

Aqualions

INCLEMENT WEATHER POLICY

In general, if school is cancelled or early dismissal is announced by the State College Area School District, practices will also be cancelled. However, there are circumstances when, due to the early time frame (typically 5 a.m.), the decision to close or dismiss schools will not cause practices to be cancelled, particularly those in the late afternoon or early evening time frame. For example, we've all seen days when the morning started out with bad weather but by mid-afternoon the roads were open and the driving was fine. This policy was created to address these types of situations.

What we will make our best effort to do is to provide positive notification when practices will be held on days when school is cancelled or an early dismissal is announced. In other words, on days when school is cancelled or early dismissal is announced, practice will only be held if notifications are made via e-mail and the website (www.aqualions.org). Updates will also be provided on the SCAY Hotline (235-SCAY); please call the hotline if you are not sure if practice is scheduled. The front desk at the Y will also be notified if practice will take place, but please try to limit the number of calls to the front desk by checking the alternative methods prior to calling. No individual phone calls will be to families made regarding cancellation or occurrence of practice.

School Cancellation: Generally if school is canceled, so are practices, but this is not always the case. Notification will take place by 2:00 p.m. only if practice will be held; we will try to notify earlier.

Two-hour delay: Morning dryland will be canceled.

Late bus/activity cancellation: Notification will take place by 2:00 p.m. only if practice will be held; we will try to notify earlier. If notification is made that practice will take place, the practice times will remain as normal.

In addition, if school is cancelled due to a storm expected to arrive in the afternoon, the JR/SR group will practice from 7:00 – 9:00 a.m. (we only have three lanes, and scheduled dryland is cancelled), and the 2:00 p.m. notification will still be an option for all groups.

***In all cases, everyone is urged to use their best judgment—
please don't drive if the roads are dangerous in any way!***