

Operations: Club Adverse Weather Policy
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The following policy is intended to provide acceptable guidelines for when weather may be creating adverse conditions for getting to and from the pool for club events, including workouts, and meets.

- First and foremost is safety. If you feel uncomfortable with commuting in adverse weather conditions, please look at other options or stay home. Alternative options for getting to workout include – walking, car pooling, city transit, Uber/Lyft, or taxi.
- If you will not be attending a workout, please email your group coach, particularly if it is a morning workout.
- Communication of last minute workout cancellations will be by one or more of the following options listed below:
 - Email - club will use the emails that are on file. Make sure that surreyknights.com and teamunify.com are on your safe lists and you have verified all email addresses associated with your account. To verify your email, head to My Account on the website and view your account information.
 - Website - last minute cancellations will be noted on the News section of the website
 - SMS (text message) - this is now a great time to input your cell phone number into the club website, allowing your cell phone to receive these messages. We only text out sudden practice changes or cancellations. Check under My Account on the website and view your account information to add your cell phone to SMS.
 - On deck app - “Team Feed” App is great for swimmers, parents to follow their accounts, best times, etc
 - Social Media - change maybe posted on facebook, instagram, and/or twitter
- Workouts maybe canceled based on the following information:
 - Weather conditions that have affected pool operations (i.e. pool is closed or no power)
 - Buses are not running
 - Coaches feel that the risk is too high and are unable to make it to the pool
 - Weather bulletins of extreme weather as dictated by local officials (City of Surrey/RCMP/etc)

Once again, the first and foremost concern is the safety of our swimmers, parents and coaches. If you feel that your risk is too high, please stay home. Drive safely!