

SPIRIT UNITED

==KICKOFF CLASSIC 2009==

INCLEMENT WEATHER POLICY

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

- 1) Notified by tournament official;
- 2) referees;
- 3) Air Horns.

Everyone should then go to their cars or a place of safety. **DO NOT LEAVE THE SITE.** The air horns will sound again or you will be informed by a tournament official 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 the teams' head coach go to the headquarters tent.

Games will be suspended until 20 minutes after the last lightning or thunder has left the vicinity. Inclement weather is always a possibility and such weather may result in delayed, abbreviated or canceled games. The tournament committee will attempt to reschedule games to insure that each team will play a full schedule for the tournament. Games may be shortened or postponed or scheduled at a different site in order to meet this goal. The Tournament Directors and Site Coordinators have authority to suspend games due to weather. Preliminary matches terminated after 20 minutes of play because of the weather shall be considered final.

In the event of inclement weather, every attempt will be made to reschedule games using any available means. If games are canceled due to weather, refunds will be determined based on the number of completed games played.