



**Parent/Guardian Participation Consent**

Parent/guardians must complete and sign the membership application form for their child. By signing the membership application form parents agree to be bound by and to ensure their child observes the AUF/Q Code of Conduct, policies and procedures.

This parent/guardian consent must be completed, signed and returned prior to a junior member participating in any activity or competition.

- A junior member is defined as a person under 18 years of age.
- No junior may be admitted to membership unless their parent/guardian confirms (on bottom of this form) that their child can swim at least 100m unaided.
- No senior member of the club is to be expected to assume responsibility for a child. It is the parent or guardian’s responsibility to supervise any child at all times, or to appoint a responsible adult to do so on their behalf. The club will not accept responsibility for appointing a responsible adult, nor will it make any recommendations about an individual’s suitability for that appointment. It is the parent or guardian’s sole responsibility to satisfy themselves of the suitability of the person they appoint and to notify the club on the appointment. Full details of how the parent or guardian may be contacted in an emergency must be provided if they are not present as the responsible adult.
- If a Parent/Guardian requests an adult Club member to supervise their child during club activities, then the club must be informed in writing prior to commencement of the arrangement. The said adult Club members will then assume all responsibility for the junior member in the absence of the parent/guardian.

**Participation Statement**

Australian Underwater Federation Qld recognizes that underwater activities can carry risks of personal injury or death. Participants in these activities should be aware of and accept these risks and be responsible for their own actions and involvement.

**Parent/Guardian Details (Please Print)**

First Name.....Surname.....

Address.....Post Code.....

Phone number.....Mobile.....

Emergency Contact person.....Ph #.....

**PARENT/GUARDIAN DECLARATION**

I confirm that I am the Parent/guardian of: ..... D.O.B. .... / .... / ....

I have read and understood the Participation Statement and recognize that underwater activities can carry risks. To the best of my knowledge, the above junior does not suffer from any medical condition which might effect his/her safety and the safety of others whilst participating in these events. I give consent for the above named to participate in these activities and accept that neither AUFQ nor its volunteers will be liable for any loss or injury arising from the said person’s participation in activities. Nothing within the terms of this consent will affect any statutory rights.

Signature:

Date: