

Inclement Weather

For up-to-date changes in any program regarding weather, time or location, please sign up for up-to-date information at www.newtown-ct.gov.

- Click on “subscribe to news”
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- Check off “Recreation Field closures and Cancellations”

All league officials, parents, coaches, players are welcome to sign up for this notice.

1. The website is only updated on days when Town staff is working, and it is not done until AFTER 2:30 PM.
2. Weekdays decisions are not made until 2:30 PM, to give fields the most opportunity to dry and be used. If decisions were made earlier, there would be more field closures. Please do not call at 12 pm asking for a decision.
3. On weekends, decisions are made and posted by 7:45 AM.
4. On weekends after 8 AM, holidays, and on weekdays when weather conditions have changed after the 2:30 PM decision, contact your league officials who are responsible for inclement weather decisions. Leagues may not open any fields deemed closed by Parks and Recreation.
5. Use of wet fields jeopardizes the safety of participants, causing (5) times the damage of the use of a dry field. It also adds increased maintenance to the field. Do not use a field with standing water and do not attempt to do any maintenance on your own that has not been authorized by Parks and Recreation.
6. Use of wet fields may jeopardize your league’s permit.