

**PISE Field & Track Closure Policy**

PISE fields and track are designed and maintained for the enjoyment and use of PISE clients. In order to maintain the life of the turf field and the track surface there may be times where the field will need to be closed during inclement weather. The field and track will be closed in these situations to prevent (1) damage to the surface and (2) injuries to field or track users caused by inclement weather or unsafe playing conditions.

Users are asked to help us by adhering to the **closed status of the field**. Groups who use PISE’s turf field or track are expected to assist in protecting their participants and the facilities during periods of inclement weather.

PISE reserves the right to cancel or suspend field/track use, including uses subject to an issued permit, for games, practices and other uses whenever field conditions might result in damage to the field or injury to players.

Please note that closed means **CLOSED**! Any coach or persons using a closed field will be liable for any repairs to the field if damage arises from such use. PISE will not be responsible for any injuries that may happen if the field is used despite the closed status. Any team or group found playing on a closed field may lose their field permits and/or be subject to fines.

In the case of field and track closure PISE staff will take every measure to inform the users of the closure but because weather can change quickly it may not always be possible before the time of the booking. Users are asked to use their judgment in times of extreme weather if they are unsure of the status of the field. A general rule to follow: the field will be closed if the field lines are not visible or temperature drops below -1 degree.

Field closed signs take precedence over web postings. For example, if the field is shown as open in the website but the sign on the field indicates that the field is closed to play, the field is considered closed. Please confirm with the front desk the status of the field at 250 220 2510 they will have the most up to date information.

At no times should anyone try to remove snow or ice themselves. Shovels and salt seriously damage the both the track and field surfaces and should not be used under any circumstances.

In the instance where the field is closed during your scheduled time PISE will record the loss time and reimburse the users the corresponding amount.

If you have any questions regarding PISE Field Closure Policy please contact the

Facility Manager at 250-220-2504