AccuWeather.com Forecast

TODAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY
HOT	HOT	HOT	HOT	
Very hot with blazing sunshine	Mostly sunny and very hot	Mostly sunny and very hot	Blazing sunshine and very hot	Sunshine; breezy, very hot
PENDLETON TEMPERATURE FORECAST				
103° 69°	100° 65°	97° 66°	101° 69°	98° 65°
HERMISTON TEMPERATURE FORECAST				
105° 68°	102° 63°	100° 65°	102° 69°	100° 66°

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PENDLETON

through 3 p.m. yesterday

TEMPERATURE

	HIGH	LOW
Yesterday	102°	62°
Normals	85°	56°
Records	106° (2013)	42° (1955)

PRECIPITATION

24 hours ending 3 p.m.	0.00"
Month to date	0.00"
Normal month to date	0.02"
Year to date	5.00"
Last year to date	7.49"
Normal year to date	7.59"

HERMISTON

through 3 p.m. yesterday

TEMPERATURE

	HIGH	LOW
Yesterday	104°	60°
Normals	85°	56°
Records	107° (2013)	42° (2003)

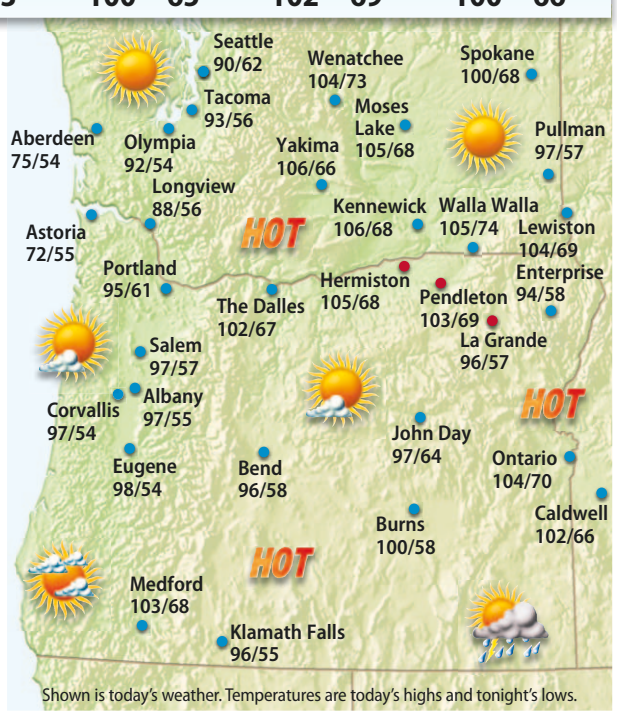
PRECIPITATION

24 hours ending 3 p.m.	0.00"
Month to date	0.00"
Normal month to date	0.01"
Year to date	3.16"
Last year to date	4.19"
Normal year to date	5.71"

SUN AND MOON

Sunrise today	5:11 a.m.
Sunset tonight	8:48 p.m.
Moonrise today	9:52 p.m.
Moonset today	7:13 a.m.

Last	New	First	Full
July 8	July 15	July 23	July 31



Shown is today's weather. Temperatures are today's highs and tonight's lows.

REGIONAL FORECAST

Coastal Oregon: Times of sun and clouds today.

Eastern and Central Oregon: Mostly sunny and hot today. Clear to partly cloudy and warm tonight.

Western Washington: Sunny today; areas of low clouds, then some sun at the coast.

Eastern Washington: Brilliant sunshine today. Clear tonight. Mostly sunny tomorrow.

Cascades: Mostly sunny today; very warm. Clear tonight. Mostly sunny and very warm tomorrow.

Northern California: Partly sunny today; a stray thunderstorm in the interior mountains.

REGIONAL CITIES

	Today Hi	Lo	W	Sat. Hi	Lo	W
Astoria	72	55	pc	73	55	s
Baker City	95	50	s	93	53	s
Bend	96	58	s	94	60	s
Brookings	69	56	pc	69	56	s
Burns	100	58	s	97	57	s
Enterprise	94	58	s	92	59	s
Eugene	98	54	s	94	55	s
Heppner	99	62	s	97	62	s
Hermiston	105	68	s	102	63	s
John Day	97	64	s	95	64	s
Klamath Falls	96	55	t	94	56	s
La Grande	96	57	s	95	58	s
Meacham	93	47	s	89	48	s
Medford	103	68	pc	103	71	s
Newport	64	50	s	63	51	s
North Bend	66	54	pc	65	53	s
Ontario	104	70	s	102	70	s
Pasco	106	66	s	103	66	s
Pendleton	103	69	s	100	65	s
Portland	95	61	s	94	66	s
Redmond	100	55	s	98	57	s
Salem	97	57	s	95	60	s
Spokane	100	68	s	96	64	s
Ukiah	95	49	s	93	51	s
Vancouver	94	59	s	93	64	s
Walla Walla	105	74	s	101	70	s
Yakima	106	66	s	103	65	s

WORLD CITIES

	Today Hi	Lo	W	Sat. Hi	Lo	W
Beijing	88	65	s	84	65	pc
Hong Kong	94	83	t	94	81	pc
Jerusalem	83	63	s	86	66	s
London	83	67	pc	82	57	pc
Mexico City	70	54	t	72	54	t
Moscow	71	65	pc	83	65	s
Paris	95	74	s	92	65	t
Rome	89	69	s	90	68	s
Seoul	82	62	pc	84	66	pc
Sydney	58	41	s	60	42	pc
Tokyo	76	70	r	76	68	r

WINDS

(in mph)	Today	Saturday
Boardman	WSW 6-12	WSW 4-8
Pendleton	W 6-12	W 7-14

UV INDEX TODAY

8 a.m.	10 a.m.	Noon	2 p.m.	4 p.m.	6 p.m.
2	5	7	7	5	2

0-2, Low **3-5**, Moderate **6-7**, High; **8-10**, Very High; **11+**, Extreme

The higher the **AccuWeather.com UV Index™** number, the greater the need for eye and skin protection.

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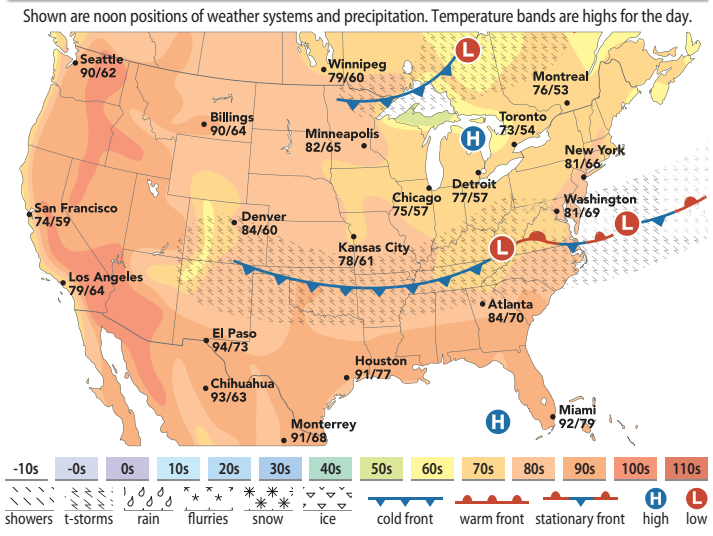
NATIONAL WEATHER TODAY

Shown are noon positions of weather systems and precipitation. Temperature bands are highs for the day.



National Summary: Drenching showers and locally gusty storms will stretch from Colorado and parts of New Mexico to Virginia and the Carolinas today. Storms will dot the Deep South and Southwest. The West will remain very hot.

Yesterday's National Extremes: (for the 48 contiguous states)
High 109° in El Centro, Calif. **Low** 34° in Spincich Lake, Mich.

NATIONAL CITIES

	Today Hi	Lo	W	Sat. Hi	Lo	W
Albuquerque	87	68	t	89	68	t
Atlanta	84	70	c	81	67	t
Atlantic City	77	68	pc	76	66	t
Baltimore	79	66	t	78	64	t
Billings	90	64	s	95	63	s
Birmingham	86	71	c	82	69	t
Boise	102	71	s	101	71	s
Boston	76	61	pc	72	61	pc
Charleston, SC	91	75	c	93	73	s
Charleston, WV	76	65	t	80	62	t
Chicago	75	57	pc	81	63	s
Cleveland	75	59	pc	77	59	pc
Dallas	89	75	pc	92	76	t
Denver	84	60	t	89	64	t
Detroit	77	57	s	82	63	pc
El Paso	94	73	pc	93	72	pc
Fairbanks	69	52	pc	76	56	pc
Fargo	85	61	pc	87	68	pc
Honolulu	89	75	pc	89	75	pc
Houston	91	77	pc	91	77	t
Indianapolis	76	60	pc	81	61	pc
Jacksonville	93	71	t	92	70	t
Kansas City	78	61	pc	83	65	pc
Las Vegas	108	86	pc	106	83	pc
Little Rock	82	69	t	84	71	t
Los Angeles	79	64	pc	78	63	pc
Louisville	79	65	t	83	66	t
Memphis	81	69	t	80	69	t
Miami	92	79	pc	91	81	t
Milwaukee	75	58	pc	80	61	pc
Minneapolis	82	65	pc	84	66	t
Nashville	76	66	t	78	65	t
New Orleans	92	77	pc	89	77	t
New York City	81	66	pc	78	66	t
Oklahoma City	90	69	t	90	71	t
Omaha	80	61	pc	84	66	pc
Philadelphia	83	67	pc	82	67	t
Phoenix	109	88	pc	106	86	pc
Portland, ME	77	55	s	74	55	pc
Providence	80	61	pc	77	60	pc
Raleigh	84	69	t	86	68	t
Rapid City	81	61	pc	87	63	s
Reno	95	68	t	93	65	t
Sacramento	98	65	s	95	61	s
St. Louis	81	67	pc	84	68	pc
Salt Lake City	99	74	s	97	74	s
San Diego	75	67	pc	73	66	pc
San Francisco	74	59	pc	72	58	pc
Seattle	90	62	s	89	64	s
Tucson	102	78	pc	98	76	pc
Washington, DC	81	69	t	80	68	t
Wichita	89	67	t	90	71	pc

Weather (W): **s**-sunny, **pc**-partly cloudy, **c**-cloudy, **sh**-showers, **t**-thunderstorms, **r**-rain, **sf**-snow flurries, **sn**-snow, **i**-ice.

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Sizzling: Heat records fall across West

Associated Press

From Seattle to Salt Lake City, the West is baking under record heat. Temperatures reaching the triple digits have made fire conditions extreme and sent folks looking for relief heading into the Fourth of July weekend. Unfortunately, the forecast in many areas calls for more sun and sweat.

WASHINGTON

Seattle, not accustomed to prolonged hot weather, saw its hottest June ever.

The average high temperature each day in June was a record 78.9 degrees, breaking the 1992 record by more than 3 degrees, said Johnny Burg, a meteorologist at the National Weather Service in Seattle.

"Our high is supposed to be in the low to mid 70s at this time and lows in the mid-50s," he said.

Instead, the Seattle area is seeing highs in the 80s and lows in the 60s.

Because the Seattle area suffers few heat waves, many people do not have air conditioning.

The weather was also dry in the Seattle area in June, when only 0.23 inch of precipitation was recorded. That's the fourth driest June on record.

Meanwhile, June temperatures were scorching in in Eastern Washington, with many record highs set.

The two highest readings in June were 113 degrees at Chief Joseph Dam and in the town of LaCrosse. The towns of Chelan, Ephrata, Odessa and Omak all recorded record highs of 110 degrees in June. Spokane reached a record 105 one day.

Citing extreme wildfire risk with high temperatures and widespread drought conditions, Washington Gov. Jay Inslee is asking people to limit use of fireworks. Inslee said he lacks the legal authority to enact a statewide ban, but notes some cities are restricting or banning fireworks.

Inslee has issued an emergency proclamation that allows the state Department of Natural Resources to quickly call on the National Guard and the State Guard to help respond to wildfires. A fast-moving blaze this week destroyed two dozen homes in the central Washington city of Wenatchee.

As the heat intensifies, Washington's streams continue to dry up, according to the U.S. Geological Survey. On Thursday the agency's Washington office reported that 80 percent of the state's rivers were reporting below-normal flows and record-setting lows.

AP Photo/Rick Bowmer

Renee Jaime, 12, and her aunt, Sandra Jaime, of Mexico, shield themselves from the sun as they visit the Great Salt Lake, Thursday.. Salt Lake City saw the hottest June on record following the warmest winter ever.

NEVADA

June in Las Vegas is officially the hottest ever.

The National Weather Service said the average June temperature recorded at McCarran International Airport was 91.9 degrees, breaking the previous record of 91.5 in 2013.

More than half of last month was at or above 105 degrees. A meteorologist said June 13 through June 30 brought 18 consecutive days of temperatures in that range.

There's never been that many in a row or in total in a June month. In 1961, there was a streak of 12 days straight and in 1985, there were 17 total.

And halfway through this decade, there are now three June months in the top seven hottest ever recorded. The others were in June of 2012 and 2013.

UTAH

Salt Lake City also saw the hottest June on record following the warmest winter ever.

The National Weather Service said the average temperature last month was 77.5 degrees, breaking the previous record of 75.7 set in June 1988.

The average monthly low of 64.5 degrees also beat the 63.3 degrees in 1918.

There were four triple-digit June days recorded at Salt Lake City International Airport this year. The normal average high for the month is 83 degrees. Half of the month tallied 90 degrees or above for daytime highs, holding steady from June 15 through June 30.

This comes after the warmest winter ever, which was also noticeably drier than usual.

The temperature during the period of December 2014 to February 2015 broke the previous record set during the 1977-78 season.

ARIZONA

Phoenix is known for its stifling summer heat, but June 2015 stood out.

It was the third hottest month the city has endured since the National Weather Service began keeping records back in 1895. The warmest June in Phoenix was in 2013 where temperatures averaged 94.8. The average temperature for this June was 94.0.

Phoenix experienced a six-day heat stretch with temperatures of 110 and above. The National Weather Service said the longest stretch of temperatures reaching 110 and above in Phoenix's history was in June 1974 that lasted 18 days.

The temperatures sent volunteers into the streets to keep people safe amid the scorching heat. The Phoenix Rescue Mission gave out a total of 178,000 water bottles to Phoenix's homeless population throughout the month of June.

— Associated Press writers Nicholas K. Geranios in Spokane and Yara Bishara in Phoenix contributed.

Eugene fire blamed on boys

PORTLAND (AP) — A massive fire that destroyed Eugene's historic Civic Stadium was caused by four boys playing with fire who fled when the flames got out of control, investigators said Thursday.

The panicked boys jumped a chain-link fence as the flames spread Monday night, hopped on their bicycles and fled, said arson investigator Steve Williams.

The parents of a fifth boy who left before the fire tipped off police on Wednesday.

The four are to be charged with arson, Police Chief Pete Kerns said at a news conference Thursday. One is 10, the others 12.

The stadium was a jobs project in the Great Depression but hasn't been used since 2009 when the minor-league Eugene Emeralds left.

The boys probably didn't intend to destroy the park when they used a lighter on debris in the press box above the stands behind home plate, Williams said. But they haven't given coherent reasons for why they were playing with fire, and they may not understand the magnitude of their actions, he said.

"I don't know if you've ever talked to a 10- or 12-year-old boy recently, and you don't get a whole lot of rational information out of them," Williams said. "It's: 'Why did you do that?' 'I don't know.'"

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