



Rain Outs

All Premier Teams & ALL U16/U18 teams.

CITY OF EDMONTON RAIN OUT LINE: 496-4999 ext. 1
Please check the EMSA website for out of City rain out numbers.

★Unless the fields are officially closed through the rain out lines, regardless of current or pending inclement weather, teams are required to report to their field or risk forfeiture. It will be the referee's discretion if the game will commence.

RAIN OUT RESCHEDULING PROCEDURE:

When a game is rained out due to the City of Edmonton (or out of town rain out line) closing the fields or the referee called the game due to inclement weather, it will be up to the coaches to reschedule the game amongst themselves.

Step #1: Home team must send an email to their EMSA League Director indicating the game details and indicating the game did not go due to field closure or referee halting the game due to inclement weather.

- ◆ Community teams (Tier 4 and lower) send email to Community League Director abent@emsamain.com
- ◆ Premier teams send email to Premier League Director angelad@emsamain.com

Step #2: Contact the opposing coach to come up with an agreed upon rescheduled date. If the opposing coach and you cannot agree on a reschedule date, please notify the League Director and he/she will step in and take over the rescheduling process. Please note that you must give the League Director enough notice to be able to help you with the rescheduled game. If you send notice a day or two before the rescheduling deadline then we will be unable to help you and the game will go down as not being played.

Step #3: Once a date has been agreed upon, the Home team is responsible for contacting their home field & referee coordinator to rebook another field & referees for the rescheduled game.

Step #4: Home team is responsible for letting opposing team know all rescheduled game details.

Step #5: Notify League Director in writing (via email/fax) of all rescheduled game details, Please include your division and team details as well as the original date, time, field and the new date, time and field.

Step #6: League Director will send an email to both teams confirming the rescheduled game details have been received and approved by the EMSA office. The rescheduled game is not considered legal until that time. Please keep in mind the EMSA office is only open during the weekdays.

*Once the game has been confirmed by the League Director, if one team fails to show for a rescheduled game then that team will lose by default. If both teams fail to show for a rescheduled game, the game will go down as not being played, no stats or points will be awarded and the game will not be rescheduled.

ALL RESCHEDULED GAMES MUST BE COMPLETED within three (3) weeks of the original scheduled date. If there is less than three weeks left on the schedule you must have those games completed prior to your last game on the schedule. If the game does not get played within the three week deadline or before the last game on the schedule (if there are less than three weeks left) then it will go down as not being played, no stats or points will be awarded. However, if the outstanding game will impact the standings in regards to post season play advancement in the main/final round, the EMSA League Director will reschedule the game.