

LIGHTNING POLICY

In the event of lightning, the guidelines below will be followed. The home plate umpire and coaches will be in charge deciding to stop play, remove individuals from the field, and announce warning to the spectators and players to take shelter. All participants and spectators will be encouraged to take shelter in their vehicles or an enclosed building until the storm has passed or a decision to suspend game has been made.

Suspension and Resumption of Games

Games must be suspended when lightning is a maximum of six miles away. If thunder can be heard within 30 seconds of any lightning strike, play must be suspended until more than 30 seconds can be timed between any lightning flash and subsequent thunder. A clear sky or lack of rainfall are not adequate indicators for resuming play. The home plate umpire & coaches will keep track of the lightning flashes and make decision when it is safe to resume the game or cancel.

Game Scoring if game is unable to continue

Take the score of the last full inning.

If the 2nd game has not been played yet, it will result in a tie.

If both games are cancelled due to the weather, try your best to reschedule.

