



ECKINGTON SWIMMING CLUB

Affiliated to ASA East Midland Region and Derbyshire ASA

Dear Parent/Carer

We would like to take this opportunity to welcome you and your child to Eckington Swimming Club.

You will find all the relevant information about the Club and Club events (Galas/Open Meets, etc) posted on the downstairs Notice Board opposite the Pool Reception and on the 2 notice boards situated on the first floor landing. Please check these on a regular basis as they are updated weekly. On the Notice Board you will also find a Parent/Swimmer Information File which contains, amongst other things, the following documents for parents/carers to refer to:-

- 1. Names of Committee Members, their respective roles and contact details of the Welfare Officer, the Chairman, the Secretary and the Treasurer.**
- 2. The Coaching Team.**
- 3. The Squad structure, training times and prices.**
- 4. Details of the Club Website.**
- 5. Where to find the various Policies and Procedures adopted by the Club (including Child Safeguarding, Anti-Bullying, Transport, Equity and Disciplinary).**
- 6. Where to find details regarding concerns of Child Welfare.**

It should be noted that the Club and the ASA are committed to good child welfare policies and practice and we have a Child Welfare Policy with Child Welfare Disciplinary Policy, details of which can be found in the Parent/Carer Information File. It is the duty of the Club Welfare Officer/parent to notify the Police or Social Services directly and the ASA ICPO as soon as possible, with information of any concerns, if they consider any child to be harmed or at risk of harm.

Useful websites for parents/swimmers include the following, details of which can also be found in the Parent/Carer Information File:-

- 1. Kidscape.**
- 2. NSPCC.**
- 3. Childline.**
- 4. www.culture.gov.uk.**
- 5. Child Protection in Sport Unit (CPSU).**

We hope that you and your child enjoy your time with the Club. If you have any concerns or any questions please do not hesitate to contact your child's Coach, the Welfare Officer or any other relevant member of the Committee.

Yours faithfully

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