



Severe Weather Policy

Sienna Premier Aquatics (SPA) is committed to the safety of our athletes. SPA will always make sure that swimmers and coaches are not put in a position where their safety is in danger.

We hold swim practices in all types of weather conditions, so always assume that practice will be held. In the event that practices need to be canceled because of severe weather, families will be notified by email, text and push notification*.

If severe weather conditions are known before the start of practice and practice will have to be canceled for the day, notices will be sent in a timely manner.

In the case of inclement weather after the start of practice, coaches will direct swimmers to a safe area to wait. If the weather will not clear in time to resume practice, coaches will send a notification via email, text and push notification. Swimmers will be encouraged to contact their parents directly to pick them up.

If lightning is within 10 miles of the pool, we will clear the pool and pool deck and wait 30 minutes from the last lightning strike before resuming practice. When thunder is heard we will clear the pool and pool deck and wait 20 minutes from the last sound of thunder before resuming practice.

It is the parents' responsibility to check their email, text and the Weekly Calendar daily prior to coming to practice.

We ask that parents and swimmers use their best judgment when driving to the pools. If you are not comfortable driving in certain

weather conditions, please stay home as we do not want anyone taking unnecessary risks.

*Be sure to verify your phone number through your TeamUnify account to receive texts and push notifications

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