## **BRYST Field Safety Policy**

BRYST, in conjunction with the City of VAUGHAN/TORONTO, strives to provide a safe environment for all our athletes, coaches, officials, and parents.

As much of the soccer infrastructure within our community is being upgraded to permanent/portable goals please be aware of the following safety guidelines:

- 1. Goals should be inspected prior to every field usage by coaches to ensure anchors are in place
- 2. Coaches should never conduct a practice or play a game on a field where goals are not anchored. The BRYST Office should be contacted. We will then contact the City of VAUGHAN/TORONTO Community Services Department.
- 3. Soccer goals are not to be moved from the locations set by the City of VAUGHAN/TORONTO Parks Staff
- 4. Do not climb or swing on the net, posts, or crossbar
- 5. Inspect the field prior to use for any objects that may cause injury or holes in the playing surface
- 6. Fields in need of repair should be documented with photographic evidence and sent to the BRYST office, who will inform the City of VAUGHAN/TORONTO of the situation
- 7. Any areas of standing water or excessive moisture should be avoided

BRYST members are encouraged to report any potential unsafe field conditions to BRYST Staff and we will work with the City of VAUGHAN/TORONTO to rectify the situation as soon as possible.