

Cascade Swim Club

Document: Coach Training & Certification Policy

Application: The Cascade Swim Club recognizes that ongoing education and professional development is important in keeping up with the latest technical information and sports science innovations. The direction regarding education and recommended professional development of the Cascade staff will come from the director of swimming and club manager. The Cascade Swim Club will work with the coaches involved to help with appropriate levels of support to ensure that Cascade is always working towards having a high level of quality coach working with our swimmers.

The Cascade Swim Club also recognizes that the position of its coaches is one of tremendous importance and influence as it relates to the young people under their care. As such, the club recognizes that certain checks and balances must be maintained and reviewed on an annual basis so as to ensure the well being of its staff and athletes and maximize the potential of all those involved as athletes in the sport of swimming.

Policy Statement:

1. Cascade coaches who deal with swimmers registered as members of the Provincial Sport Organization (Swim Alberta) are required to meet all of the Alberta Coach requirements as outlined on their website and registration packages.
2. It will be the responsibility of the club to register the coaches inside the program with the appropriate governing bodies (currently Swim Alberta, the Alberta Coaches Council, the Canadian Swim Coaches & Teachers Association as well as Swimming Canada) but it will be the responsibility of the coaches to adhere to the policies and requirements of those specific governing bodies.

Related:

Cascade Swim Club Coach Code of Conduct Document

Swim Alberta Coach Requirements

CSCTA Coaches Code of Professional Conduct

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