



## Mwsc Complex Rules

As we are starting to fill the club with team practices and games will be coming soon, time to touch on some basic rules that just about every sports association or club and most of you follow instinctually. A few others, not so much. If you are a need to know why kind of person, feel free to read past the bold type. Otherwise, the bold type will suffice.

### **No Smoking, vaping or tobacco on club grounds.**

That is from gate to gate, fence to fence or fence to woods. Yes, it includes the parking lot. Sorry for the inconvenience, but the longest game we have is 90 minutes. Throw in getting here a bit early or a few minutes to load up, I hope that you can resist the urge. You might pull it off in your car or far parking area, but please don't be the one that lights one up by the building and is shocked when you are asked to put it out...

### **No Pets (exception is official service pets, emotional is not recognized by ADA as service animal).**

We know that your pet is the nicest, non-aggressive, doesn't poop or urinate anywhere but home lap pet, but the other guys that sees yours allowed to be here isn't. That pet will freak out at the first kid that tries to pet them, break loose of the spiked collar and take that kid to the house. So, we unfortunately can't allow yours or his. Sorry. There is a dog park off E Reno just outside the north gate that they can play with other non-aggressive pets and maybe even take a bath if the water is turned on.

### **No glass containers or Alcohol.**

Glass breaks is known to cut through the epidermis, dermis and right into the hypodermis, causing bleeding. No one likes that, so no glass.

Alcohol, we will throw beer and those cool alcohol sno cones sold at a place I shall not name in Mwc, are not allowed. Many already like to yell at referees, other parents and field marshalls, so no need to make them even braver.

### **No parking on the grass!!!! (Exception is tournaments when we are in overflow mode).**

With both paved parking lots, we have sufficient parking to handle our practices and regular weekend games. So, there is no need to park on the grass, thus killing the grass and causing a dust storm on the next windy Oklahoma day, which of course is about every day.

The 3 hotspots for grass parking are: (see no parking map on last page)

**The referee drive, first drive as you enter the south gate.** This is VERY convenient for players that practice on the west end of field 13. Pull in and onto the grass right next to the no parking signs facing



your players practice and chill. Seems obviously ok. Hmmm. Well, it has taken many years to get the grass halfway solid back at that location since no one ever enforced no parking there in the past. Who cares you say? Well, the referee that has to run the line, the parents that want to watch the games on the sideline and definitely the goalkeeper on the east end. None of which appreciate eating dirt or washing their eyes out after a game.

The grass across from the west end of field 13. See above reasons.

The grass across from fields 15 and 16. If the north gate is open, some will park in the parks pavilion parking lot just outside the gate.

### **Please monitor your children.**

No ones has any trouble monitoring the ones on the field playing the game. It is the ones that are not playing that we need to keep safe also. Please keep them from climbing on the jungle gym net attached to our soccer goals. We are supposed to have sandbags on our big goals, so hopefully even if they make it to the top, it wont tip over. If anyone sees a sandbag off a goal, feel free to place it back on. It is about 40lbs, so if that will throw your back out, please refer it to someone else.

Some cars will come speeding through the complex, so best to keep them away from the road.

Always a good idea to send a parent with them to the restrooms. To concession with your credit card is OK.... JK

ANYONE that see a child in a bad situation, PLEASE step forward and stop the situation, find the parent or a club staff member. Can't find anyone, go to concession building.

If a child comes up missing, please notify staff immediately so we can initiate our missing child protocol. Lock gates, call police, monitor woods, etc..

### **Lighting procedure.**

We have a ThorGuard Lightning Prediction System installed on the top of our concession/restroom building. This monitors yada, yada, this and that in the sky and goes off if there is chance of a lightning strike within 10 miles of our club. There will be one long horn blast and the yellow strobe light will come on to clear the fields. You MUST go to your vehicle at that time. There will be three shorter horn blasts and the yellow strobe will turn off when it is clear to go back onto the field. It's that simple...

