

## **NCHU Rain Outs Procedure**

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## **WEATHER CANCELLATIONS – AT HOME**

- NCHU field coordinator assesses field conditions the morning of the game for playability.
- NCHU President sends PLAY or NO PLAY message to membership via email. NCHU Field coordinator calls each parent administrator scheduled for a home match.
- Immediately notify the referee, opposing coach, and your team in that order.
- Ensure you receive confirmation from the referee and opposing coach they know the match is cancelled.
- If the fields are deemed playable, both teams must show up ready to play.
- No parent administrator has the authority to postpone or cancel a game due to inclement weather.

## **WEATHER CANCELLATIONS - AWAY**

- Contact the opposing coach and ask to be notified immediately of a weather cancellation.
- Communicate PLAY or NO PLAY status to your team.
- If the game is not cancelled despite the weather, both teams must show up ready to play.

## **RESCHEDULING A GAME**

- The **home** coach is responsible for rescheduling the game.
- Games must be rescheduled within the next 7 days.
- Obtain contact information for the opposing club's president.
- Notify the following by email of rain cancellation.
  - o LIJSL Divisional Coordinator
  - LIJSL Age Group Supervisor
  - NCHU Club President (<u>president23@nchu.org</u>)
  - Opposing Club President
  - Opposing coach
- Collect a list of available dates and times from the opposing coach.
- Present possible dates and time to the NCHU Field Scheduler, John Schwarz, at 631-261-4102. Be prepared with the following information.
  - o Match #
  - o Team age/name
  - Date and time of original game
- Once you have an agreed date and time, email the following people.
  - o LIJSL Divisional Coordinator
  - LIJSL Age Group Supervisor
  - o NCHU Club President (president23@nchu.org)
  - o Opposing Club President
  - Opposing coach
- Include the following information in the email.
  - o Match #
  - o Original date, time, and location
  - o Rescheduled date, time, and location
- LIJSL Age Group Coordinator and both presidents will approve.
- Once approved, verify rescheduled game appears on Got Sport.
- Follow up with John Schwarz confirming that the rescheduled game has been approved.