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Game Cancellation and Rescheduling Policy for 12U and 14U Games

Notification of Umpires

1. ASA Umpires Contact: **Keith**, ASA Umpire Assignor
 - a. 732.778.2747 (cell)
 - b. E-mail: umpkeithasa@aol.com
2. Home Field Coach is responsible to notify Keith of the cancellations and rescheduling of games. COMMUNICATION, BY HOME TEAM REP. ONLY AND 1 PER TEAM. Home field coach should keep a record of all games completed or cancelled during play due to weather so that the league can reconcile the fees paid to the ASA umpires. Home field coaches obtain name of umpire and request umpire to sign home team score/stat. book after a complete game. This record should be submitted to your town coordinator.
3. Cancellations on Game Day - Keith must be notified by calling his cellphone 2 hours before game time (NO EMAILS), when the fields are in question due to rain the day before or the morning of the game. Home field coach needs to get someone to the fields to check conditions and make decision on what the field would look like if it rains for another hour or two. Please do not take any risks due to potential unsafe field conditions. Umpire will have final say on unsafe conditions and game will have to be rescheduled. Coaches must abide by Umpires decision. If you have an issue with the umpires decision(s) please see policy no. 6 below.
4. Cancellations due to insufficient number of players - Coaches must communicate to try and reschedule game due to insufficient players at least 2 days prior to the day of the game. Home field coach is required to contact Keith as soon as you are aware of game cancellation. Reschedule game with Keith at such times. Advise Keith the date and time and field location.
5. Rescheduling Games – Home field coach must e-mail Keith 48 hours before the date of the rescheduled game. Advise Keith the date and time and field location of rescheduled game. Keith will e-mail back confirmation. If coaches do not get e-mail back from Keith, call him because he did not get your email. Coaches need verify with town coordinators that a field is available before rescheduling a game.
6. Umpire Complaints or Praises – Umpire complaints should be e-mailed to Keith and your town coordinator immediately. Keith also welcomes praises for an umpire's job well done.
7. Incomplete Games – Incomplete games may be completed at a later date, but must be scheduled to precede or follow another umpired game. Incomplete games will be completed from last completed inning.