

Athletics Inclement Weather Cancelation Policy



Inclement weather poses unique challenges to athletics operations. The seasonal and geographical frequency of such events impact not only the members but coaches, staff, and administrators who may live some distance from game and practice locations. Decisions are made to keep those who participate and any staff or administrators safe.

Sports affected by inclement winter weather:

- Soccer
- Youth and Adult Volleyball
- Youth and Men's Basketball
- Adult Kickball

Sports affected by all other inclement weather

- Tennis
- Flag football
- Youth and Adult Softball
- Baseball
- T-ball/coach pitch
- Track & Field
- Horseshoes

Sports offered by TRPR:

- Youth sports
 - Spring and fall soccer
 - Fall and winter basketball
 - Tennis
 - Flag football
 - Baseball
 - Softball
 - T-ball/coach pitch
 - Volleyball
 - Track & Field
- Adult sports
 - Men's basketball
 - Volleyball

- o Softball
- o Horseshoes
- o Kickball

Weather Hotline

When cancelling any athletics, we use the weather hotline as communication to all participants. When a program is canceled due to weather the message is changed to notify everyone who calls. An automated message will give the updated status of practice or games. Either call 970-572-7888 or sign up for automatic texts and updates by downloading the app. A decision to cancel a practice will be made by 3pm the day of, depending on the severity. Games will be determined the day before depending on the severity or the morning of.

Process

- Youth sports
 - o Spring Soccer (March-May)
 - Games and practices are all held outside
 - Temperature
 - Amount of field covered/wet
 - Ability to get to game practice safely
 - o Fall Soccer (Sept.-Oct)
 - Games and practices are all held outside
 - Temperature
 - Amount of field covered/wet
 - Ability to get to game/practice safely (road conditions)
 - o Fall Basketball
 - Games and practices held indoors
 - Ability to get to game/practice safely (road conditions)
 - o Winter Basketball
 - Games and practices held indoors
 - Ability to get to game/practice safely (road conditions)
 - o Tennis
 - Practice and meets held outside
 - Temperature
 - Quality of courts (wet, flooded, rain, wind etc.)

- o Flag football
 - Games and practices held are all held outside
 - Temperature
 - Amount of field covered/wet
 - Ability to get to game/practice safely (road conditions)
- o Baseball and softball, T-ball/coach pitch
 - Quality of fields
 - Tornado/storm warnings
- o Volleyball
 - All practices and games held indoors
 - Ability to get to practice/game safely (road conditions)
- o Track and Field
 - Temperature
 - Tornado/storm warnings
 - Quality of track/location of meet
- Adult Sports
 - o Volleyball and Basketball
 - Ability to get to games safely (road conditions)
 - o Softball, Kickball, Horseshoes
 - Field conditions
 - Tornado/Storm warnings
- Who needs to be notified
 - o Field Supervisors, staff, coaches, other organizations we are partnered with
 - o Company we use for officials if applicable