

Lambeth Youth Soccer Weather Policy For Games and Practices - Updated 2025

Lambeth Youth Soccer operates **rain or shine**, and all games and practices will only be canceled if the City of London closes the fields we play on. If a closure occurs, we will notify members as soon as the club is notified by the City of London. This information will be posted on our website's home page (www.lambethyouthsoccer.com), in the top weather banner.

In the instance where the weather is questionable, and the City of London has not closed the fields we manage this in two ways:

- If the weather **changes during a practice**, the **coach** will make the call to cancel the practice, and all players and spectators must leave the field immediately.
- If the weather **changes during a game**, the **referee** will determine if the game should be canceled, and in that case, everyone is required to leave the field.

That said, we understand that weather conditions can vary in severity, and **the final decision for your child's participation rests with you**. We are not aware of individual health concerns such as injuries, illnesses, or breathing difficulties, etc. so we trust parents to use their discretion when evaluating questionable weather conditions.

For the **U12 division and higher**, we recognize that weather conditions can vary across different areas of the City. Even if the weather in your neighborhood appears questionable, the conditions at your scheduled field may be suitable for play. **Unless you receive an official cancellation notice, games will proceed as scheduled**. However, as always, the **final decision for your child's participation remains with you**. We trust parents to consider any personal health concerns or safety risks when making this decision.

Thank you for your cooperation and understanding. We look forward to a great season!

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