

## **Inclement Weather Policy 2007**

The following document describes our policy for rain and indement weather.

### **Lightening and Severe Weather During Games / Practice**

The following policy is to be used in the event we have severe storms or lightening at the park.

We (park director or designee) will officially clear the fields and dugouts when lightening is within a ten (10) mile radius of the park. The park director or designee will use the lightening meter to determine proximity. We cannot resume play until there is no lightening in the ten (10) mile zone for a half hour. Note that players, coaches and parents must go to covered areas.

When the fields are cleared due to weather, a decision whether play can be resumed will be determined as soon as possible. If it is determined that play cannot be resumed within an hour, the game will not be continued. If the game is "official", then the game is over. If not official or tied, then it will be suspended and played at a later date in accordance with Little League rules.

Official days for rescheduling rainouts will be Wednesday evenings and Sunday afternoons.

### **Communication Procedures of Severe Weather / Cancellations Prior To Games**

**First and foremost**, if you are not sure whether your game is being played and you have not heard from your manager, come to the park dressed for the game.

#### **More specifically, here's what you do.**

**Saturday and weekday games will be handle the same way. Please remember that during the week, due to working hours it could be difficult to make a decision before 5PM.**

- 1) The President or designee will make the decision to play or not play as soon as possible
  - A) Message will be left on weather hotline
  - B) President will contact Umpire in Chief
  - C) President will contact the Divisional VP's
  - D) Mass email will be sent out
- 2) Call the park at 336-996-3784 for a voice-recorded update and check your email you provided to the league.
- 3) Managers call your division VP for updates
- 4) Managers, Coaches, or Team Moms must contact players for rainouts and rescheduled games, this is not the responsibility of the board or division VP

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See you at the Park

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