

## **5.06 Cancellation and Rescheduling Rules**

1. Teams are permitted to reschedule a maximum of three (3) games without fines being assessed as long as all game guidelines are followed i.e. times, venues and the game is more than seven (7) days in the future.

Note: This does not include inclement weather/ loss of ice or a public health notice i.e. H1N1.

If officials have already been assigned to a game at the time the rescheduling request has been made, the rescheduling team is responsible for the \$5 reassigning fee.

2. Cancellation of a regular season, or playoff game by a team may be done without a cancellation penalty up to one week (7 days) prior to the day a game is scheduled. Any cancelled game must be rescheduled as provided below. This does include the use of one of the three (3) allowable scheduled games.
3. Games cancelled must be rescheduled for a future date within seven (7) days of game cancellation. Any team that does not reschedule within the seven (7) day period may be assessed a \$100.00 disciplinary fine payable to the League. A rescheduled game is not considered to be locked into the schedule until the Divisional Coordinator has been notified.
4. An additional \$500.00 fine, payable to the League, to any team who fails to show for a scheduled League game without just cause; cancels a scheduled League game within twenty-four (24) hours of its playing time without just cause; or refuses to reschedule a cancelled game. In addition, the Board shall have the right to suspend all or any member of the team staff of the offending team for up to one (1) year and to refuse the admission of teams from the offending association for the next season. Any costs of Officials for a game cancelled under these circumstances are the responsibility of the offending team.
5. A team that withdraws from the League shall be deemed to have cancelled all of its remaining scheduled games.