

DURHAM **SPORTZ**

*** DURHAM SPORTZ POLICIES ***

The main goal of Durham Sportz is to have fun. Members must always remember that these are recreational leagues. There is no reason to have aggressive play or behaviours.

Regular Player Eligibility

- All players must be 18 years of age or older.
- All players must be registered and full payment must have been received in order to play.
- All players should be on the roster of the team they are playing for unless a substitute is required. Substitute must be on the same skill level as the other team members.

Playoff Eligibility (for team sports such as Dodgeball & Volleyball)

- Players must be on the team roster.
- Players can only be on 1 roster per season.
- Players must have played at least 3 games during the regular season.

Physical or Unsportsmanlike Play

- Durham Sportz is a place for recreational sports. There is no need or tolerance of aggressive play. Aggressive players/teams may be ejected from the league without refund at the discretion of the league. Please report any aggressive play to any Durham Sportz staff members

Alcohol & Drugs

- In co-ordinance with the school board policies, Durham Sportz imposes a very strict NO ALCOHOL & DRUG Policy.
- Any players/team found using either substance on school property will be removed and banned from the league immediately without refund.
- There is a no smoking/fire policy within all schools. Any smoking or un-authorized use of fire within the school can lead to suspension or expulsion from Durham Sportz.

Objectionable Conduct

- Any conduct that results in the loss of a permit is subject to discipline action. This includes damage to venues, showing disrespect to venue staff and any other action which endangers a permit for Durham Sportz.

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Inclement Weather

- Indoor games are to proceed as long as the venue is open.
- In the event of inclement weather, and you are not sure if the other team is coming, please contact Durham Sportz. Also, if you know for sure that your team is not going to come to the game, the team should notify Durham Sportz. This way the opposing team will have the option of coming. They may also use the time/venue as practice time.
- If a team notifies another team that they aren't going to make it, that team will be given a default loss. They cannot decide to show up afterwards.

Indoor Shoes

- For gym sports, please wear athletic shoes with non-marking soles.

Registration/Refunds

- Registration is not complete until payment is received (and therefore the spot is not assured until payment is received).
- There are no refunds given after registration deadline has passed.
- No refunds due to defaulted games, for injuries, or for any player or team that is suspended or ejected from Durham Sportz.
- In the event of an inclement weather day as ruled by the school board or a job action/strike by school workers, a credit will be issued at the end of the season

Team Names

- Durham Sportz encourages teams to come up with creative names for their teams, however they should not contain any obscenities or objectionable content. Durham Sportz reserves the right to change any names which it deems as objectionable.