



EDNA Hot Weather Policy Guidelines @Riverside Tennis and Netball centre–

EDNA in accordance with Netball Victoria’s hot weather guidelines, EDNA abides by these guidelines when conducting community sport.

Netball Victoria guidelines can be found [here](#)

Sport Medicine Australia Guidelines, [here](#)

- Sports Medicine Australia SMA is the leading source of information for injury and illness in sport and physical activity. They provide advice for sport organisations through training courses, workshops and events, fact sheets and guidelines.

VicSport – [here](#)

- Hot Weather Guidelines for Sport and Active Recreation Informed by evidence and advice from the Australian Centre for Research into Injury in Sport and its Prevention, the guidelines contain information about:
 - Trends in extreme heat
 - Heat illness conditions including signs and symptoms
 - Risk factors affecting sport and active recreation
 - Mitigation strategies
 - Advice on communicating modifications to activities

Match Cancellations:

- The EDNA Match Day Supervisor is responsible for assessing whether matches are safe to play during adverse weather conditions
- Often, we cannot make the decision until just prior to game time as the weather can be unpredictable. Therefore, if in doubt, players, coaches, and umpires must attend.
- This decision is made time slot by time slot by EDNA Match Day Supervisor present at the venue.
- On the day contact your club official for updated information.
- Weather updates will be posted on Netball Connect and facebook
- In the event of ‘Extreme Weather Conditions’, the EDNA Match Day Supervisor and EDNA Officials may decide that the Match Day may be cancelled in its entirety or for a number of time slots.
- At EDNA it is not our intention to cancel games, we will always aim to play. If timeslots are cancelled it is for the safety and comfort of players, umpires and officials.

