



Town of Mansfield Parks and Recreation Department



To: Mansfield Basketball Coaches, Referees and Gym Supervisors

Date: 2015-2016 Basketball Season

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INCLEMENT WEATHER INFORMATION for MANSFIELD YOUTH BASKETBALL

In the event of inclement weather please note the following.

Weeknights

- If schools are closed for the day there will be no practices.
- If schools close early, decisions regarding holding practices will be determined by MPRD.
- If school is held but pending inclement weather is a concern practices may be canceled by a coach or MPRD.

Games

Lakes League (grades 3-8 recreation division):

The Lakes League home and away cancellation information will be provided on the MPRD phone line and web site no later than **7:30am** on Saturdays and **10:00am on Sundays**. As feasible MPRD coaches, referees and gym supervisors will be emailed about weather cancellations.

- Decisions regarding cancellations are coordinated and determined by participating town league coordinators. In some cases play may take place in one town but not another as opening of facilities in town: town vary with inclement weather policies per town.
- Updates may possibly be made throughout the day if necessary due to declining or improving weather conditions.
- If home or away are canceled it is still encouraged that coaches try notify the opposing team coach to confirm.
- Coaches should also contact players/parents. They can also utilize the town web site and phone number.

NCCTBL Travel League (grades 5-8):

- Per league rules the host team should provide at least a 3 (three) hour notice regarding game status.
- **Away game** cancellations are determined by the hosting town. Mansfield coaches should contact the opposing town coach as MPRD is not always notified of away game cancellations.
- The ability to host **Mansfield home games** will be determined by MPRD. Only cancellations will be published on MPRD phone line and web site no later than 3 (three) hours prior to the game. As feasible MPRD coaches, referees and gym supervisors will be emailed about weather cancellations.
- Coaches should also contact players/parents. They can also utilize the town web site and phone number.

Inclement Weather Information General Program Postings

MPRD web site: www.mansfieldcc.com

Phone: 860-429-3015, ext. #4

TV: WFSB TV, CTFox, CTNBC and associated web sites

Email: As feasible MPRD coaches, referees and gym supervisors will be emailed about weather cancellations