

League Policy on Weather Related Game Cancellations:

This is spring in Idaho and the weather can change in 5 minutes. Games are played in wind, rain, fog, snow, hail, sleet etc. If the game **CAN** be played it **SHOULD** be played. Games are only cancelled due to safety reasons (lightning, standing water on the playing surface etc.). Games **SHOULD NOT** be cancelled in advance or for any other reason.

In times of severe inclement weather and you believe it is unsafe to play please send an email to the league President and VP of Baseball **prior to 2:00p** with your request to cancel. Once approved please contact the other coach **prior to 3:00p**. Then notify sbll.scheduling@gmail.com that your game was canceled by you due to weather.

Part of the reason for this policy is logistics. Putting together a schedule for multiple divisions using limited fields is a frustrating and difficult experience to begin with, then when games can't be played when they are supposed to be that puts everything else in a bind and finding a time/place/situation to replicate becomes almost impossible. Additionally we have to work under some pretty stringent time constraints as far as how long the season is allowed to be, how many baseball activities are allowed per division, per week.

Additionally, with our focus on player safety and pitcher protection, re-schedules force managers into situations that are unfair for pitching availability/pitch count reasons.

Therefore, if you choose to cancel a game, you need to understand that you are **CANCELING** that game. There likely won't be an option to reschedule it or make it up.

[Lightning Safety](#)

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