

SEATON CALISTHENICS CLUB

PARENTS RIGHTS & RESPONSIBILITIES

The Seaton Calisthenics Club Committee is committed to the continuous improvement of all activities and processes associated with the club. For this reason the committee actively seeks feedback from all parents and coaches – 'negative or positive'.

Detailed below are some guidelines to assist in this process including committee expectations of parents and coaches. Also included is a brief overview of the Seaton Calisthenics Club selection process. Please note that the decision re team selection remains with the coaches and any issues regarding selection can be addressed utilizing the club's grievance policy.

The Selection Process:

At the start of each year *all girls* of each category practice together with the coaches of that age group. Girls are then selected into teams according to compatible skills ensuring each girl receives the utmost enjoyment and the opportunity to develop further skills.

As a parent you have a 'right' to:

- Expect the Committee to provide regular information via the Club Newsletter and team PR person
- Expect the coach to commence and complete classes on time
- Receive guidance regarding costume making and trimming
- Remain informed re extra practices and associated costs
- Expect the coach to communicate the team's progress
- Be respected
- Observe the coach and helper be involved in all aspects of the girl's work
- Receive communication that considers other individual's values and opinions in a polite and courteous manner
- Expect the coaches helpers to provide support to all girls

- Expect the coach to assist each girl to reach their full potential
- Expect the coach to encourage appropriate behaviour throughout the class
- Observe your child having 'fun'

As a parent you have a responsibility to:

- Ensure your child arrives on time
- Encourage a commitment by your child to attend practices regularly and behave appropriately
- Remain financial throughout the year
- Support the coach
- Ensure that your child is dressed appropriately
- Discuss any concerns with the coach in the first instance prior to contacting the Committee
- Be involved with club activities
- Respect the rights and values of others
- Communicate in a courteous and polite manner
- Follow club policies and procedures (that's what the Committee is there for!)
- Be present during classes as directed by the coach and dressmaker to ensure completion of costumes and communication of team progress

Remember we all have one thing in common – our children! Let's all support our children to strive to achieve their goals in a supportive and happy environment.

Yours in Calisthenics The Seaton Club Committee