

## **PVWPC PARENT AND ATHLETE TRAVEL CODE OF CONDUCT AND TRAVEL WAIVER RELEASE AND INDEMNIFICATION**

THIS DOCUMENT AFFECTS YOUR LEGAL RIGHTS, PLEASE READ CAREFULLY.

I/We, the undersigned, acknowledge, and agree to the following Palos Verdes Water Polo Club (“PVWPC”) Parent and Athlete Travel Code of Conduct and Travel Waiver, Release, and Indemnification for travel and hotel stays for PVWPC activities that are arranged independently or arranged by PVWPC either directly or through a travel agency for PVWPC.

### **A. TRAVEL CODE OF CONDUCT**

Parents and athletes consent to abide by the following described rules of conduct for travel with PVWPC:

1. No player will be allowed to participate in any travel for PVWPC related activities, competitions, or training, either domestically or internationally, unless they are registered with the club and with United States Water Polo. All club dues must be paid in full in order for a player to be allowed to enter the water or participate in any PVWPC related activities.
2. The transportation, possession or unauthorized use of alcoholic beverages or drugs, illegal drugs, or IOC-banned substances on the premises is prohibited.
3. Any physical damage to a pool facility, hotel or loss of items in a hotel room (i.e. elevators, smoke detectors, fire extinguishers, fire alarms, furniture, art work, etc.) will be paid for by those individuals who have caused the physical damage and/or those assigned to the room in which the damage or loss occurs.
4. Quiet hours commence nightly. Team coach will set each night and clearly communicate to team and parents.
5. Unauthorized room changes are prohibited.
6. Unacceptable behavior will not be tolerated and may result in immediate dismissal from the tournament, competition, or activity the athlete is attending. This includes, but is not limited to, the following:
  - Any act considered to be offensive or criminal under federal, state or local laws.
  - Gross misconduct (i.e. inappropriate horseplay, theft, fighting, etc.)
  - Willful disabling of any smoke detector, fire extinguisher or elevator or tampering or interfering in any way with any fire alarm system to include causing a false fire alarm (by pulling the fire alarm handle).

This Travel Code of Conduct applies to all travel and hotel stays with PVWPC or related to activities by PVWPC that are arranged by PVWPC either directly or through a travel agency for PVWPC. This travel includes, but is not limited to, travel by car, bus, van, train, or plane, or any other form of travel as well as stays at hotels and/or other residential facilities in assigned player rooms or stays while staying in parent rooms.

I/We understand that violations of the above-referenced Travel Code of Conduct may result in forfeiture of privileges and rights to continue to participate in the travel event or to participate or be a member of PVWPC without a refund or may result in other disciplinary proceedings.

**B. TRAVEL WAIVER, RELEASE, AGREEMENT TO DEFEND, AND INDEMNIFICATION**

I/We, the undersigned agree to waive, release, indemnify, defend, and hold harmless PVWPC for any and all obligations, liabilities, damages, claims, costs, and expenses, including attorney's fees and costs, whatsoever arising out of or in any way connected to travel and/or hotel stays for PVWPC activities and/or competitions whether arranged independently or arranged by PVWPC either directly or through a travel agency. This includes, but is not limited to, a waiver, release, and identification for any liabilities related to:

1. Any and all changes in the published itinerary of the travel;
2. Any and all cancellations, abandonments, or alterations of anticipated travel, or inconveniences thereof of any type or nature;
3. Any and all claims for injury, loss, damage, accident, delay, irregularity or expense arising from the use of any vehicle or other mode of transportation or services;
4. Any and all expenses incurred by the undersigned or by any other person on behalf of the undersigned's player.
5. Any intentional or unintentional injury, whether or not resulting in death, injury, or illness, to the player or any other person or persons or property caused in whole or part by the player, whether alone or together in association with others;
6. Any fares, or expenses paid or to be paid by the player and/or on behalf of the player related to any and all PVWPC travel for PVWPC activities.
7. Any and all damages, losses or injuries regarding physical illness, injury, death, or accident (including medical and dental expenses, mental anguish or emotional distress)

8. Any and all damages, or losses to persons and/or property.
9. Any and all damages or losses related to airline tickets, hotel reservations, or any other costs for any form of travel or accommodations.

By signing this Travel Code of Conduct, Waiver, Release, and Indemnification Agreement, I/we acknowledge and represent that I/we have read this entire document, understand its terms and provisions, understand it affects my legal rights and that it is a binding agreement, and knowingly and voluntarily agree to the terms.