

CUFC Inclement Weather and Cancellation Policy

CUFC reserves the right to cancel training sessions when the temperatures drops below freezing (32 degrees), there is a severe weather warning, a tornado warning, a high wind warning, and heat related temperatures (Estimated to be above 95 degrees, based on the temperature and humidity). Because there are several factors that determine the threat to player safety, it is hard to set a definite temperature to cancel. With that said, the directors will always make a decision we feel is in the best interest of the SAFETY of the players, parents and coaches. Understand these decisions are based on the forecasts which are not always reliable indicators, and we do not make the decision to cancel trainings or games lightly. We will always take into consideration field conditions as well as driving conditions to get to the fields. Our goal is to communicate any cancellations as soon as a decision has been made. Often we will wait to make a decision in the hope that conditions improve that will permit us to train. We appreciate your support and understanding when we are faced with making these difficult decisions.

CUFC offers a variety of resources to CUFC families to make sure they have the latest information on weather updates and policies.

- CUFC Weather Hotline: 704-583-8354 X 1
- CUFC's Facebook and Twitter accounts

CUFC relies on many municipalities and other groups for field space, so sometimes field closings are out of control. For this reason, some fields may be open while others may be closed. Please do not use fields that are closed.

CUFC follows the NCYSA Lightning policy: If the fields are open and inclement weather approaches, get off the field. If you see lightning, clear the field. If you hear thunder, clear the field. Play will be halted for a minimum of 30 minutes. If no lightning is spotted during the 30 minutes and/or thunder is heard, play will resume. If lightning is seen and/or thunder is heard during the 30 minute period, the waiting clock starts over. No play will resume until a minimum of 30 minutes passes with no thunder and/or no lightning.

CUFC's Facebook and Twitter accounts are a great way to not only stay in the loop about weather, but also receive updates on the latest CUFC information. Follow us today to get information fast from CUFC!