

**AccuWeather.com Forecast**

TODAY	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY
Warmer with sun and some clouds	Nice with sunshine	Mostly sunny and very warm	Partly sunny and very warm	Cloudy and not as warm

**PENDLETON TEMPERATURE FORECAST**

67°	43°	76°	47°	81°	51°	88°	55°	80°	49°
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**HERMISTON TEMPERATURE FORECAST**

73°	42°	80°	44°	85°	48°	90°	56°	82°	52°
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**ALMANAC**

**PENDLETON**  
through 3 p.m. yesterday

**TEMPERATURE**

HIGH	LOW
Month to date	48°
Yesterday	66°
Normals	66°
Records	91° (1926) 25° (1907)

**PRECIPITATION**

24 hours ending 3 p.m.	Trace
Month to date	0.41"
Normal month to date	1.12"
Year to date	4.40"
Last year to date	3.13"
Normal year to date	5.12"

**HERMISTON**  
through 3 p.m. yesterday

**TEMPERATURE**

HIGH	LOW
Month to date	48°
Yesterday	60°
Normals	68°
Records	87° (1939) 27° (1952)

**PRECIPITATION**

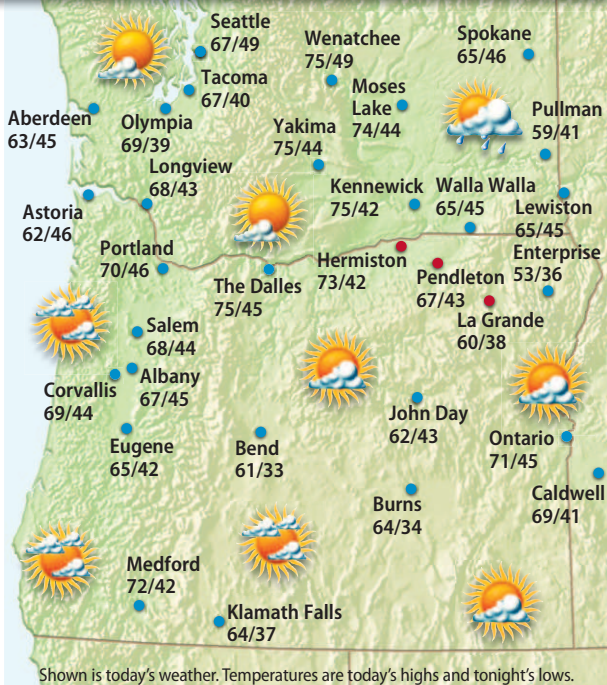
24 hours ending 3 p.m.	Trace
Month to date	0.28"
Normal month to date	0.85"
Year to date	2.98"
Last year to date	1.79"
Normal year to date	3.99"

**SUN AND MOON**

Sunrise today	5:44 a.m.
Sunset tonight	8:01 p.m.
Moonrise today	2:19 a.m.
Moonset today	12:49 p.m.

New First Full Last

May 6 May 13 May 21 May 29



**REGIONAL FORECAST**

**Coastal Oregon:** Clouds giving way to sun today. Mainly clear tonight. Warmer tomorrow with sunshine.

**Eastern and Central Oregon:** Partly sunny today; warmer. Mainly clear tonight. Warmer in central parts tomorrow.

**Western Washington:** Clouds giving way to sun today; however, mostly sunny at the coast.

**Eastern Washington:** A shower today; some sun, but sunnier toward the Cascades and in central sections.

**Cascades:** Partly to mostly sunny and warmer today; pleasant in central parts.

**Northern California:** Plenty of sunshine today; however, some clouds in the interior mountains.

**REGIONAL CITIES**

	Today			Sun.		
	Hi	Lo	W	Hi	Lo	W
Astoria	62	46	pc	80	53	s
Baker City	60	33	pc	69	34	s
Bend	61	33	s	69	41	s
Brookings	66	50	pc	76	52	s
Burns	64	34	pc	69	34	s
Enterprise	53	36	sh	65	40	s
Eugene	65	42	pc	79	48	s
Heppner	65	42	pc	72	42	s
Hermiston	73	42	pc	80	44	s
John Day	62	43	pc	72	47	s
Klamath Falls	64	37	pc	71	37	s
La Grande	60	38	pc	71	40	s
Meacham	57	38	pc	69	37	s
Medford	72	42	pc	82	49	s
Newport	58	45	pc	75	53	s
North Bend	61	47	pc	75	52	s
Ontario	71	45	pc	74	42	s
Pasco	74	42	pc	80	44	s
Pendleton	67	43	pc	76	47	s
Portland	70	46	pc	82	55	s
Redmond	66	31	s	74	37	s
Salem	68	44	pc	83	51	s
Spokane	65	46	pc	74	49	s
Ukiah	58	35	pc	69	38	s
Vancouver	68	43	pc	81	54	s
Walla Walla	65	45	pc	74	49	s
Yakima	75	44	s	81	47	s

**WORLD CITIES**

	Today			Sun.		
	Hi	Lo	W	Hi	Lo	W
Beijing	89	57	s	94	59	pc
Hong Kong	83	74	c	86	78	t
Jerusalem	80	65	s	86	59	s
London	55	36	pc	58	50	c
Mexico City	86	54	pc	87	52	pc
Moscow	60	33	pc	61	40	pc
Paris	50	36	r	59	37	pc
Rome	68	52	pc	63	48	t
Seoul	69	56	pc	73	55	pc
Sydney	74	63	r	78	57	t
Tokyo	67	58	pc	75	59	s

**WINDS**

(in mph)

Today	Sunday
Boardman NW 4-8	NE 6-12
Pendleton NW 6-12	NNE 6-12

**UV INDEX TODAY**

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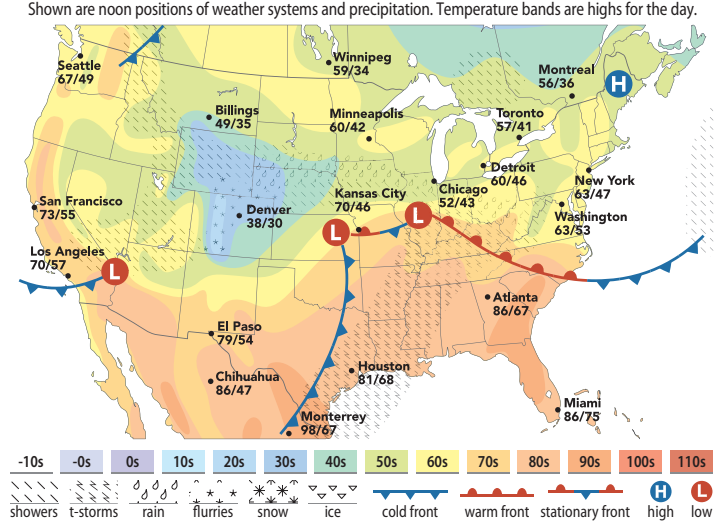
8 a.m. 10 a.m. Noon 2 p.m. 4 p.m. 6 p.m.

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**



**National Summary:** Severe storms and flash flooding will impact part of the South Central states today as rain soaks areas from the Ohio Valley to the central Plains. Showers will dot the West while snow falls in Colorado.

**Yesterday's National Extremes:** (for the 48 contiguous states)  
High 95° in Jesup, Ga. Low 14° in Presque Isle, Maine

**NATIONAL CITIES**

	Today			Sun.		
	Hi	Lo	W	Hi	Lo	W
Albuquerque	63	44	c	55	38	sh
Atlanta	86	67	t	82	67	t
Atlantic City	56	48	pc	58	53	r
Baltimore	63	49	c	68	56	r
Billings	49	35	c	59	38	pc
Birmingham	84	68	t	80	66	t
Boise	69	44	pc	71	47	pc
Boston	55	43	pc	53	44	r
Charleston, SC	87	69	pc	85	68	t
Charleston, WV	71	59	r	77	60	t
Chicago	52	43	r	51	40	c
Cleveland	60	53	r	58	44	c
Dallas	79	58	s	77	58	s
Denver	38	30	c	39	28	sn
Detroit	60	46	pc	56	44	r
El Paso	79	54	s	76	50	s
Fairbanks	60	39	s	64	34	pc
Fargo	63	36	pc	63	40	pc
Honolulu	86	73	pc	85	72	s
Houston	81	68	t	80	67	t
Indianapolis	62	57	r	72	49	sh
Jacksonville	90	68	pc	88	68	c
Kansas City	70	46	r	59	45	c
Las Vegas	67	58	t	75	60	pc
Little Rock	80	62	t	83	57	pc
Los Angeles	70	57	pc	71	57	pc
Louisville	72	64	r	78	58	t
Memphis	80	67	t	85	61	t
Miami	86	75	s	86	75	pc
Milwaukee	50	41	r	50	40	c
Minneapolis	60	42	pc	61	43	pc
Nashville	82	63	c	82	60	t
New Orleans	85	73	t	84	72	t
New York City	63	47	pc	52	49	r
Oklahoma City	72	46	s	68	48	pc
Omaha	55	44	r	57	41	r
Philadelphia	64	49	pc	60	54	r
Phoenix	83	61	pc	80	64	pc
Portland, ME	55	38	pc	53	39	r
Providence	61	41	pc	54	45	r
Raleigh	70	61	c	80	66	t
Rapid City	47	33	sn	56	32	c
Reno	63	43	c	69	45	pc
Sacramento	82	57	pc	85	54	s
St. Louis	79	58	t	74	50	sh
Salt Lake City	63	45	c	65	46	pc
San Diego	66	58	pc	69	58	pc
San Francisco	73	55	s	78	54	s
Seattle	67	49	pc	78	54	s
Tucson	83	56	s	78	56	s
Washington, DC	63	53	c	71	61	t
Wichita	68	43	pc	62	45	c

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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**Oregon Republican Party to consolidate convention**

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The Oregon Republican Convention this year will for the first time in at least 30 years meet in one location to select the delegates responsible for casting votes for a GOP presidential nominee this summer in Cleveland.

Oregon was the only state during the 2012 presidential election without a centralized caucus to select delegates to the national convention. Instead, state party members met in five different places — each in one of the state's congressional districts.

"We got our fingers rapped by the RNC (Republican National Committee)

last time saying you can't have five locations. You have to do it in one," said GOP gubernatorial candidate Allen Alley, who served as Oregon Republican Party chairman in 2012. "They said Texas can do it in one, so you can do it in one."

The RNC didn't exactly issue an edict to Oregon to consolidate its convention. But Oregon's decentralized system caused a series of problems for state Republican Party leaders that year, which propelled them to make changes to the state convention, effective this year, said Solomon Yue Jr., Oregon national committeeman and member of the RNC's rules committee.

The state party started holding five different conventions because of the way it picks delegates. Out of a total of 28 delegates, three are chosen from each of Oregon's five congressional districts. Another 10 are elected to fill at-large positions, and three so-called "automatic delegates" serve by virtue of their position as state chairman, national committeeman and national committeewoman.

The idea behind different locations was that party members could vote simultaneously for their congressional delegates, at-large delegates and local party officers. The problem came when voting in the

congressional districts fell out of sync. During the state convention in June 2012, some districts were lagging behind others and ran out of time to elect delegate alternates before Alley adjourned the convention, Yue said. State party rules allowed party leaders to appoint the alternative positions, but that drew some challenges at the national level to the alternate appointees, he said. Ultimately, the RNC found that the state party had followed its own rules in selecting alternates, but the hassle and time demanded by the challenges gave state party leaders misgivings about their decentralized system.

"I think the ORP learned

its lesson: We don't want to run out time in 2016," Yue said.

The 2016 Oregon Republican convention is scheduled for June 4 at the Oregon State Fair & Exposition Center.

The centralized location also allows nominees to speak to the entire party, "whereas before we would have had to be in five places at one time," said Oregon Republican Chairman Bill Currier. "Instead of a few

hundred people in each of five locations, there will be 1,200 to 1,500 people in one location."

Oregon's 28 Republican delegates are divided up proportionally among candidates according to the popular vote they receive during the May 17 primary. Unlike past elections, the three top ORP officials are no longer super delegates who are allowed to support any candidate for the nomination.

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