



East Coast Elite Volleyball Club (ECE) | P.O. Box 60 | Glenwood, MD 21738-0060

ECE Practice Cancellation Policy

GACC Closure Policy

GACC follows the Howard County Snow Emergency Plan (which is not the same plan as the plan followed by HCPSS). The threshold that HCPSS uses (regarding the treatment and snow-removal at all of their schools) is different than the threshold required of individual facilities (such as GACC). So, GACC follows the Howard County Snow Emergency Plan, which evaluates roads across the county coupled with an evaluation of their specific property.

GACC Closure-related refund policy

If GACC is closed, ECE will be given an opportunity to make up the practice or receive a refund. If GACC is open, ECE will be charged for the gym time - whether or not we hold practice.

Friends Closure Policy

The Friends Meeting School (Friends), located at 3232 Green Valley Road, Ijamsville, MD 21754, leaves practicing at their facility to our discretion. Because we have been granted with a key access, the facility is never "closed" to us.

Friends Closure-related refund policy

They do not offer weather-related refunds or make-up opportunities.

ECE Snow/Weather-related Policy

Friends Meeting School practices will follow the ***Frederick County Public School Weather Delay and Closings Plan***.

If an ECE coach can get to their practice facility at Friends, we will have practice. Of course, we respect each player's decision regarding her ability to travel during a weather-related event and will understand a decision to miss practice. Always make the safe choice, and let the coach know if you will need to miss practice.

If an ECE coach feels they cannot get to the facility, they will:

1. Reach out to ALL of the other ECE coaches to see if someone can cover for them.
2. Notify ECE Club director(s) of their inability to travel to practice and possible intent to cancel practice.



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3. Notify an ECE board member of their inability to travel to practice and possible intent to cancel practice.

ECE Club director(s) and ECE board members will do everything they can to cover practice and will ultimately make the decision whether or not to cancel practice (and will do so only if necessary).

ECE Practice Cancellation Policy (not weather related)

Again, if an ECE coach feels they cannot get to practice due to illness (or for any other reason), similar to the snow policy, they will:

1. Reach out to ALL of the other ECE coaches to see if someone can cover for them.
2. Notify ECE Club director(s) of their inability to make it to practice and possible intent to cancel practice.
3. Notify an ECE board member of their inability to make it to practice and possible intent to cancel practice.

ECE Club director(s) and the ECE board members will do everything they can to cover practice and will ultimately make the decision whether or not to cancel practice (and will do so only if necessary).

Open Gym in the event of Practice Cancellation

The ECE board members will review the possibility of allowing a CHRVA-certified parent to hold an open gym in the event of a cancelled practice. At this time (and while we investigate any issues related to hosting an open gym), we would NOT host an open gym if practice were cancelled. However, we are evaluating this option and will update this policy if open gym is approved.

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