

POSTPONED / UNFULFILLED MATCHES



Postponing a Match

Once the season has started there is only one way you can postpone an up and coming match, this is by submitting a postponement form which can be found on the league website www.nyfl.co.uk

Match postponements will not be accepted by telephone, email or text and the match will not be postponed until the submitted form reaches your fixtures secretary.

When teams request a postponement or fail to fulfil a scheduled match Management Committee will apply League Rule 20 (E)(i) and impose penalties as per Regulation 6.6 which are shown below.

When deciding the penalty to be imposed on the offending team the following are taken into consideration:

- The reasons for postponing or failing to play the match
- The amount of notice given when requesting a postponement
- The number of times the team has previously postponed or failed to fulfil matches

League Rule 20 (E)(i)

Home and away matches shall be played. In the event of a Club failing to keep its engagement the Management Committee shall have power to inflict a fine, deduct points from the defaulting Club, award the points from the match in question to the opponents, order the defaulting Club to pay any expenses incurred by the opponents or otherwise deal with them except the award of goals.

Regulation 6.6

Any team postponing or failing to fulfil a fixture (for reasons other than pitch or weather conditions or player call-up to County Representative Squads) will incur a £5 administration fee and will incur the fixed penalties as stated in the fine matrix.

Instance	Notice Received	Admin Fee	Fine	Points Deducted
First	28 days or more prior to the fixture date	£5	£10	None
	14-27 days	£5	£15	None
	7-13 days	£5	£20	None
	3-6 days	£5	£25	None
	Less than 48 hours before kick-off	£5	£30	1
Second	28 days or more	£5	£20	1
	14-27 days	£5	£25	1
	7-13 days	£5	£30	1
	3-6 days	£5	£35	1
	Less than 48 hours before kick-off	£5	£40	2
Third	28 days or more	£5	£25	2
	14-27 days	£5	£30	2
	7-13 days	£5	£35	2
	3-6 days	£5	£40	2
	Less than 48 hours before kick-off	£5	£45	3
Further	28 days or more	£5	£30	3
	14-27 days	£5	£35	3
	7-13 days	£5	£40	3
	3-6 days	£5	£45	3
	Less than 48 hours before kick-off	£5	£50	3

Unfulfilled Matches

Should your match be postponed and unfulfilled for reasons relating to the weather or pitch conditions, an email or text to your fixtures secretary is all that is required to explain this, if it is unfulfilled for any other reason you should access the website and submit an Postponed / Unfulfilled Match form.