the afternoon

Breezy in the morning;

otherwise, cloudy

46/37/0.36

A couple of showers

possible

the morning

**THURSDAY** 

### **ALMANAC**

Bend Municipal Airport through 5 p.m. yest. **TEMPERATURE** High 68° in 1920 **PRECIPITATION** 24 hours through 5 p.m. yesterday 1 00" in 1983 Month to date (normal) 0.28" (0.73") Year to date (normal) 0.94" (2.26") Barometric pressure at 4 p.m. SUN, MOON AND PLANETS Rise/Set 6:58am/5:40pm 6:57am/5:42pm Moon 10:46am/12:57am 11:18am/2:00am Venus 6:44am/4:51pm 6:44am/4:54pm

Uranus 9:32am/11:26pm 9:28am/11:22pm First Full Last New Feb 19 Feb 27 Mar 5 Mar 13 Tonight's sky: Nicolas Copernicus' birthday (1473). First quarter moon (10:48 a.m.).

6:19am/4:08pm

Jupiter

10:02am/12:52am 10:00am/12:51am

6:16am/4:06pm

Source: Jim Todd, OMSI **UV INDEX TODAY** 10 a.m. Noon 2 p.m. The higher the AccuWeather.com UV Index™ number the greater the need for eve and skin protection, 0-2 Low. 3-5 Moderate: 6-7 High: 8-10 Very High: 11+ Extreme **ROAD CONDITONS** 

For web cameras of our passes, go to www.bendbulletin.com/webcams I-84 at Cabbage Hill: A couple of rain or snow showers today into tonight US 20 at Santiam Pass: Chilly today with periods of snow, expect 3-6 inches US 26 at Gov't Camp: Snow today, totaling 4 inches. Additional snow tonight US 26 at Ochoco Divide: Cloudy and chilly, a ORE 58 at Willamette Pass: Chilly today with snow at times, accumulating 1-3 inches. Additional snow and flurries tonight. ORE 138 at Diamond Lake: Cloudy today with snow, accumulating up to an inch; cold.

#### SKI REPORT In inches as of 5 p.m. vesterday Ski resort Base New snow Anthony Lakes Mtn 0-48 Hoodoo Ski Area Mt. Ashland 60-62 Mt Bachelor 112-118 130-172 Mt. Hood Meadows Mt. Hood Ski Bowl

Timberline Lodge

Aspen / Snowmass, CO

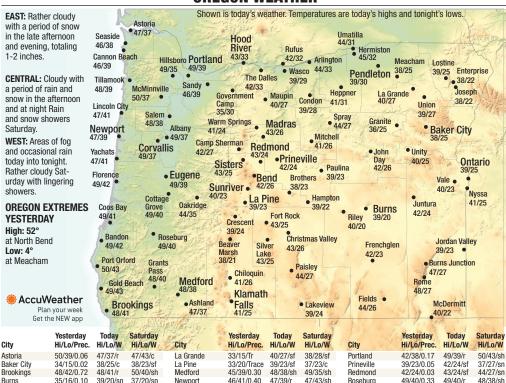
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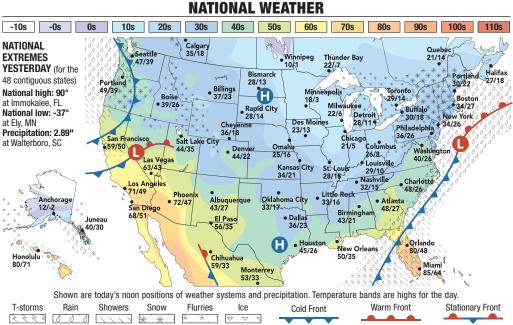
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### **OREGON WEATHER**



51/43/sh 41/23/c

wers, t-thunderstorms, r-rain, sf-snow flurries, sn-snow, i-ice, Tr-trace, Yesterday data as of 5 p.m. yesterday



33/16/Tr 35/20/0.07

### TRAVEL WEATHER

NATIONAL							
City	Yesterday Hi/Lo/Prec.	Today Hi/Lo/W	Saturday Hi/Lo/W	City	Yesterday Hi/Lo/Prec.	Today Hi/Lo/W	Saturday Hi/Lo/W
Abilene	25/12/Tr	46/29/s	54/39/s		39/31/0.04	40/30/sn	38/35/c
Akron	30/19/0.09	27/10/sf	23/9/c	Kansas City	27/4/0.03	34/21/pc	38/31/pc
Albany	24/18/0.02	31/19/sn	30/13/c		22/6/0.03	27/10/sf	26/10/c
Albuquerque	40/23/0.06	43/27/s	55/29/s	Las Vegas	56/42/0.00	63/43/s	64/42/pc
Anchorage	31/24/0.05	12/-2/pc	10/-2/pc		29/22/0.12	26/8/c	31/17/pc
Atlanta	44/39/0.77	48/27/pc	52/31/s	Lincoln	25/8/0.00	27/13/pc	33/24/pc
Atlantic City	39/28/0.66	37/31/r	34/26/pc		32/20/0.12	33/16/s 71/49/s	41/28/s
Austin	32/27/Tr	40/20/s 39/24/sn	50/38/s	Los Angeles	69/47/0.00		70/50/s
Baltimore Billings	31/27/0.45 26/7/0.01	39/24/SII 37/23/c	35/18/s 33/22/pc		32/23/0.17 25/4/Tr	29/10/pc 19/1/c	35/20/pc
Birmingham	47/37/1.74	43/21/s	52/30/s	Madison, WI Memphis	29/22/0.07	29/12/s	23/15/pc 39/29/s
Bismarck	19/4/0.02	43/21/S 28/13/pc	39/18/pc	Miami	85/75/0.00	29/12/S 85/64/pc	75/66/s
Boise	37/20/0.02	39/26/c	38/22/pc	Milwaukee	27/17/Tr	22/6/c	24/19/pc
Boston	31/24/0.12	34/27/sn	34/21/c	Minneapolis	16/7/0.06	18/3/pc	23/19/c
Bridgeport, CT	29/26/0.32	36/28/sn	37/21/pc		31/28/0.23	32/15/pc	39/23/s
Buffalo	27/18/0.03	30/20/sii	26/12/sf	New Orleans	47/39/1.11	50/35/s	58/46/s
Burlington, VT	25/9/0.00	30/19/sn	28/12/si		28/24/0.35	34/26/sn	35/21/pc
Caribou, ME	20/-5/0.00	19/7/c	22/8/sf	Newark, NJ	28/24/0.32	35/26/sn	35/20/pc
	53/48/0.23	46/33/r	51/32/s		42/34/0.85	40/31/r	
Charleston, SC		48/26/r	48/25/s			33/17/s	39/28/s
Charlotte	38/33/0.59			Oklahoma City	25/0/0.00		38/32/pc
Chattanooga	45/34/1.38	45/22/pc	48/26/s		23/9/0.02	25/16/s	32/25/pc
Cheyenne	26/12/Tr	36/18/pc	39/16/sf	Orlando	87/63/0.02	80/48/t	66/50/s
Chicago	26/17/0.04	21/5/c	26/19/pc		70/50/0.00	74/53/s	79/51/s
Cincinnati	28/20/0.11	26/7/c	30/17/pc	Peoria	23/10/0.07	21/11/pc	27/21/pc
Cleveland	27/19/0.13	26/11/sf	22/11/pc		30/25/0.53	36/26/sn	34/19/pc
Colorado Springs		44/17/s	45/19/pc	Phoenix	66/44/0.00	72/47/s	77/47/s
Columbia, MO	22/1/Tr	30/16/pc	38/29/pc	Pittsburgh	29/22/0.11	28/15/sf	23/10/sf
Columbia, SC	43/41/1.24	47/28/r	50/28/s	Portland, ME	26/15/0.00	30/22/sn	33/18/c
Columbus, GA	49/45/0.70	52/28/s	57/32/s		30/24/0.08	36/26/sn	36/21/c
Columbus, OH	30/21/0.13	26/8/c	23/13/pc	Raleigh	36/32/0.78	41/24/r	43/23/s
Concord, NH	27/13/Tr	30/22/sn	31/15/c	Rapid City	20/0/0.00	28/14/c	34/17/pc
Corpus Christi	48/32/0.01	49/30/s	62/50/s	Reno	41/21/Tr	55/34/c	46/27/sf
Dallas	31/24/0.00	36/23/s	46/35/s		33/30/0.59	39/23/i	38/20/s
Dayton	26/19/0.11	24/7/c	25/15/c	Rochester, NY	25/17/0.05	31/20/sn	27/14/sf
Denver	33/14/0.06	44/22/pc	45/19/pc		61/34/0.00	58/44/pc	61/38/pc
Des Moines	21/2/0.01	23/13/s	29/25/pc	St. Louis	25/14/0.01	28/15/pc	37/25/pc
Detroit	25/15/0.06	28/11/sf	27/8/pc	Salt Lake City	36/19/Tr	44/35/sn	38/26/c
Duluth	15/8/0.04	17/-3/pc	20/12/s	San Antonio	32/29/0.12	45/26/s	56/41/s
El Paso	50/33/0.00	56/35/s	68/45/s		69/46/0.00	68/51/s	63/50/pc
airbanks	5/-6/0.13	-11/-29/pc	-3/-29/s	San Francisco	65/43/0.00	59/50/pc	60/46/pc
argo	16/-10/0.03	16/5/s	25/18/c	San Jose	68/37/0.00	62/47/r	61/40/pc
Flagstaff	38/15/Tr	50/25/s	46/17/s	Santa Fe	36/20/0.07	40/21/s	48/22/s
Grand Rapids	23/6/0.02	26/13/sf	25/13/c	Savannah	64/50/0.07	50/36/r	56/35/s
Green Bay	26/7/Tr	21/1/c	21/9/pc	Seattle	45/37/0.09	47/39/r	48/43/sh
Greensboro	33/30/0.82	45/23/r	42/22/s	Sioux Falls	20/-3/0.02	21/8/s	28/22/pc
Harrisburg	28/24/0.31	39/24/sf	33/16/pc	Spokane	29/11/Tr	33/27/sn	32/29/c
Hartford, ČT	26/21/0.10	33/24/sn	33/18/pc	Springfield, MO	22/12/0.01	32/17/pc	40/30/pc
Helena	25/12/0.00	40/20/pc	35/24/sh	Tampa	82/68/0.00	73/48/sh	67/50/s
Honolulu	80/71/0.05	80/71/sh	81/71/sh		62/38/0.00	73/46/s	81/42/s
Houston	40/31/0.00	45/26/s	55/45/pc	Tulsa	27/2/0.00	35/20/pc	40/34/s
Huntsville	37/30/1.06	35/16/c	44/25/s	Washington, DC	32/27/0.42	40/26/sn	36/21/s
Indianapolis	25/17/0.13	22/7/pc	29/18/pc	Wichita	30/4/0.00	31/19/pc	36/29/pc
Jackson, MS	32/28/0.25	38/18/s	51/32/s	Yakima	34/21/0.04	40/23/pc	45/31/pc
Jacksonville	86/52/0.00	64/37/r	57/38/s	Yuma	68/51/0.00	73/45/s	79/49/s
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Amotordom	E0/4E/0.74	E0/47/2	60/48/pc		76/60/0.00	00/E0/a	00/E0/a
Amsterdam	52/45/0.71	50/47/c		Mecca Mexico City	76/62/0.02	80/59/s	80/59/s
Athens	57/34/0.00	60/44/pc	60/47/s	Mexico City	82/47/0.00	72/44/s	74/48/s
Auckland	72/54/0.00	75/58/s	76/58/s	Montreal	23/3/0.00	24/18/sn	27/7/c
Baghdad	61/51/0.00	64/44/s	63/43/pc	Moscow	9/-4/0.00	9/-6/s	13/4/pc
Bangkok	90/75/0.00	90/71/s	91/69/s	Nairobi	84/60/0.00	84/58/pc	82/61/pc
Beijing	45/15/0.00	59/19/pc	54/25/pc	Nassau	82/73/0.01	83/72/pc	79/69/sh
Beirut	55/45/0.30	57/50/sh	59/48/pc	New Delhi	79/57/0.00	80/55/pc	81/56/pc
Berlin	51/36/0.00	48/34/sh	53/38/pc	Osaka	45/28/0.04	49/40/pc	60/50/c
Bogota	70/49/0.27	62/46/t	66/47/t	Oslo	29/23/0.34	38/29/sh	41/36/sh
Budapest	54/36/0.00	45/34/c	46/33/pc	Ottawa	23/1/0.00	23/14/sn	25/4/c
Buenos Aires	82/68/0.00	80/62/pc	76/68/s	Paris	51/45/0.22	56/46/pc	63/46/pc
Cabo San Lucas	73/54/0.00	76/56/s	75/56/s	Rio de Janeiro	84/73/0.03	83/74/t	82/73/t
Cairo	63/48/0.00	64/47/c	65/47/pc	Rome	57/44/0.00	59/45/pc	60/42/s
Calgary	25/3/Tr	35/18/c	36/20/s	Santiago	81/54/0.00	82/56/s	83/54/s
Cancun	86/79/0.00	85/70/t	75/69/c	San Paulo	86/66/0.01	83/65/t	80/64/nc

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# Gut-Behrami edges Shiffrin in giant slalom

BY ERIC WILLEMSEN **Associated Press** 

CORTINA D'AMPEZZO, Italy — After going her entire career without a major championship title, Lara Gut-Behrami added a second gold medal to her burgeoning collection from this year's skiing world champi-

onships. Mikaela Shiffrin, meanwhile, earned a silver medal to give her one of each color — and

with her best event still to come. Gut-Behrami edged Shiffrin for gold in the giant slalom on Thursday, making up a deficit on the first-run leader with a blistering final leg to beat the American by two-hundredths of a second.

After Shiffrin had completed her run, Gut-Behrami hugged the American and stormed through the finish area to celebrate with her coaches.

"GS has always been so important for me in my entire

career," the Swiss skier said. "I always knew that if I'm skiing well in GS then it's easy to be fast even in the other disciplines.

34/12/0.06

ther(W): s-sunny, pc-partly cloudy, c-cloudy, sh-s

However, Gut has been and failed to win a race in the discipline since triumphing in the season-opening World Cup race in 2016.

"This year I was coming back step by step," she said. "Coming to the finish line, I had already on my mind it's the first time I'm winning a medal in GS. To win the gold here is unbelievable."

Katharina Liensberger of Austria was 0.09 behind in third in what was the closest finish ever of a women's giant slalom at the worlds. American skier Nina O'Brien was 0.02 behind in second after the opening run but dropped to 10th after a costly mistake shortly before finishing her final run.

Gut-Behrami became the first GS world champion from Switzerland since Sonja Nef won the title 20 years ago. Gut-Behrami also won gold in the super-G and bronze in the

downhill at this year's worlds. Shiffrin extended her American record with her 10th career medal at worlds. She won the combined event on Monday and took bronze in the super-G

a week ago. Shiffrin dropped 0.14 seconds behind Gut-Behrami halfway through her final run but made up time in the flat final section. Settling for silver, she said she was still "happy."

"The first thing I saw was the red, but I felt good with my skiing. I was pushing. It was not a perfect run, but it was aggressive," said Shiffrin, who has now won 10 medals from 12 events at the worlds since her debut in

"I have never been shoot-

ing for a number of medals or those records or something," she said. "Just every time I race, I want to win."

Shiffrin has a shot at another medal on Saturday, when she lom title.

'This world champs has been really nice," she said. "I am having three medals now going into the final race where for sure I have another chance but it has already been incredibly successful."

Approaching her best career result, O'Brien overcame a scare in between runs when her skis initially failed the standard equipment test by organizers.

The International Ski Federation checks ski size and setup after each run based on strict rules. Racers whose skis don't meet the criteria are disqualified.

Andreas Krönner, the technical operations manager of FIS,



Gold medalist Lara Gut-Behrami, left, embraces silver medalist Mikaela Shiffrin after the giant slalom at the World Championships in Cortina d'Ampezzo, Italy, on Thursday.

said "there was an issue with plate in the binding" on one of O'Brien's skis, which exceeded the allowed height by a mere 0.1 millimeters.

86/79/0.00

46/44/0.03

54/30/0.00

83/61/0.00

62/54/0.15 50/46/0.13

63/36/0.00

Dublin

Edinburah

Johannesburg

Lisbon

Madrid

85/70/t 54/46/r

52/47/r

58/37/pc

81/62/t 72/63/s 41/30/pc 46/39/sh

85/62/c

76/67/pc

61/56/pc 51/50/sh

63/41/s

82/71/pc

55/44/c

79/64/t 73/63/pc 43/37/c 48/36/pc

85/63/pc

76/67/c

59/49/r 58/50/c

Sao Paulo

Sydney Taipei City Tel Aviv

Tokyo

Toronto

Vancouve

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25/16/0.08 43/36/0.12

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86/77/c 35/32/sh 77/70/sh 70/50/s

29/14/sn 44/38/sh

47/33/pc

57/50/sh 60/46/pc 54/41/s 61/49/s

38/33/sh 39/29/d

54/37/s

74/49/s

88/77/pc 38/35/c 79/70/sh 76/53/pc

46/39/pc

However, according to Krönner, the plate was "slightly loose" and could be moved within the tolerance, which allowed O'Brien to start in the final run.

O'Brien seemed on course for a medal but lost control of her left ski when she caught a bump with the finish in sight.

"I'm a little disappointed that I made that mistake at the bottom," O'Brien said, "I felt like (the second run) was a little bit wild from the beginning. I just went for it today and it seemed to work out first run."

# **Tennis**

### **Continued from B3**

Osaka often speaks about wanting more consistency, whether that's at lower-level WTA tournaments or at every Grand Slam event.

She does occasionally stumble early at the majors, such as a third-round exit a year ago as the defending champion in Australia or a first-round loss at Wimbledon in 2019.

But once she gets close to the end, she seals the deal.

"For me, I have this mentality that people don't remember the runners-up. You might, but the winner's name is the one that's engraved," explained Osaka, who was born in Japan to a Japanese mother and Haitian father before the family moved to New York when she was 3.

"I think I fight the hardest in the finals," she continued. "I think that's where you sort of set yourself apart."

Williams had been 8-0 in Australian Open semifinals



Jen Brady hits a return to Karolina Muchova during their semifinal match at the Australian Open in Melbourne, Australia, on Thursday.

until Osaka put a stop to that by winning 6-3, 6-4, reeling off the last eight points of the match after the second set was even at 4-all.

When they hugged at the net at the end, this is what went through Osaka's mind: "Always a surreal moment, just to see her in real life, like, close up." Osaka has long viewed Wil-

liams, 39, as an idol. Their games are quite similar at the most foundational level: speedy serves, dangerous

forehands and that steely attitude on court.

Brady got a sense of that during the entertaining matchup in New York last year against Ōsaka.

"She just puts a lot of pressure on you to serve well, because she's holding serve in, like, 45 seconds. ... She's coming at you with a lot of power, so it also puts a lot of pressure on you to be aggressive and try to get the first strike. Otherwise you're the one running,

and I don't want to be running," said Brady, a 25-year-old from Pennsylvania who played college tennis at UCLA.

Brady acknowledged that she expects to deal with some nerves against Osaka this time. That's only natural, given

the stakes. The key will be limiting how much — and for how

long — that affects her play. "Listen, I don't know how I'm going to feel on Saturday. I can say I can enjoy the moment and just try to play tennis and not really think too much about it. But there's going to be moments, there's going to be games, there's go-ing to be points, where I'm going to be thinking about, Wow, this could be my first Grand Slam title," said Brady, who needed five match points in the last game to close her three-set semifinal win over Karolina Muchova.

'Yeah, I will definitely have those thoughts," she said. "But it's more just trying to control the emotions, really."

## **Prep sports**

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"We aren't going to have spectators for the time being at any of our events. We will reevaluate that as time goes on and as county levels change."

Aside from orchestrating a return to athletic competition during a pandemic, Williams will be taking over as athletic director at Caldera High School, the new school in Bend that will open this fall. The fourth Bend high school's sports facilities are nearly complete. Now the focus turns to getting the Caldera High athletic programs fitted with coaches.

The jobs present a unique opportunity for the incoming coaches, Williams said. Because the school is starting with just sophomore and freshman classes, the athletic teams, while

"They opened up a pathway for the contact sports with a lot of things in place on top of the protocols that we have been adhering to for seven, eight, nine months."

- Dave Williams, the athletic director of Bend-La Pine Schools

playing a varsity schedule, will play against lower-classification programs in team sports.

"We are going to hire coaches to run these programs to varsity standards," Williams said. "We are looking at opportunities for kids to come in and be with varsity coaches for three to four years. So that is a cool opportunity to come in with and work with the entire program."

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### Complete interview

To see the complete interview with Bend-La Pine Schools athletic director Dave Williams, visit bendbulletin.com/sports.