

# Dick's Sporting Goods/SJYLAX Festival & Championship

## Storm Action Plan

As the festival & championship fast approaches so does the threat of severe weather. Representatives from the league and the tournament committee conferenced today regarding actions to be taken in the event of severe weather on Sunday. Below is the best information we have available to provide to you.

1. We are requesting as many attendees as possible join a special Remind 101 session that has been setup specifically for use in the event of a weather emergency. Below are instructions to join the group.
  - a. Stay up to date with any storm related changes. Sign up with Remind.com. Please Send a text to 81010 and text the message: **@sjyll2019**  
  
You will join the SJYLL Girls Lacrosse Tournament 2019. You can also visit: [www.remind.com](http://www.remind.com)
2. A shelter has been reserved within Cherokee High School. The attached site map will indicate access to the emergency shelter. The shelter is only for use should a severe storm approach.
3. We will monitor the weather throughout the day. Should it become necessary to evacuate the fields there will be 3 means of immediate communications available.
  - a. We will send a notification via Remind.com
  - b. The central horn will sound 5 times followed by a pause and then repeated 5 times and followed by a pause. This will continue until we are sure we've reached as many people as possible.
  - c. Each field marshal table will be equipped with a mobile radio capable of speaking directly with the event operations tent.

4. When seeking shelter attendees may return to their personal vehicle or enter the school via the indicated doors.
5. When we are prepared to resume play a message will be sent via Remind 101 detailing what time play will resume. Please see the information below regarding suspended play and resumed play.

### **SUSPENDED PLAY / RESUMED PLAY**

1. Any festival games suspended by weather will NOT be made up.
2. Festival play will pick up at the set of scheduled games beginning at that point in time. (ex. – play suspended at 12:30 and resumes at 2:00, play begins with games scheduled for 2:00)
3. Championship games that are suspended due to weather will be made up during the week.
  - a. Any game that has been played at-least midway through the second half and has a five-point differential at the time play is suspended will be considered final.

### **TENTS**

1. Any tents being set-up by attendees are required to be anchored/secured so as to prevent the tent from becoming airborne in the event of any significant wind.
2. If a request by a league or tournament representative to lower and stow your tents is made, this must be done immediately. This is being done for everyone's safety.
3. Programs not adhering to these guidelines will be noted and liable for their actions.