



# VAUGHAN SOCCER CLUB INC.

## WEATHER POLICY

I have a game/practice and it is raining out, how do I know if the practice/game is cancelled?

- a. Call the city of Vaughan hotline to see if fields are open/closed (905.832.8577 Ext 3) Give this number to parents so they can call directly, do not call the Vaughan Soccer Club to enquire about field closure, the City makes that decision.
- b. If fields are closed:
  - i. Game/practice is cancelled (practices will not be re-scheduled)
  - ii. Games must be re-scheduled (e-mail [Tony De Palma](mailto:Tony De Palma) at [pm@vaughansoccer.com](mailto:pm@vaughansoccer.com) for re-scheduling League games)
  - iii. **If fields are closed please ensure that all your parents/players are contacted and informed that the game/practice is cancelled.**
- c. If fields are open:
  - i. It is up to you if you want to have or cancel your practice (Make sure you inform the parents!)
  - ii. Your team **must** show up to the game. Only the referee can cancel a game due to weather conditions. **If your team does not show up, you will forfeit the game and it will be counted as a loss**
- d. If there is a Heat Advisory games/practices do not get cancelled.
  - i. If you are scheduled to play a game you must show up. Referee's will be giving extra water breaks
  - ii. If you are scheduled to have a practice it is up to you if you want to hold the practice or cancel it. Please note that cancelled practices will not be re-scheduled. If you decide to hold a practice we advise you to keep the practice light and include lots of water breaks