

Aquasonics Artistic Swim Club Attendance Policy

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Artistic swimming is a team sport and regular, consistent attendance and prompt arrival times are important to all members of the team. Athletes are required to be ON DECK and warming up at the designated start time of practice as indicated in the team calendar, or as updated by their coach.

Each team will be informed of their scheduled days off at the start of the season subject to changes that may occur during the season due to unforeseen circumstances.

Each National Stream and Provincial Stream HPD athlete will attend 90% of trainings. Each Provincial Stream athlete will be permitted 2 missed days per month. Missed days are to be reported with appropriate time in advance to the lead coach. Any missed day in addition to what is permitted has to be cleared in advance with the Headcoach.

Athlete absences during the competition season must be approved by the coach. Unapproved absences and lateness may be subject to sanctions according to the Discipline Policy.

Absences should not be planned:

- 2 weeks prior to any regional competition for ALL athletes.
- 3 weeks prior to Provincials, National Qualifiers, Nationals, National selection
 Camps and Internationals for National Stream athletes.

We ask that you indicate your availability (athletes and coaches) for each training event so that all coaches, athletes and Administration know who to expect, or who cannot attend. This is especially important when we have limited time to enter buildings, or should we need to contact participants in attendance at an event.