

CALGARY BARRACUDA SWIM CLUB

PARENT/GUARDIAN CONSENT FORM



Athletes' Last Name:

Athletes' First Name:

Athletes' Preferred Name:

Athletes' Date of Birth (d-m-y):

Athletes' Gender:

Athletes' Previous Swim Experience:

Address:

City:

Province:

Postal Code:

Phone:

Mobile:

Primary Parent/Guardian Name:

Primary Parent/Guardian Email:

Primary Parent/Guardian Phone:

Mobile:

Secondary Parent/Guardian Name:

Secondary Parent/Guardian Email:

Secondary Parent/Guardian Phone:

Mobile:

Emergency Contact:

Relationship to Athlete:

Phone:

Mobile:

Please provide any important medical information or food allergies for the Athlete:

I/we, the undersigned, being the Parent/Guardian of the above noted Athlete, do hereby grant permission for the said Athlete to participate in the Calgary Barracuda Swim Club activities under the general supervision of the Swim Club at the Calgary Jewish Community Centre (the "Club"), its Officials, Coaches or Supervisors. It is agreed that these activities may occur anytime during the calendar year.

I/we am aware that swimming is a participatory sport, and like all sports there is a degree of risk. In the case of accident to the said Athlete. I/we hereby absolve the Club (including the Calgary Jewish Community Centre), its Coaches, Executive and Members, of any liability whatsoever in the event of accident or injury to the said Athlete while participating in any Club activities.

I/we agree to abide by the Club Rules and Philosophies and pay fees as follows:

1. Cheque dated June 1, 2019 for \$315.00
2. Cheque to be dated November 1, 2019 for \$285.00.
3. Volunteer Bond in the amount of \$250.00 per family - Cheque dated April 15, 2020.
4. Returning members must submit registration forms and cheques by May 1, 2019. Registration priority will be given to families who have fulfilled their volunteer commitments.

One cheque per family per session is required. Please enter the Athlete's **names in memo field** on cheque. Cheques are payable to: "Calgary Barracuda Swim Club". There will be a \$40 NSF charge on all cheques that do not clear.

Submit Registration Forms & cheques to the **Registrar** during closing banquet in April or mailed to: **Calgary Barracuda Swim Club, Glenmore Landing R.P.O. Box 72147 Calgary, AB T2V 5H0**. In addition, please email barracudaregistrar@gmail.com with a digital copy of this registration form.

I/we, the undersigned understand and agree that my Athlete's full name and birthdate will be shared with the Keikos and Seals Swim Clubs or any other Swim Clubs for the sole purpose of swim meet administration.

Cancellations and refunds

If we receive your notice of cancellation/withdrawal in writing (email or mail) by May 31, 2019, we will not cash cheques. If we receive your notice of cancellation/withdrawal in writing (email or mail) by October 31, 2019 we will not cash your 2nd cheque. Once cheques are cashed there will not be refunds.

I/we, the undersigned understand that after November 1, 2019, I/we will not receive any refund or credit.

Signed,
Primary Parent/Guardian:

Date:

Signed,
Secondary Parent/Guardian:

Date:

Barracuda Swim Club Philosophy

The Club is a fun, recreational-competitive, non-profit club for school-aged swimmers (5-18 years). The goal of the Club is to improve each Athlete's stroke ability, endurance and confidence through coaching and training. The priority of the Club is the development of an Athlete's self-confidence, self-awareness and skill level. Success is measured by improved strokes and turns not by a first place finish at all costs. Swimmers will learn in a positive atmosphere. Time trials and swim meets used to assess Athlete's improvement and are another opportunity to practice. Athletes are expected to attend swim meets and all internal events e.g. distance swims and Club Championships.

Code of Conduct for Athletes and Parent/Guardians

1. All Athletes and their Parents/Guardians are expected to act in a proper manner and to follow and respect the direction of the coaches and any parent volunteers.
2. Athletes and their Parents/Guardians are expected to behave appropriately towards other club members and will refrain from harassing any other member in the Club or other Clubs, be it physical or emotional in nature – **this includes bullying.**
3. Athletes and their Parents/Guardians are expected to observe pool rules, and show respect for the position and authority of the lifeguards and pool staff.
4. Athletes and their Parents/Guardians are expected to behave courteously towards all other patrons in the locker room at all times during regular practices and at swim meets at all pools.
5. Inappropriate language will not be tolerated.

Disciplinary Action

Should any Athlete fail to observe the Code of Conduct, the following disciplinary action will be taken. Please note second, third and fourth offences will be brought to the attention of the Club Executive and documented.

1. On the first offence, the Athlete will receive a verbal warning and/or short disciplinary action by the coach/assistant coach.
2. On the second offence, the Athlete will receive a final verbal warning and be asked to sit on the side of the pool deck for the remainder of the practice. The coach will notify the Executive of the Club who will inform the Parents/Guardians of the Athlete, either verbally or in writing within 48 hours of the incident. At this time Parents/Guardians are expected to discuss the problem with the swimmer and help them arrive at a solution.
3. On the third offence the Athlete will be suspended for one week from the Club. A Club Executive member will contact the Parents/Guardians to discuss the problem and determine appropriate actions to be taken prior to the swimmer returning to the Club.
4. On the fourth offence, the Athlete will lose all rights and privileges of membership in the Club and will be expelled. No membership fees will be refunded.

I/we, the undersigned have read and understand the Club Philosophy, the Code of Conduct for Athletes and Parent/Guardians and Disciplinary Action.

Signed,
Athlete:

Date:

Signed,
Primary Parent/Guardian:

Date:

Signed,
Secondary Parent/Guardian:

Date:

CALGARY BARRACUDA SWIM CLUB

VOLUNTEER COMMITMENT



This is a Parent-run club. The only paid employees are the Head Coach and regular Assistant Coaches. The Board of Directors (BoD, Executive) directs and manages the club in a voluntary capacity.

For the 2019-2020 season the following Season-long Positions are required to be filled:

Season-long Positions	Comments
President / Chair of the Board	Board of Directors
Secretary	Board of Directors
Treasurer	Board of Directors
Registrar	Board of Directors
Social Director	Board of Directors. This position must attend at our events
Volunteer Coordinator	Board of Directors. This position attends our hosted athletic events
Apparel	Board of Directors
IS Meet Manager	Two positions. One sits on Board of Directors. This position attends our hosted athletic events
On-Deck Meet Manager	Two positions. This position attends our hosted athletic events

Nominations for any of the positions are welcome at any time. If you would like to do any work for the club that is not currently part of any existing positions, please be sure to inform any member of the Board. Elections will be held at AGM if multiple candidates for any positions exist. If it is not practical to hold an AGM, the Board will decide on an approach for filling any vacant positions.

If not holding a Season-long Position which is exempt from On-call Volunteering, each family in the club is required to commitment to On-call Volunteering in support of Club swim meets and other hosted events.

On-Call Volunteers are needed for:

- **Two Swim Meets** (~5 hours each. ~25 people needed each meet)
- **Distance Swims** (one in December and one in April held during regular scheduled Club pool time. ~2 hours each. ~10 people needed each day and session)
- **Club Championships** (two nights in April during regular scheduled Club pool time. ~2 hours per night. ~12 people needed each night)

Number of Athletes in the Family	Volunteer Hours Required per Family	Example make up
One Athlete	9 Hours	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 swim meets (@ 5 hrs each) = 10 hours • 1 Distance Swim @ 1hr + 2 nights of club championships + 1 swim meet @ 5hrs = 10 hrs
Two or more Athletes	16 Hours	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 people at a swim meet (5 hrs x 2 = 10) + 2 people x 2 hrs at a distance swim + 1 person at club championships for 2 hours = 16 hours

I/we, the undersigned have read and understand the Volunteer Commitment required by the Calgary Barracuda Swim Club and will ensure that my family fulfills its volunteer commitment as described above. I may send in my place another relative or make arrangements with another family in the club

Signed,
Primary Parent/Guardian:

Date:

Signed,
Secondary Parent/Guardian:

Date: