

All Yonkers Youth Athletics, Inc.
Threatening/Severe Weather Policy

August 13, 2016

Severe Weather Policy for Games & Practice:

- Whenever a governing body, i. e. National Weather Service has posted a severe weather warning or watch, any outdoor activities will be cancelled. Severe weather includes high winds, blizzard or medium/heave snow, heavy rain, tornado, storm, or extreme heat or cold.

Thunder/Lightning Policy for Games & Practice:

It's Simple!! If you see lightning "flash" ONCE or hear Thunder "clap" ONCE... stop what you are doing immediately;

- For games;
 - Flag Football; send everyone home (the referee or umpire will be making this decision.)
 - Soccer, Baseball, or other outdoor sports, if a delayed start or resumption is possible, shelter for 30 minutes of no flash or thunder or send everyone home (the referee or umpire will be making this decision.)
- For Practice;
 - IF you can wait 1/2 an hour and resume and you think it might stop, immediately send everyone **to a fully enclosed shelter** (fully metallic cars count) and call them back after 30 minutes of the last flash or clap.
 - IF you can't wait 1/2 hour because practice would almost be over anyway, **send everyone home...** even if you can't practice again, even if you think it will cost you the championship... safety is much more important than that.

All Yonkers Youth Athletics, Inc.
NFL Flag Football
Non-Threatening Weather Policy
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- **This Policy applies only if the weather situation is non threatening, rain, snow, low winds, not thunder & lighting. For dealing with Thunder & Lighting, please**
- **If it rains, we will still make every attempt to play, with the following general guidelines (assume we are playing until you hear we are not:)**
 - All Divisions, except 6u, will play in very light rain, when it is not too cold (above approx. 55 deg.)
 - 10u & 13us will play in light rain, when it is not too cold (above approx. 55 deg.)
 - 13us will play in medium rain, when it is not too cold (above approx. 60 deg.)
 - No one plays in heavy rain.
 - Once a game begins, it is at the discretion of the Head/Lead Referee to end the game if conditions on the field are unsafe. The Head Referee and the Commissioner will determine if an uncompleted game becomes official or not.
 - We will not make up any games the first time they are cancelled, but will for subsequent cancellations subject to the below notes. We do not make up 6u sessions, unless they are rained out several times.
 - If we cancel individual "hours" of play, we will not make those games up.
 - If we cancel the entire program (and possibly one entire division,) we will make those games up on Sunday, using the exact same schedule (starting with the second cancellation.)
 - When the weather is questionable or until cancellations occur, assume we are playing until you hear officially otherwise. The commissioner will be giving notifications 45 minute before each game.
 - AYYA reserves the right to alter these rules, in a manner that is not unfair to any party or parties, at their discretion.