



# INCLEMENT WEATHER POLICY

The Hanover Area YMCA will always put the safety of our members, guests and staff first when we make decisions concerning inclement weather. When extreme weather poses a safety threat, the YMCA may adjust or cancel scheduled hours of operation, programs/classes and/or special events. If facilities close, Y Members may utilize 24/7 Access where available.

#### **WEATHER UPDATES**

The Hanover Area YMCA will communicate all changes to hours/classes/programs via our Website.

- Website (www.hanoverymca.org)
- Hanover Area YMCA Facebook & Instagram
- Email via Constant Contact
- GroupMe for Aquatics, Gymnastics, and Group Exercise
- Slack app for Hanover Academy of Early Learning

#### **CLASSES/PROGRAMS**

- A decision will be made by 8:00pm the night before, or 4:00am the morning of, concerning all morning classes and/or operational closure.
- A decision will be made no later than 3:00pm concerning evening classes with start times of 4:00pm or later. Child Watch will be closed if classes are canceled.

#### HANOVER AREA Y DISCOVERY (BEFORE & AFTER SCHOOL) for HPSD, SWSD, CVSD, LASD

- Should severe weather or other conditions prevent schools from opening; our program will not be held.
- Should schools delay one hour, programs will open at 7:30am and run until the start of school.
- Should schools delay two hours, programs will open at 8:30am and run until the start of school.
- Should schools delay two hours and then close before the 8:30am start time, the Discovery program will not run.
- If schools decide to close for the day after our 8:30am start time, we will notify parents to come pick up their child.
- Should schools dismiss early due to inclement weather, the Discovery program will be cancelled for the afternoon and it will be the parent's responsibility to arrange transportation/pickup from the school.

## HANOVER ACADEMY OF EARLY LEARNING

- The Childcare Director will determine all closures, delays, and early dismissals and communicate those decisions to parents via Slack app.

## **COMPETITIVE SPORTS TEAMS:** Hanover Gymnastics, Sharks Swim, Stingrays Swim, HVC Volleyball

- Competitive Team practice and competition cancellations will come from the Head Coach.

### **REC SPORTS:** Recreational Youth & Adult

- The Sports Director will communicate when games, practices or rentals are canceled.

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