

Glory on the Grass 5V5

Inclement Weather Policy

In the event that a game needs to be stopped due to inclement weather, lightning, etc, one or all of the following methods will be used to inform you:

Notified by tournament officials and or field marshals

Referees on the field

Air Horn

The tournament director will continue to update the managers and coaches the tournament website.

In the event of Lightning REMOVE ALL PLAYERS AND SPECTATORS TO THEIR CARS AND wait 30 minutes after lighting strike before the games will be restarted. DO NOT LEAVE THE COMPLEX!

In the event of a Severe Thunderstorm Warning: all fields will be cleared until the local National Weather Service lifts the warning. DO NOT LEAVE THE COMPLEX (unless otherwise notified by the Tournament Director)

In the event of a Tornado Warning: all fields will be cleared until the local National Weather Service lifts the warning.

EXTREME HEAT

If the air temperature rises to or above 90°F the following guidelines will take effect:

90°F and below - No action taken

Between 90°F and 100°F - Enforced 2-minute water breaks during each game at a natural stoppage point at or close to the 12-minute mark of the match.

100°F and above - Projected air temperature or Heat Index at game time may cancel or delay games & outdoor activities- the tournament will notify teams and referees.

Re-Entry on the Fields:

The air horns/sirens will sound or a tournament official will inform you when everything is "all clear." You should then return to the field. If it is necessary for you to check with Tournament Headquarters regarding this situation, we ask that only one team official go to the headquarters tent. If your team/player is on the field while the "prior to the ALL CLEAR" your team may be asked to leave the tournament and all your games will be forfeited. No refund will be given.

Communication to teams: The tournament will use one or all-3 ways to communicate to all teams

Email or text message from event via Sport Engine

Phone Call from tournament official or club official

Website update

SECURITY PLAN

Tournament Officials: All staff in identifying apparel.

WEATHER MONITORING: NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE, ACCUWEATHER

Regardless of weather conditions, coaches and their teams must appear at their respective field site, ready to play as scheduled. Failure to appear will result in forfeiture of the match. Only the Tournament Director(s) may cancel or postpone a match. Referees may suspend a match only.

In case of severe weather, in his/her discretion, Tournament Director(s) may cancel any and all games. In case of severe weather that occurs after the beginning of play, the Tournament Director(s) may reduce the length of the match and may discontinue or cancel the game.

Should a match be terminated due to weather conditions after 12 minutes of play, the match will be considered official and the score at the time will stand. If a match is terminated prior to 12 minutes of play, every attempt will be made to complete the match. However, if necessary, other means, determined by the Tournament Director(s), may be used to determine a winner. Referees and field marshals will not consider beginning or continuing matches when a lightning storm exists.

Inclement Weather Refund Policy

If the tournament is canceled due to inclement weather before the date of the tournament, Glory on the Grass 5V5 will issue a refund of 80% of fees paid. Glory on the Grass 5V5 reserves the right to reduce the number of scheduled games and/or the time of games and/or postpone or delay game times and/or cancel the event. Every effort will be made to complete games and the tournament. If the tournament is canceled due to inclement weather once it has started, and your age group is unable to complete their competition, an amount equal to 50% of the paid registration fees may be transferred to another Glory on the Grass 5V5 soccer event of your choice at no charge for a period of up to one year from the tournament date.