

**PARK LIGHTNING POLICY  
(CITY OF CORAL SPRINGS)**

1. When the Thor Guard Warning System (one 15 second horn blast) sounds, the following procedure should be followed: clear the outdoor facilities of all patrons and employees and give the patrons two choices:
  - A) Seek and remain in a protected building (a dugout is not considered a protected building).
  - B) Ask everyone to wait in their vehicles until the weather clears and the All Clear Signal sounds (three consecutive short horn blasts).
2. Once the park is clear, do a manual check of the Thor Guard System to assure that it is working properly.
3. If park patrons refuse to leave the facilities, they do so at their own risk.
4. If park patrons return to the facilities prior to the All Clear Signal, they do so at their own risk.
5. Allow activities to resume once the All Clear Signal sounds.
6. The Thor Guard System will be operable from 8:00 AM - 11:00 PM at Mullins and Cypress Parks and from 8:00 AM - 10:00 PM at the Sportsplex.
7. If the park is closed for any reason, the Thor Guard System will be turned off, so as not to disturb the park neighbors.
8. The policy will be handed out with all permits.

**CSBC POLICY**

- A Teams must wait in a safe location (a protected shelter or their vehicles) for the game to be officially canceled by the League AD. Standing outside the courts or in the parking lot is not considered safe.
- B. ADs and/or the game referees can stop play in a game even if the siren does not sound if they feel there is a real threat of lightning.