## TRAVEL HONOR CODE - ATHLETE Magnolia Aquatic Club

## Agreement Requirement

- 1. All team members, team staff, and parents of minors are apprised in writing of this Code of Conduct and the USA Swimming Code of Conduct which includes MAAPP.
- 2. A signature on this document constitutes unconditional agreement to comply with the stipulations of both documents.

## **Behavior Requirements:**

Team members are reminded that when competing in meets, traveling on trips, and attending other meet-related functions, they are representing both themselves and the Magnolia Aquatic Club program. Athlete behavior must positively reflect the high standards of the club and USA Swimming.

- 1. Team members will display proper respect and sportsmanship toward coaches, officials, administrators, teammates, fellow competitors, and the public at all times.
- 2. Team members and staff will refrain from any illegal or inappropriate behavior that would detract from a positive image of the team or be detrimental to its performance objectives.
- 3. The possession or use of alcohol or tobacco products by any athlete is prohibited.
- 4. The possession, use, or sale/distribution of any controlled or illegal substance or any form of weapon is strictly forbidden.
- 5. No "deck" changes are permitted. Athletes are expected to use available change facilities.
- 6. Swimmers are to refrain from inappropriate physical contact at team activities and events.
- 7. Swimmers are to refrain from the use of inappropriate language.
- 8. Swimmers will not have members of the opposite sex in their rooms at any time. They may congregate in the lobby area in plain public view.

## **Consequences for Non-Compliance:**

- 1. Failure to comply with the Honor Code as set forth in this document may result in disciplinary action. Such discipline may include, but may not be limited to:
  - a. Dismissal from the trip and immediate return home at the athlete's expense.
  - b. Disqualification from one or more events, or all events of the competition.
  - c. Disqualification from future team travel meets.
  - d. Financial penalties.
  - e. Dismissal from the team.
  - f. Proceedings for an LSC or USA Swimming Board of Review

Parent signature	Date
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Coach signature	 Date