

WEATHER GUIDE AND FIELDS

WEATHER CANCELLATIONS

As our weather in south Florida is unpredictable, a cancellation of games and practices is inevitable. If there is a cancellation, it will be posted on the app **REMIND**

Notice of game/practice cancellations will be posted approximately 1 hour before the event. In the event of a sudden thunderstorm, cancellation decisions may be made closer to event time.

LIGHTNING:

The following lightning policy has been implemented by the City of Coconut Creek.

The City has a LIGHTNING PREDICTION SYSTEM at all city parks in order to warn of any potential lightning threats.

When a ground strike of lightning has occurred within seven miles of the park, the alarm will generate one (1) 15 second horn blast. When you hear this horn blast, we must:

- Suspend all games and practices immediately.
- Stay away from metal including the fencing and bleachers.
- Get EVERYONE to clear the outdoor facility and walk (not run) to their vehicle.
- Ensure everybody remains in their vehicle or protected area until the “ALL CLEAR” alarm sounds, which is three (3) shorts blasts.

Wait in your car/protected area for 20 minutes after the warning horn has sounded. If the all clear has not sounded after 20 minutes, the referees/coaches will decide whether the game/practice can continue and advise the players.

Please also be advised that there should always be a parent or designated representative present at the field for practices, as well as game day, in the event of a cancellation.

