





# **GAME RESCHEDULES AND CANCELLATION**

This document outlines the reschedule and cancellation policy details needed for the OSA Nike Development League Columbus, Cleveland and Southeast. Be sure to read through this document so you are familiar with all requirements of rescheduling and game cancellations.

#### **GAME RESCHEDULES**

Teams are permitted to change current game site, date and/or time provided that such change is made more than 72 hours prior to a scheduled game. To request a game change, the following procedures must be met:

- 1. The team seeking to make the change contacts its opponent. Opponent must mutually agree on the game change in order for the game change to occur. When notifying the Conference Administrator of any game changes, such communications must also be sent to all teams involved.
- 2. If mutually agreed, complete the online form (found on our OSDL Schedule Page [HERE] which includes the game number, gender, age group division and revised game date, time and site.
- 3. The League confirms the change by posting the revised game in the league scheduling system.

## **GAME RESCHEDULES WITHIN 72 HOURS**

Unless there is inclement weather or a field is deemed unplayable, a game **CANNOT** be rescheduled within 72 hours. If a team is unable to play the game as scheduled and it is less than 72 hours to kickoff and the referee cannot be reassigned, the cancelling team will be responsible for the referee fees in its entirety.

## **GAMES NOT PLAYED AS SCHEDULED**

Games not played as scheduled, or games that are rescheduled without the prior knowledge and consent of the Conference Administrator, may be considered a forfeit and the teams being held responsible for the scheduled referee fees.

#### CANCELLED GAMES DUE TO INCLEMENT WEATHER

If a game is cancelled due to inclement weather, the following procedures must be met immediately.

- 1. Notify the opposing team(s) of the cancellation and if you know your referee assignor notify them as well
- 2. Call or text Ohio Soccer OSDL cell phone at 440-584-0090 to notify us of the cancelled game
- 3. Email <u>jeberle@ohio-soccer.org</u> with the game number and originally scheduled date and note that the game will be rescheduled due to inclement weather.
- 4. Begin rescheduling with opposing team(s).

All reschedules **must** be completed with 72 hours (3 days) of the cancelled game.

## **FORFEIT GAMES**

Any game provided by the league must be played during the current season. Any team who actively refuses to schedule and play the provided game it will be considered a forfeit and the opposing team will be awarded three (3) points and a 4-0 win. If a team cancels or reschedules a game and there is no effort or flexibility in the reschedule process, the game will be considered a forfeit and the opposing team will be awarded three (3) points and a 4-0 win.