

**Pine Richland Aquatics (PRA)
Parent Contract
2019-2020**

I, _____, the parent or legal guardian (hereafter referred to as the "Parent") of the swimmer(s) named below, on behalf of the Swimmer and myself, hereby apply for membership to PRA for the 2019-2020 Short Course (SC) and/or Long Course (LC) season and agree as follows:

1. I will read and comply with the policies outlined in the PRA Family Manual 2019-2020 and all agreements and addendums as set forth in registration.
2. I will pay the seasonal registration and USA registration fees in accordance with the payment method selected. I acknowledge that my failure to meet the financial and/or other obligations set forth herein and in the PRA Family Manual, team By-laws, etc. shall disqualify the Swimmer and all members of the Swimmer's family from participating in practices, meets, or other functions until the obligations are met. I further understand that the trial period is only for 2 weeks (14 days calendar days) and only applies to new members. There is NO trial period for returning members regardless of how long they have been separated from the club.
3. I will set up a primary payment method (credit card) in my Wallet on my personal Parent Portal (to get to the parent portal, go to www.praswim.org and click on the "Parent Portal" link in the menu bar) to allow for automatic payment of the splash fees and other expenses that my swimmer(s) or my family incur including fundraising and apparel among others.
4. I will keep all Emergency Medical information for my swimmer(s) and my account information (address, phone numbers, email, insurance, etc.) updated on my parent portal.
5. I will provide the required transfer documentation from any USA Swimming team for which the Swimmer previously swam, verifying that I left that team with all financial obligations met (if applicable).
6. I agree that my Swimmer shall attend and participate in practice sessions and support PRA by participating in meets as designated by the coaching staff. I also agree that, if eligible, my swimmer(s) will automatically be entered into all PRA Home swim meets. Further, I fully understand and agree that I must RSVP for all meets as attending or not attending. Failure to RSVP for a meet will be treated as an "ATTENDING" response and my swimmer will be entered into the meet by their coach and I agree to pay for any applicable splash fees. In order to avoid being entered into a meet I cannot or will not attend, I understand that I must RSVP.
7. The Swimmer shall wear official team apparel when representing PRA at all swim meets as prescribed by current team sponsorship or apparel contracts.
8. I agree to assist in conducting all PRA sponsored swim meets by working in at least 50% of the swimming sessions in each meet in such positions as directed by the Meet Director. I agree to pay \$75 per session for each session that I fail to sign up to work less than the required 50%. I understand that a session must be worked from start to finish regardless of duration and my failure or to not show up for a session I signed up to work will result in my being billed a double volunteer assessment (\$150 per session). I further agree to donate food items or the monetary equivalent (typically \$30) to PRA for the concession stand at PRA hosted home swim meets. These volunteer obligations are applicable to all members, regardless of whether the Swimmer is participating in the applicable meet.
9. I agree to participate in any and all fundraising activities (minimum amounts differ for each individual fundraiser) as set forth by the Board and the fundraising committee. PRA is a 501 (3) (c) organization. Donations made to the club are tax deductible to the fullest extent of the law.
10. I understand that weekday practice times during Long Course season will switch to mornings once school is out. Typically, though not guaranteed, the times will be the same as the Saturday morning practice times during the short course season.
11. I understand that it is my responsibility to pick up my swimmer(s) within 15 minutes of practice ending or to make other arrangements for my swimmer(s) to be picked up in a timely fashion. In the event that a coach has to stay with my swimmer past 15 minutes, I agree that my family PRA account will be charged \$15 for every 5 minutes (or fraction thereof) that I am late until my swimmer(s) is picked up.
12. The primary method of communication of announcements, meet dates, meet work tasks, and other notices is through the PRA website and via email. If I do not have an email address, I agree to acquire and maintain an email address, and to check my email inbox and the PRA website for this information.
13. I will notify the entire PRA Board by letter or email if I wish to withdraw from PRA. I understand that my withdrawal is not accepted until I receive an acknowledgement from a Board member. I understand that withdrawing after the 2 week trial period at the beginning of the SC season, shall not change my financial obligations to PRA for the remainder of the Contract Term, that refunds are only given if notice is made during the 2-week trial period less the \$50 administration fee and that the refund shall not include any refund for the USA Swimming fees, fundraisers that have passed, out of district fees or apparel that was purchased.
14. I promise to uphold the image of PRA and to project an image of which the team can be proud.

15. I understand that PRA is not affiliated with or sponsored by Pine- Richland School District in any way.

A default by me under this contract or my withdrawal from PRA shall not release me from my financial and other obligations under this Contract for the remainder of the Contract Term. A default by me under this contract or my withdrawal from PRA shall entitle PRA, at its option, to accelerate all amounts due hereunder including registration amounts due, volunteer assessments, fundraisers and concession fees for the remaining Contract Term and to collect all such amounts immediately in one lump sum notwithstanding of the other provisions of this Contract. Further, I agree to pay any and all collection costs, including but not limited to, court costs and reasonable attorney fees, resulting from my failure to pay as agreed.

The undersigned on behalf of myself, the Swimmer and other members of my family does hereby release and agree to hold harmless PRA, the Board, the Board members, Coaches, Team Chaperones, other members and volunteers, and any facility (including the entity which owns and/or operates such facility) that PRA utilizes, from any liability arising from injury or damage to the Swimmer or any family member or its property while participating in any way in the PRA program, including but not limited to practices, meets, or any other PRA activity and shall look solely to the family's insurance or other assets for any such injury or damage. Each swimmer or family member participates at his or her own risk. PRA is not responsible for any lost or stolen property of the Swimmer or the undersigned. I, intending to be legally bound, grant this release and indemnity on behalf of myself, the Swimmer, and any other person responsible for or representing the Swimmer in consideration of the benefits derived from participating in and being a member of PRA. This release and indemnity shall survive the termination of this Contract.

If any part of this Contract is declared invalid, the balance of the Contract shall remain in effect. Any matter not covered by this Contract shall be determined by the Board and promptly communicated to the undersigned. Any and all modifications to this Contract shall be in writing and initialed by all parties. This Contract represents the entire agreement among the parties regarding the subject matter hereof and supersedes all prior oral or written agreements.

Swimmer's Name: _____ Age: _____

Additional Swimmer's Name (if applicable): _____ Age: _____

Signature of Mother or Legal Guardian: _____ Date: _____

Printed Name of Mother or Legal Guardian: _____

Signature of Father or Legal Guardian: _____ Date: _____

Printed Name of Father or Legal Guardian: _____