

## Code of Conduct

## **Tri NZ Code of Conduct**

Triathlon New Zealand expects all members, supporters, advisors, staff and associates of Tri NZ to abide by a Code of Conduct that upholds the principles and values of the organisation

Respect the rights, dignity and worth of others	<ul> <li>Be fair, considerate and honest in dealings with others.</li> <li>Refrain from any form of abuse, harassment, discrimination or victimisation towards others.</li> <li>Be professional in, and accept responsibility for, your actions.</li> </ul>
Maintain high standards of integrity	<ul> <li>Operate within the rules of Triathlon New Zealand and maintain an uncompromising adhesion to standards, regulations and policies.</li> <li>Advocate a sporting environment free of drugs and other performance enhancing substances within the guidelines of the New Zealand Sports Drug Agency and the World Anti-Doping Code.</li> <li>Advocate a sporting environment free match fixing.</li> <li>Be a positive role model.</li> <li>To not provide comment to any media on behalf of Triathlon New Zealand.</li> <li>To not speak to any media in a negative way regarding Triathlon New Zealand or its affiliated stakeholders.</li> <li>Never act in a way that may bring disrepute or disgrace to Tri NZ members, its stakeholders and/or sponsors, potential sponsors and/or partners.</li> </ul>
Provide a safe and fair environment for athletes, spectators, event staff and any one else involved with the event	<ul> <li>Make a commitment to providing a quality service.</li> <li>Operate within the Constitution, Rules, Policies and Procedures on Triathlon New Zealand.</li> <li>Adopt appropriate risk management strategies to ensure that the event is safe.</li> <li>Ensure equipment and facilities meet safety standards.</li> <li>Ensure equipment, rules, training and the environment are appropriate for the age, physical and emotional maturity, experience and ability of the participants.</li> <li>Seek advice and assistance from professionals when additional expertise is required.</li> <li>Maintain appropriate records.</li> </ul>

## Tri NZ Code of Conduct Agreement Form

	Full Name
of	
	Address
I agree to t	he following terms:
	<ul> <li>I agree to abide by Tri NZ Code of Conduct as set out above.</li> <li>I acknowledge that Triathlon New Zealand may take disciplinary action against me if I breach the Code of Conduct. I understand that Triathlon Ne Zealand is required to implement a complaints handling procedure in accordance with the principles of natural justice in the event of an allegation against me.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>I acknowledge that disciplinary action against me for a proven or established breach may include suspension or loss of my Tri NZ membership, depending on the seriousness of the breach.</li> </ul>

Signature:

Date: \_\_\_\_\_