



Bad Weather Policy

North Elmham Trailblazers

Trailblazers Netball is played outdoors and sometimes might need to be delayed or cancelled due to extreme weather, especially as we move into the winter season. Extreme weather is considered excessive heat/cold, high winds, rain, hail and lightning.

Trailblazers Netball Club observe the official weather warnings and advice given by Met Office and BBC Weather, and make a final decision based on those guidelines.

Training:

Whilst the club makes every effort to train in all scheduled time slots, should conditions become unmanageable due to weather conditions (heavy rain/temp etc), the club has a duty-of-care to its players and officials, and reserve the right to postpone or cancel training for any/all groups before or during the session.

If training sessions are going ahead, you must ensure that your child comes to the session in appropriate clothing and footwear ready to play; the courts at North Elmham are very exposed and subject to strong, cold winds so all players need to come fully prepared with multiple layers, coats, hat, gloves, etc.

Collection of players in bad weather:

Once you drop your child off, please monitor the weather conditions and ensure you are contactable and available to pick-up your child should training or games be cancelled last minute. Club staff will make every effort to contact parents for early collection if it is deemed necessary, and a senior member of the coaching group will remain at the clubhouse until all players leave. Please ensure you collect your child on time.

We fully support any decision to not send your child to a session if you feel the weather is too extreme, but we do then please ask you to change your response on that week's session WhatsApp Poll.

Thank you for your understanding.