem worse and causes discontent.
- **4.** A successful swimming parent respects deadlines. Pushing deadlines creates more work for someone.
- **5.** A successful swimming parent gets involved. Youth sports only function with the involvement of the parents.
- **6.** A successful swimming parents understands that their child's attendance is important. Consistent practice is the key to success in swimming.
- **7.** A successful swimming parent measures their child's worth not by their victories and defeats but by their efforts and accomplishments.
- **8.** A successful swimming parent supports and cheers for ALL teammates. Together Everyone Achieves More.
- **9.** A successful swimming parent allows the coaching staff to do their job and understands that everyone involved has the best interests of the swimmers at heart.
- **10.**A successful swimming parent understands that the goal for a young swimmer is long term involvement and personal success, not instant success that may only last a short while.