

Beachborough Triathlon Club

CODE OF CONDUCT FOR PARENTS OF JUNIOR TRIATHLETES

British Triathlon is committed to maintaining the highest possible standards of behaviour and conduct at all Triathlon, Duathlon and related multi-sport events. The British Triathlon 'Code of Conduct for parents' summarizes the essence of good ethical conduct and practice within Triathlon. This applies not only to parents, but also to guardians, carers, families and spectators alike. All such individuals have a responsibility to act with integrity, in accordance with the standards set by British Triathlon below.

Code of conduct for Parents	Please tick when you have read and agree with
Respect the rights, dignity and worth of every person, within the context of the Sport.	
Treat everyone equally and sensitively, and do not discriminate on the grounds of age, gender, ethnic origin, religion, sexual orientation or disability.	
Encourage your child to learn the British Triathlon rules and compete within them	
Publicly accept officials' judgements and abide by their instructions, providing they do not contradict the spirit of this code.	
Teach your child to respect the event officials	
Help your child to recognise good performance, not just results to avoid undue disappointment.	
Never punish or belittle a child for losing or making mistakes.	
Support your child's involvement and help them to enjoy their sport	
Remember that the aim of the Sport is for the children to have fun, improve and feel good.	
Set a good example by applauding all good performance, whether by your child or by another	
Use correct and proper language at all times.	
Recognise the value and importance of volunteers, coaches, referee's and event organisers – it is their time and dedication that keeps the Sport alive.	
Remember that young people learn best by example.	
Young people are involved in organised sport for their enjoyment – not yours, so do not force your child to take part.	
Sanctions for NOT adhering to the Codes of Conduct. If it is brought to the attention of the Committee that the Codes have been breached and/or your conduct at training or at races falls below the standard expected Members or parents/guardians, a written warning will be issued to the parent/guardian/adult and may include a specified time ban from future events. If it is brought to the attention of any of the Beachborough Triathlon Committee that the Codes have been breached and/or your conduct at training or at races falls FAR below the standard expected by members and parents/guardians/adults the committee will take the decision to terminate your and/or your child's membership with immediate effect.	
Signed by Parent/Carer:	date: