



Staff Introduction | Michael Mares, Safe Sport Case Management Coordinator

Learn more about Michael Mares and his role at USA Swimming.

ICYMI: Child Abuse Prevention Month

Learn more about Safe Sport leaders making a difference at USA Swimming.



What You Need to Know

There are three ways to further your commitment to keeping athletes safe:

- Report a Concern
- Participate in the Safe Sport Club Recognition Program
- Take Advantage of Free Trainings



Safe Sport Spotlight: Audrey Cohen

"I think being an **athlete Safe Sport Chair helps bring a unique perspective** a coach may not
have."

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Safe Sport Spotlight: Tanja Avant

"SSRP is important because it gives a **clear framework** on how to start the process for
creating a **safe environment** for all swimmers
and coaches."





Culture Built on Character at Splash Club

"Safe Sport is a **foundational tool** we use to help **build trust and stability** in our program," head coach Chad Englehart said.

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Thank you to all our members who attended the Safe Sport Leadership Conference and USA Swimming Workshop presented by LiveBarn. It was phenomenal to connect in person at the Conference for the first time since 2019!

With permission from our fantastic presenters, we will be making video recordings available for Safe Sport Chairs/Coordinators who were unable to attend. When available, we will update you all in the Safe Sport newsletter.













2023 Safe Sport Club Recognition Training

For Parents:

- May 10, 8 p.m. ET | REGISTER
- June 7, 8 p.m. ET | REGISTER

For Athletes:

- May 11, 8 p.m. ET | REGISTER
- June 8, 8 p.m. ET | REGISTER

For Coaches:

- May 12, 3 p.m. ET | REGISTER
- June 9, 3 p.m. ET | REGISTER

Members can also take trainings online at their own pace through the Education tab on their USA Swimming account. To learn more, including easy-to-follow steps, visit the USA Swimming Education Platform here.



2023 DEI Education

May 11, 7 p.m. ET | REGISTER

Visit the DEI website here.



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