

WEATHER WARNING SYSTEM

Safety of the park visitors, players and staff is our main concern at the **Dalton Parks and Recreation Department**

No weather event is more dangerous than lightning. Because of this threat we have installed the Thorguard Lightning Prediction System. This system can provide advance warning of a lightning hazard, allowing you the time to seek shelter.

You will be alerted by one loud horn blast that will last **15 seconds.** <u>Upon hearing the horns, everyone should seek shelter immediately.</u> When this occurs, a strobe light located with the horns will activate and remain active while under a weather alert. Every attempt should be made to seek shelter in a safe environment. The Thorguard system will determine when conditions are safe to return to your previous activities

Three 5-second blasts will indicate that everything is all clear and the strobe light will cease operation.

Horns and strobe lights are located at various areas of DPRD facilities on the roof or scoreboard Horns are active from 8:00am – 11:00pm Strobe is active from 6:00am – Midnight SEEK SHELTER AT: Permanent Buildings & Vehicles

ALWAYS AVOID THE FOLLOWING:

Athletic Fields & Bleachers Open Areas Bodies of Water Doors & Windows Isolated Trees High Elevations