

AccuWeather.com Forecast

TODAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Becoming windier and not as warm	Pleasant with plenty of sunshine	Mostly sunny and warmer	Plenty of sunshine	Sunny and delightful
79° 51°	84° 52°	91° 57°	93° 64°	87° 61°
83° 53°	87° 50°	95° 57°	97° 63°	90° 59°

ALMANAC

PENDELTON
through 3 p.m. yesterday

TEMPERATURE	HIGH	LOW
Yesterday	89°	51°
Normals	90°	60°
Records	108° (2009)	41° (1897)

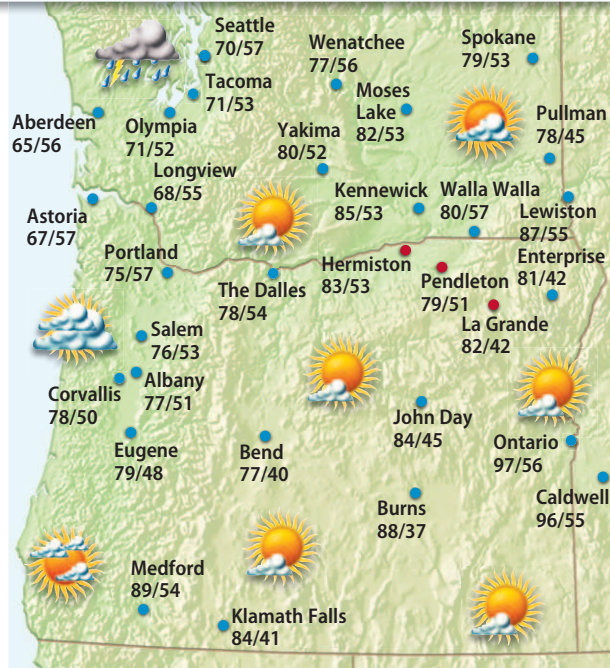
PRECIPITATION
24 hours ending 3 p.m. 0.00"
Month to date 0.00"
Normal month to date 0.01"
Year to date 7.32"
Last year to date 5.00"
Normal year to date 8.00"

HERMISTON
through 3 p.m. yesterday

TEMPERATURE	HIGH	LOW
Yesterday	89°	51°
Normals	90°	60°
Records	109° (2009)	41° (2002)

SUN AND MOON
Sunrise today 5:40 a.m.
Sunset tonight 8:22 p.m.
Moonrise today 5:34 a.m.
Moonset today 8:10 p.m.

NEW MOON
Aug 2
FIRST QUARTER
Aug 10
FULL MOON
Aug 18
LAST QUARTER
Aug 24



REGIONAL FORECAST

Coastal Oregon: A blend of sun and clouds today; a couple of showers across the north.

Eastern and Central Oregon: Mostly sunny and breezy today; not as warm across the north and near the Cascades.

Western Washington: A shower or thunderstorm in the area today, but a brief shower or two across the south.

Eastern Washington: Partial sunshine today; a shower or thunderstorm in spots in the north in the afternoon.

Cascades: Mostly sunny today. Cooler; pleasant across the north. Mainly clear tonight.

Northern California: Low clouds followed by some sun at the coast today; mostly sunny elsewhere.

REGIONAL CITIES

	Today			Wed.		
	Hi	Lo	W	Hi	Lo	W
Astoria	67	57	sh	69	55	pc
Baker City	83	38	s	80	39	s
Bend	77	40	s	81	46	s
Brookings	67	51	pc	70	53	pc
Burns	88	37	s	84	42	s
Enterprise	81	42	s	78	47	s
Eugene	79	48	pc	85	53	s
Heppner	78	47	s	82	49	s
Hermiston	83	53	s	87	50	s
John Day	84	45	s	85	48	s
Klamath Falls	84	41	s	86	47	s
La Grande	82	42	s	81	47	s
Meacham	76	40	s	77	42	s
Medford	89	54	s	94	58	s
Newport	63	49	pc	64	50	pc
North Bend	66	51	pc	67	53	pc
Ontario	97	56	s	87	56	s
Pasco	84	52	pc	87	53	s
Pendleton	79	51	s	84	52	s
Portland	75	57	sh	81	60	pc
Redmond	80	39	s	85	45	s
Salem	76	53	pc	83	56	s
Spokane	79	53	pc	79	56	s
Ukiah	76	38	s	78	43	s
Vancouver	73	55	sh	80	58	pc
Walla Walla	80	57	s	84	59	s
Yakima	80	52	pc	89	57	s

WORLD CITIES

	Today			Wed.		
	Hi	Lo	W	Hi	Lo	W
Beijing	93	74	s	92	75	s
Hong Kong	89	83	r	91	82	t
Jerusalem	90	71	s	88	68	s
London	72	62	t	76	59	pc
Mexico City	74	55	t	75	54	t
Moscow	84	63	sh	69	60	sh
Paris	75	64	r	81	62	pc
Rome	86	69	s	88	69	s
Seoul	87	76	c	91	76	t
Sydney	62	55	r	63	53	r
Tokyo	85	77	t	84	77	t

WINDS

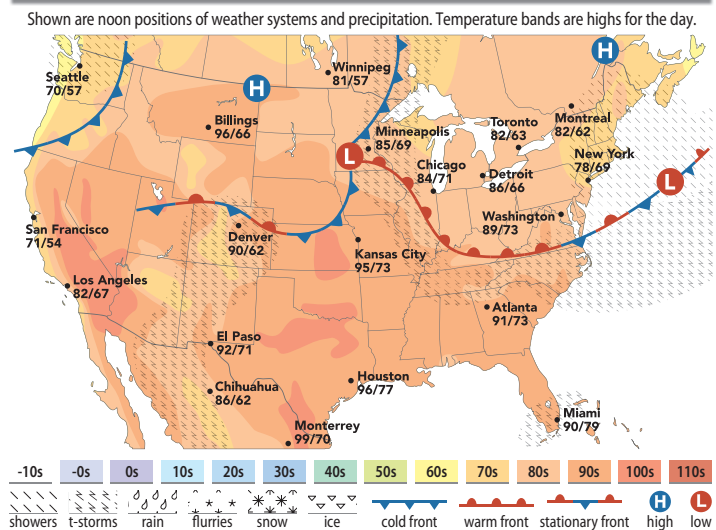
(in mph) **Today** **Wednesday**
Boardman WSW 12-25 SW 4-8
Pendleton WSW 15-25 W 4-8

UV INDEX TODAY

1 **4** **7** **7** **4** **1**
 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: Downpours will dot areas from the coastal Northeast to the South today. Severe storms will be focused over the Upper Midwest. A few storms will drench the Four Corners. Showers will cool the Northwest.

Yesterday's National Extremes: (for the 48 contiguous states)
High 105° in Imperial, Calif. **Low** 32° in Stanley, Idaho

NATIONAL CITIES

	Today			Wed.				Today			Wed.		
	Hi	Lo	W	Hi	Lo	W		Hi	Lo	W	Hi	Lo	W
Albuquerque	89	66	t	86	66	t	Louisville	88	73	pc	91	75	t
Atlanta	91	73	t	93	73	pc	Memphis	96	78	t	97	78	t
Baltimore	86	68	pc	84	66	pc	Miami	90	79	t	90	79	pc
Birmingham	92	75	t	94	75	pc	Minneapolis	85	69	t	83	70	t
Boise	96	55	s	85	55	s	Nashville	91	74	t	93	73	pc
Boston	74	64	c	77	65	s	New Orleans	92	79	t	92	80	t
Charlotte, SC	91	76	t	89	75	t	New York City	78	69	pc	80	67	pc
Charlotte, WV	85	67	pc	86	69	pc	Oklahoma City	98	72	s	99	74	s
Chicago	84	71	t	86	70	t	Omaha	95	73	s	93	75	pc
Cleveland	86	67	pc	90	71	pc	Philadelphia	81	67	sh	83	67	pc
Dallas	100	79	s	101	81	s	Phoenix	99	82	t	98	83	t
Denver	90	62	pc	95	62	s	Portland, ME	76	56	c	80	60	s
Detroit	86	66	pc	87	70	t	Providence	77	61	pc	81	60	s
El Paso	92	71	t	92	73	c	Raleigh	89	72	pc	84	70	pc
Fairbanks	69	54	c	60	48	sh	Rapid City	87	65	pc	95	58	pc
Fargo	87	62	pc	87	66	pc	Reno	97	61	s	96	61	s
Honolulu	88	74	s	88	76	s	Sacramento	95	59	s	95	57	s
Houston	96	77	pc	97	77	s	St. Louis	94	77	pc	97	77	t
Indianapolis	87	71	c	89	73	pc	Salt Lake City	101	76	pc	95	68	t
Jacksonville	94	73	t	92	73	t	San Diego	77	68	pc	76	67	pc
Kansas City	95	73	s	94	75	pc	San Francisco	71	54	pc	69	55	pc
Las Vegas	104	85	t	101	82	t	Seattle	70	57	c	76	57	pc
Little Rock	99	77	s	100	78	t	Tucson	87	73	t	92	75	t
Los Angeles	82	67	pc	81	66	pc	Washington, DC	89	73	pc	86	71	pc
							Wichita	102	74	pc	100	76	s

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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Young alpaca packs in visitors at health fair

Kerry Thompson of Patriot Lane Alpacas introduces people to a 3-week-old alpaca during Sunday's Fiesta de Salud at Mirasol Family Health Center in Hermiston. The health fair event featured food, games, prizes, health screenings and entertainment.

Pendleton, Riverside earn bronze in national high school ranking

East Oregonian and college preparedness. Condon High School and Arlington Community Charter School also received bronze medals. "Our district is proud of Riverside on being awarded this distinction," Morrow County Superintendent Dirk Dirksen said in a statement. "Whenever a school is recognized as highly successful, it is a testament to its dedicated teachers, staff and students and a celebration of our K-12 learning system."

PENDLETON Goodwill still considering coming to town

By ANTONIO SIERRA
East Oregonian

A little goodwill goes a long way, but Pendleton will have to wait a little longer for a Goodwill of its own.

Ken Gosney, executive director of Goodwill Industries of the Columbia, said Monday the nonprofit has put on hold plans to open a thrift store at the former Pendleton Cinema. But a location in town is still a possibility.

With Oregon's minimum wage set to rise over the next several years and Washington considering a hike of its own, Gosney said Goodwill won't make any expansions while it figures out the impacts of the wage increase and other rises in operational costs.

Gosney said Goodwill isn't against a higher minimum wage, but wants to look at how it will impact its 400-person payroll. "We are a very labor intensive industry," he said.

Pendleton's distance from Goodwill Industries of the Columbia's headquarters in Kennebec would also add additional cost.

When Goodwill bought Pendleton Cinema in July 2015 for \$600,000, it looked like the development could revitalize the aging theater. While a Goodwill official said the new store could be finished as soon as the first quarter of 2016, there was little activity beyond a few Goodwill signs posted on the building.

In June, Pendleton Fire Chief Mike Ciraulo announced that Goodwill elected not to proceed with the store and was willing to sell the property to the city for a new fire station for \$550,000.

Despite the downtown property's potential for better response times, the Pendleton City Council decided to pursue the old St. Anthony Hospital site on Southeast Court Avenue instead.

Gosney said Goodwill will test the market to see if it can find a new buyer while acknowledging that the building still needs a significant amount of work to become viable. "I don't imagine it will be a quick sell," he said.

At the time of the sale, Pendleton Cinema owner Bruce Humphrey said the property had been on the market for eight years.

Whether it's at the theater site or a new one, Gosney said Goodwill still wants to open a store in Pendleton and could revisit the idea a few years down the road.

In the meantime, Goodwill is putting the vacant property to use by relocating its collection trailer from the Wal-Mart parking lot to the theater parking lot. Gosney said local Wal-Marts recently realized the trailers' presence in the parking lot was against corporate policy, necessitating the move.

Goodwill Industries of the Columbia is one of 165 territorial agencies operating under the larger Goodwill umbrella.

It runs eight stores and an outlet across Washington and Oregon, although Hermiston's store remains the only Oregon location in the system.

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Corrections

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A few special individuals and groups we would like to name who generously gave their time to Erv's Celebration of Life;

- Echo Community Church (all the members and the little children who sang "Jesus Loves Me")
- Echo Fire Department Justin Morris and Crew
- Frank and Laurie Nelson who played Christian Music
- Kiwanis Mr. Duffy and Mr. Doherty who played Irish Music
- The Boy Scouts who came in full uniform.
- The flag ceremony performed by the Navy Officers.
- Desert Springs Staff who Barbequed
- Girl Scouts who cleaned up
- Daniel (Buster) and Dee Rock who arranged the food
- NW Metal Fabricators Robert Harris who arranged all the equipment.

We would like to thank Good Shepherd Hospice (Carolynn and staff) as well as the staff of Good Shepherd Hospital for their excellent care.

We would also like to thank everyone who donated money in Erv's memory to the Echo Community Church, sent flowers to the service, brought food to our homes and the Celebration of Life, and for showing up to celebrate his life with us that day.

We are sure that Papa Erv has been looking down from heaven laughing, smiling, crying and feeling very, very honored and loved by all of you.

GOD BLESS YOU ALL!