

## AccuWeather Forecast

**TODAY** **SATURDAY** **SUNDAY** **MONDAY** **TUESDAY**

Mostly cloudy Mostly cloudy and cool Cloudy to partly sunny and cool Cool with clouds and sun Periods of clouds and sunshine

**PENDLETON TEMPERATURE FORECAST**  
 52° 33° 52° 27° 50° 32° 50° 36° 56° 41°

**HERMISTON TEMPERATURE FORECAST**  
 54° 36° 56° 29° 55° 35° 57° 38° 61° 43°

### ALMANAC

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

**TEMPERATURE**

	HIGH	LOW
Yesterday	58°	44°
Month to date	1.07"	
Normals	56°	36°
Records	83° (1911)	13° (1898)

**PRECIPITATION**  
 24 hours ending 3 p.m. 0.13"  
 Month to date 1.07"  
 Normal month to date 0.97"  
 Year to date 3.40"  
 Last year to date 5.44"  
 Normal year to date 3.48"

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

**TEMPERATURE**

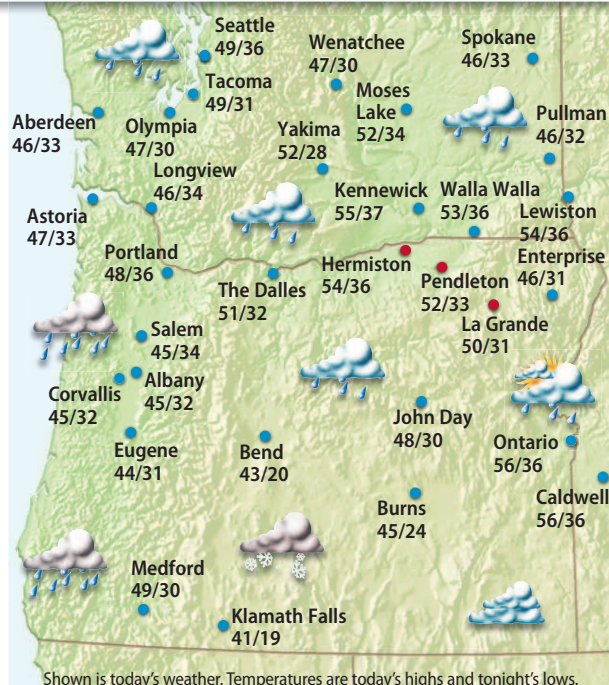
	HIGH	LOW
Yesterday	58°	43°
Normals	59°	36°
Records	78° (1940)	19° (2014)

**PRECIPITATION**  
 24 hours ending 3 p.m. 0.12"  
 Month to date 0.55"  
 Normal month to date 0.66"  
 Year to date 2.18"  
 Last year to date 4.32"  
 Normal year to date 2.90"

### SUN AND MOON

Sunrise today 6:53 a.m.  
 Sunset tonight 7:11 p.m.  
 Moonrise today 10:52 a.m.  
 Moonset today 1:10 a.m.

	First	Full	Last	New
Mar 24				
Mar 31				
Apr 8				
Apr 15				



### REGIONAL FORECAST

**Coastal Oregon:** Chilly today with rain; breezy. Mostly cloudy tonight with a shower in places.

**Eastern and Central Oregon:** Mostly cloudy today with a shower in spots.

**Western Washington:** Cloudy today with a bit of rain. Mostly cloudy tonight with a stray shower.

**Eastern Washington:** Mostly cloudy today with a shower in spots, but a flurry in the mountains.

**Cascades:** Snow today, heavy at times, accumulating 1-2 feet south and 6-12 inches elsewhere.

**Northern California:** Rain at times today, snow in the mountains above 4,000 feet; otherwise, cloudy and chilly.

### REGIONAL CITIES

Today			Sat.			
	Hi	Lo	Hi	Lo	W	
Astoria	47	33	r	49	33	c
Baker City	50	30	c	48	20	c
Bend	43	20	c	42	19	c
Brookings	45	38	r	46	37	r
Burns	45	24	c	42	22	pc
Enterprise	46	31	c	42	21	c
Eugene	44	31	r	49	31	r
Heppner	49	32	sh	49	25	c
Hermiston	54	36	c	56	29	c
John Day	48	30	c	43	21	c
Klamath Falls	41	19	sn	38	23	r
La Grande	50	31	c	46	22	c
Meacham	46	29	sh	42	20	c
Medford	49	30	r	50	31	c
Newport	45	36	r	48	35	r
North Bend	47	36	r	50	37	r
Ontario	56	36	pc	52	31	c
Pasco	55	33	c	55	29	c
Pendleton	52	33	c	52	27	c
Portland	48	36	r	52	34	c
Redmond	47	20	sh	47	20	c
Salem	45	34	r	51	32	c
Spokane	46	33	c	43	25	c
Ukiah	45	27	c	41	18	c
Vancouver	46	35	r	49	31	c
Walla Walla	53	36	c	54	32	c
Yakima	52	28	c	54	24	c

### WORLD CITIES

Today			Sat.			
	Hi	Lo	Hi	Lo	W	
Beijing	69	38	pc	73	42	s
Hong Kong	76	68	s	77	67	pc
Jerusalem	84	61	pc	65	48	c
London	54	42	r	52	37	c
Mexico City	80	51	pc	82	53	pc
Moscow	37	20	sn	30	15	s
Paris	44	41	r	55	40	c
Rome	53	37	s	55	40	pc
Seoul	53	37	s	56	41	s
Sydney	75	67	sh	81	70	pc
Tokyo	57	46	c	59	49	pc

### WINDS

(in mph)

	Today	Saturday
Boardman	S 6-12	SW 7-14
Pendleton	SW 7-14	WSW 7-14

### UV INDEX TODAY

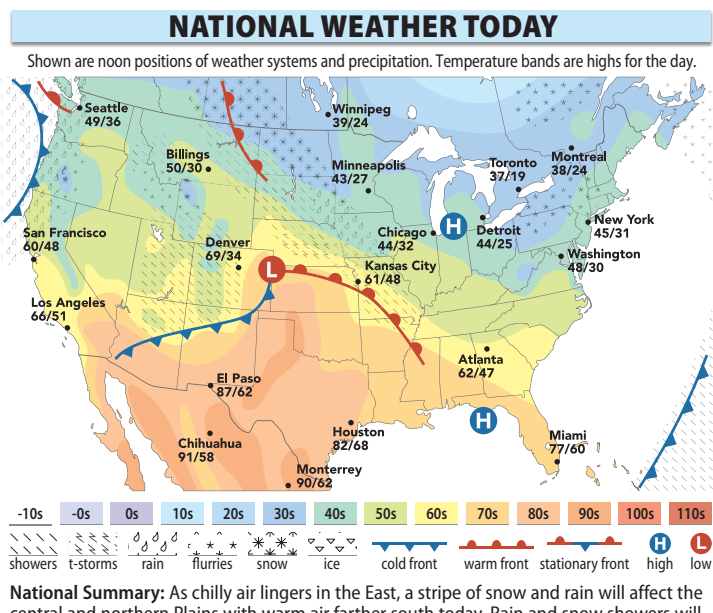
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8 a.m. 10 a.m. Noon 2 p.m. 4 p.m. 6 p.m.

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 Summary:** As chilly air lingers in the East, a stripe of snow and rain will affect the central and northern Plains with warm air farther south today. Rain and snow showers will affect the coastal Northwest.

**Yesterday's National Extremes:** (for the 48 contiguous states)  
 High 92° in Pecos, Texas Low -5° in Ely, Minn.

### NATIONAL CITIES

Today			Sat.			Today			Sat.				
	Hi	Lo	W	Hi	Lo	W	Hi	Lo	W	Hi	Lo	W	
Albuquerque	73	43	pc	69	42	pc	Louisville	51	37	c	45	35	r
Atlanta	62	47	pc	71	57	c	Memphis	69	58	c	73	49	c
Baltimore	44	26	pc	46	26	pc	Miami	77	60	s	78	65	s
Birmingham	67	52	c	74	61	pc	Milwaukee	39	31	pc	41	29	c
Boise	55	38	c	50	32	c	Minneapolis	43	27	c	40	28	sn
Boston	41	32	pc	43	31	pc	Nashville	52	46	c	67	44	t
Charleston, SC	63	45	pc	66	53	pc	New Orleans	76	63	pc	81	63	pc
Charleston, WV	48	27	s	36	31	sn	New York City	45	31	pc	46	32	pc
Chicago	44	32	s	37	29	sn	Oklahoma City	75	55	pc	75	50	pc
Cleveland	37	24	s	40	24	pc	Omaha	53	37	r	45	31	c
Dallas	82	67	pc	88	67	pc	Philadelphia	43	29	pc	45	30	pc
Denver	69	34	c	68	37	s	Phoenix	83	59	pc	80	54	pc
Detroit	44	25	s	43	24	s	Portland, ME	41	30	pc	41	29	c
El Paso	87	62	pc	83	63	pc	Providence	46	32	pc	45	31	pc
Fairbanks	30	4	s	25	5	s	Raleigh	56	31	s	46	33	r
Fargo	39	27	sn	37	30	sn	Rapid City	55	26	c	59	33	pc
Honolulu	81	71	r	80	70	t	Reno	52	35	c	47	29	sn
Houston	82	68	pc	85	68	c	Sacramento	59	45	pc	56	38	sh
Indianapolis	50	31	c	33	25	pc	St. Louis	50	42	c	50	35	r
Jacksonville	68	45	pc	76	55	pc	Salt Lake City	62	46	sh	57	39	c
Kansas City	61	48	t	52	35	c	San Diego	65	55	pc	64	55	pc
Las Vegas	73	52	pc	69	49	s	San Francisco	60	48	pc	57	46	sh
Little Rock	76	60	pc	79	49	c	Seattle	49	36	r	50	35	c
Los Angeles	66	51	pc	62	48	pc	Tucson	82	54	pc	79	48	pc
							Washington, DC	48	30	pc	49	31	pc
							Wichita	75	50	pc	67	39	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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# Nike posts loss due to tax law, but beats expectations

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NEW YORK (AP) — Nike reported its first quarterly loss in 20 years, due to a \$2 billion tax expense related to recent changes in U.S. tax law. But the sneaker company's third-quarter results easily beat expectations and its shares jumped in after-hours trading.



AP Photo/Michael Dwyer, File  
**New England Patriots tight end Rob Gronkowski wears Nike sneakers as he speaks to the media after an NFL game against the Miami Dolphins in Foxborough, Mass.**

It also addressed recently announced departures by high-level executives. CEO Mark Parker acknowledged that there were problems with the company's culture, but didn't provide any details.

"We became aware of some behavioral issues that are inconsistent with Nike's values of inclusively, respect, and empowerment," Parker said during a conference call Thursday with Wall Street analysts. "I'm committed to ensure that we have an environment where every Nike employee can have a positive experience."

Nike said last week that Trevor Edwards, its brand president who had been seen as a possible future CEO, was leaving the company in August. The Beaverton, Oregon-based company didn't say why. The Wall Street Journal reported that his resignation was announced to Nike employees in an internal memo that said the company had received complaints about inappropriate workplace behavior. A day later, it said a vice president had left the company, but didn't give a reason.

The leadership shakeup comes at a time Nike is trying to boost sales in North America, its biggest market. Nike is facing increasing competition in the region, especially from German sneaker company Adidas,

whose sales have been rising in North America.

To try and boost sales, it signed a deal with online retailer Amazon last year, sold sneakers through social media app Snapchat, and has been launching its own apps as a way to sell more shoes. Still, North America sales fell 6 percent in the quarter, the company said Thursday.

It saw higher demand for its swoosh-branded goods outside the U.S., especially in China, where sales soared 24 percent. Overall, the company's revenue rose nearly 7 percent to \$8.98 billion, topping Wall Street expectations.

It reported a loss of \$921 million, or 57 cents per share, for the three months that ended Feb. 28, which the company said was due to the \$2 billion tax expense. The last time it posted a quarterly loss was in 1998, according to financial data firm FactSet.

Earnings, adjusted for pretax expenses, were 68 cents per share. That beat the 52 cents per share Wall Street analysts expected, according to Zacks Investment Research.

Shares of Nike Inc., which closed at \$64.42 on Thursday, jumped 6 percent in extended trading Thursday.

## State high court hands union sponsors procedural win

SALEM — The Oregon Supreme Court partially sided with the sponsors of a union transparency initiative, after they appealed the title given to their proposal by the state Attorney General's office.

In a Thursday ruling the court ordered the attorney general to broaden the summary and title of the proposal, Initiative Petition 33, to include mention of new requirements it would place on the attorney general's office.

The outcome amounted to a minor victory for sponsors of the measure, not affecting the legality or status of the proposed initiative, but marking a procedural advance for one of a pair of measures from the same sponsors that would affect unions in the state.

Ballot titles are intended to provide a concise, neutral description of a measure. They're regarded as crucial information for voters who haven't done homework on an issue, and the language is frequently challenged in court.

Initiative Petition 33 would require public unions to disclose information about how much money they collect from members and how they spend it, and would require the information to be posted online. Initiative Petition 34, a proposal from the same sponsors, would move Oregon toward becoming a right-to-work state, according to reports.

The order sends the measure back to state Attorney General Ellen Rosenblum for modification.

## Tugboat, barge hit boat on Columbia River

PORTLAND — Officials say a tugboat and barge hit a smaller vessel on the Columbia River, tossing the

smaller boat's occupants into the water.

The Oregonian/OregonLive reports no injuries were reported in the Wednesday morning collision.

U.S. Coast Guard spokeswoman Petty Officer Amanda Norcross says the incident happened near downriver of Longview, Washington, near Willow Gove Park.

Norcross says the tugboat and barge reportedly hit the 20-foot pleasure craft and caused the smaller vessel to capsize.

She says there was zero visibility at the time because of thick fog. Norcross says someone picked up the two people who had been fishing from the boat and took them to shore.

Coast Guard investigators from Portland are looking into what happened and whether any enforcement action needs to be taken, she said.

## 2 hurt in explosion at HP campus in Corvallis

CORVALLIS — Authorities say two people were injured in an explosion at the HP Inc. campus in Corvallis.

The Gazette-Times reports that firefighters responded at about 3:30 p.m. Thursday to reports of an explosion on the high-tech campus.

Corvallis Fire Department spokesman Jim Patton says a hydrogen generator exploded inside a laboratory. He did not know what caused the generator to explode.

Patton says the damage was contained to the room where the explosion occurred. He says there was no fire and no toxic or unsafe materials were released.

Patton says paramedics took two people to Good Samaritan Regional Medical Center.

No information was immediately available on their identities or the extent of their injuries.

## Former U.S. attorney suspended 90 days for lying about affair

PORTLAND — Former U.S. attorney for Oregon Amanda Marshall has been barred from practicing law for 90 days because she lied about a sexual relationship with a subordinate.

Marshall resigned in May 2015 after it was revealed that she had an extramarital affair with an assistant prosecutor and stalked him when the relationship ended. She is now in private practice in McMinnville.

The Oregon State Bar later opened an investigation, and the Oregon Supreme Court on Thursday finalized the settlement between Marshall and the professional standards agency.

Marshall acknowledged she was dishonest when initially telling a federal official she didn't have an affair with the subordinate.

Marshall's attorney, Allison Martin Rhodes, tells The Oregonian/OregonLive: "We are pleased to finally have this chapter behind us."

## Oregon woman arrested for cooking dog in oven

ASTORIA — An Oregon woman has been charged with animal abuse after police say she killed a Chihuahua by cooking it in an oven.

The Daily Astorian reports a person close to 28-year-old Warrenton woman reported the incident Tuesday, and police arrested her at Columbia Memorial Hospital.

A police report says the woman has been involved in several recent disturbances that led to interactions with mental health professionals.

Police say the 7-year-old dog was alive when it was put in the oven Monday night.

— Associated Press

### Corrections

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