



## Kiroi Academy – Hot Weather Policy

**Effective Date:** January 2026

**Applies To:** All Kiroi Academy athletes, coaches, and programs

Kiroi Academy is committed to providing a safe training environment for all athletes. This policy outlines how training sessions are managed during periods of extreme heat to protect athlete health and wellbeing.

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### Temperature Threshold

- Afternoon training sessions will be cancelled if the actual Melbourne temperature reaches 36°C or above at 2:00 pm, as reported on the Bureau of Meteorology (BOM) website unless notified otherwise.
- Decisions are based on the actual recorded temperature, not the forecast, as forecasts can vary significantly.
- The official BOM reading is used to ensure consistency and accuracy.
- In the event of a cool change after 2:00 pm, the session will remain cancelled.

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### Morning Training

- Morning training sessions will proceed as scheduled, unless otherwise advised by Kiroi Academy.

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### Cancelled Sessions & Make-Up Classes

- If a session is cancelled due to extreme heat no refund is given.
  - A make-up class may be offered during the same week where possible if schedule allows
  - If this is not possible, a make-up session may be offered during the first week of school holidays, subject to availability.
- If an athlete is unable to attend the offered make-up class, no alternative class, refund, or credit will be provided.

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### Communication

- Families will be notified of cancellations via official Kiroi Academy communication channels (email / Team App / WhatsApp group, as applicable).
- Decisions will be communicated as soon as practicable after the 2:00 pm BOM temperature check.

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### Final Note

Kiroi Academy reserves the right to modify training arrangements at any time if conditions are deemed unsafe, even if the temperature threshold has not been met.

**Athlete safety always remains our highest priority.**