

TODAY	TONIGHT	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY	MONDAY
<b>HIGH 83°</b>	<b>LOW 49°</b>	<b>72°</b> <b>40°</b>	<b>73°</b> <b>44°</b>	<b>84°</b> <b>48°</b>	<b>83°</b> <b>47°</b>	<b>77°</b> <b>45°</b>	<b>77°</b> <b>46°</b>
Mostly sunny, pleasant and warmer	Patchy clouds	Not as warm but pleasant with some sun	Sunny and pleasant	Warmer with plenty of sunshine	Very warm with times of clouds and sun	Pleasant with plenty of sunshine	Plenty of sun

### ALMANAC

Bend Municipal Airport through 5 p.m. yesterday.

TEMPERATURE		
Yesterday	Normal	Record
High 72°	75°	91° in 1918
Low 36°	40°	25° in 1958

24 hours through 5 p.m. yesterday 0.00"  
Record 1.17" in 1982  
Month to date (normal) 0.53" (0.21")  
Year to date (normal) 3.69" (6.54")  
Barometric pressure at 4 p.m. 30.34"

### SUN, MOON AND PLANETS

Rise/Set	Today	Wed.
Sun	6:51am/7:04pm	6:52am/7:02pm
Moon	7:48pm/7:23am	8:08pm/8:29am
Mercury	9:12am/7:39pm	9:10am/7:35pm
Venus	10:46am/8:34pm	10:48am/8:33pm
Mars	7:20am/7:18pm	7:19am/7:16pm
Jupiter	5:45pm/3:53am	5:40pm/3:48am
Saturn	4:59pm/2:28am	4:55pm/2:24am
Uranus	8:44pm/10:58am	8:40pm/10:54am

Last New First Full  
Sep 28 Oct 6 Oct 12 Oct 20

Tonight's sky: Pegasus, the Flying Horse, due south at midnight.

Source: Jim Todd, OMSI

### UV INDEX TODAY

10 a.m.	Noon	2 p.m.	4 p.m.
3	4	4	3

The higher the AccuWeather.com UV Index™ number, the greater the need for eye and skin protection. 0-2 Low, 3-5 Moderate, 6-7 High, 8-10 Very High, 11+ Extreme.

### POLLEN COUNT

Grasses	Trees	Weeds
Absent	Absent	Absent

Source: Oregon Allergy Associates 541-683-1577

### WATER REPORT

As of 7 a.m. yesterday

Reservoir	Acre feet	Capacity
Crane Prairie	33105	60%
Wickiup	3219	2%
Crescent Lake	7232	8%
Ochoco Reservoir	5398	12%
River flow	33067	22%

Deschutes R. below Crane Prairie	Cu.ft./sec.
Deschutes R. below Wickiup	125
Deschutes R. below Crescent Lake	628
Deschutes R. below Bend	95
Deschutes R. at Benham Falls	910
Little Deschutes near La Pine	50
Crescent Ck. below Crescent Lake	46
Crooked R. above Prineville Res.	0
Crooked R. below Prineville Res.	161
Crooked R. near Terrebonne	144
Ochoco Ck. below Ochoco Res.	1

### FIRE INDEX

Bend	Very high
Redmond/Madras	Very high
Sisters	High
Prineville	Very high
La Pine/Gilchrist	Very high

Source: USDA Forest Service

### OREGON WEATHER

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

**EAST:** Sunny Tuesday with a warmer afternoon. Clear and chilly Tuesday night. Sunshine and pleasant Wednesday.

**CENTRAL:** Sunny Tuesday with a warm afternoon. Clear and cool Tuesday night. Mostly sunny and warm Wednesday.

**WEST:** Sunshine Tuesday with a warm afternoon. Fair and comfortable Tuesday night. Partly sunny and not as warm Wednesday.

### OREGON EXTREMES YESTERDAY

High: 86° at Brookings  
Low: 23° at Burns

City	Yesterday HI/Lo/Prec.	Today HI/Lo/W	Wednesday HI/Lo/W	City	Yesterday HI/Lo/Prec.	Today HI/Lo/W	Wednesday HI/Lo/W	City	Yesterday HI/Lo/Prec.	Today HI/Lo/W	Wednesday HI/Lo/W
Astoria	67/50/0.01	73/52/pc	63/49/sh	La Grande	66/45/0.00	74/47/s	74/43/c	Portland	73/50/tr	82/55/s	73/54/sh
Baker City	65/30/0.00	73/35/s	75/38/pc	La Pine	67/29/0.00	80/43/s	70/39/pc	Prineville	68/34/0.00	85/44/s	70/37/pc
Brookings	86/53/0.00	70/51/pc	64/54/pc	Medford	80/46/0.00	88/52/s	82/51/pc	Redmond	71/37/0.00	84/43/s	74/38/pc
Burns	66/23/0.00	76/37/s	76/34/pc	Newport	64/52/0.02	66/49/s	62/48/pc	Roseburg	76/49/0.00	88/53/s	78/50/pc
Eugene	72/47/0.00	81/50/pc	75/50/pc	North Bend	69/48/0.00	72/51/pc	67/51/pc	Salem	73/50/0.00	82/53/s	77/52/c
Klamath Falls	71/30/0.00	81/40/s	74/37/pc	Ontario	71/40/0.00	77/43/s	80/50/c	Sisters	66/32/0.00	83/46/s	72/40/pc
Lakeview	68/35/0.00	79/43/s	74/35/pc	Pendleton	70/47/0.00	81/51/s	76/50/pc	The Dalles	76/53/0.00	81/51/s	77/53/pc

Weather(W): s-sunny, pc-partly cloudy, c-cloudy, sh-showers, t-thunderstorms, r-rain, sf-snow flurries, sn-snow, i-ice, Tr-trace, Yesterday data as of 5 p.m. yesterday

### NATIONAL WEATHER

Temperature bands are high for the day.

### NATIONAL EXTREMES YESTERDAY

for the 48 contiguous states  
National high: 107° at Zapata, TX  
National low: 18° at Bodie State Park, CA  
Precipitation: 5.56" at Savannah, GA

### TRAVEL WEATHER

NATIONAL			INTERNATIONAL				
City	Yesterday HI/Lo/Prec.	Today HI/Lo/W	Wednesday HI/Lo/W	City	Yesterday HI/Lo/Prec.	Today HI/Lo/W	Wednesday HI/Lo/W
Abilene	104/73/0.00	83/53/pc	84/55/s	Juneau	54/50/0.70	53/42/r	49/41/sh
Albany	73/46/0.00	71/60/pc	76/64/c	Kansas City	86/69/0.24	73/47/pc	72/46/s
Albuquerque	87/60/0.00	75/53/s	82/56/s	Lansing	80/66/7r	71/52/r	58/46/r
Anchorage	48/42/0.01	45/34/s	46/37/s	Las Vegas	88/74/0.00	92/72/s	98/76/s
Atlanta	74/73/1.01	80/70/r	75/53/r	Lexington	75/68/0.41	76/60/r	64/46/r
Atlantic City	74/57/0.00	77/72/pc	77/71/pc	Lincoln	76/69/0.02	75/42/s	75/45/s
Austin	99/73/0.00	94/62/r	85/51/pc	Little Rock	91/67/0.00	81/57/r	78/51/s
Baltimore	79/57/0.00	79/69/pc	80/69/c	Los Angeles	84/62/0.00	89/67/pc	90/66/s
Billings	63/47/0.01	71/49/s	81/53/s	Louisville	78/72/1.78	80/61/r	63/52/r
Birmingham	87/73/0.29	83/68/r	74/53/pc	Madison, WI	83/68/7r	67/46/pc	65/41/pc
Bismarck	72/54/0.21	72/44/pc	79/47/s	Memphis	86/74/0.05	82/60/r	75/54/s
Boise	67/41/0.00	76/52/s	81/49/pc	Miami	89/77/r	87/77/r	89/77/r
Boston	72/57/0.00	72/64/pc	76/66/c	Milwaukee	80/71/0.08	68/55/c	66/51/pc
Bridgeport, CT	74/58/0.00	74/69/pc	78/70/c	Minneapolis	74/71/0.10	66/47/pc	69/47/s
Buffalo	84/57/0.00	78/67/pc	75/62/r	Nashville	74/72/2.07	82/62/r	69/53/sh
Burlington, VT	77/48/0.00	72/64/pc	76/66/c	New Orleans	81/75/0.12	87/73/r	82/65/c
Caribou, ME	70/37/0.00	73/53/s	72/59/pc	New York City	75/63/0.00	74/69/pc	78/69/c
Charleston, SC	81/74/1.96	80/72/r	83/68/r	Newark, NJ	78/59/0.00	77/70/pc	81/72/c
Charlotte	83/68/0.03	73/69/r	79/57/r	Norfolk, VA	77/65/0.00	82/72/pc	81/71/sh
Chattanooga	74/72/1.60	81/69/r	72/52/r	Oklahoma City	98/70/7r	78/49/s	80/50/s
Cheyenne	60/44/0.04	64/40/s	79/47/s	Orlando	91/75/0.00	85/74/r	88/74/r
Chicago	82/70/0.66	69/57/sh	67/50/pc	Omaha	76/72/0.10	73/44/pc	73/46/s
Cincinnati	74/70/0.92	76/59/r	60/48/s	Ontario	81/75/0.00	85/74/r	88/74/r
Cleveland	63/47/0.01	71/49/s	86/55/r	Palmdale	81/75/0.00	85/74/r	88/74/r
Colorado Springs	64/52/0.00	65/41/s	78/50/s	Palm Springs	102/71/0.00	106/79/s	107/79/s
Columbia, MO	82/68/0.00	72/50/pc	74/47/s	Peoria	87/73/0.00	69/53/pc	70/47/pc
Columbia, SC	83/72/0.03	78/71/r	81/60/r	Philadelphia	85/57/0.00	85/58/s	82/57/pc
Columbus, GA	86/71/0.82	85/71/r	80/57/r	Phoenix	98/75/0.00	101/78/s	103/78/s
Columbus, OH	81/70/0.01	76/63/sh	67/50/r	Pittsburgh	84/59/0.00	75/66/c	74/55/r
Concord, NH	74/44/0.00	72/56/pc	74/60/sh	Portland, ME	81/75/0.12	67/59/pc	69/61/c
Corpus Christi	85/75/0.00	95/68/pc	88/59/pc	Providence	75/52/0.00	74/65/pc	76/68/pc
Dallas	100/73/0.00	85/60/pc	84/56/s	Raleigh	84/71/0.00	80/70/sh	80/64/r
Dayton	79/71/0.49	77/57/r	59/46/c	Rapid City	66/50/0.09	68/41/s	80/48/s
Denver	67/49/0.00	68/45/s	83/50/s	Reno	74/45/0.00	86/52/pc	85/48/pc
Des Moines	84/67/0.40	72/47/pc	71/45/s	Richmond	82/85/0.00	82/69/sh	79/68/r
Detroit	81/65/7r	74/55/r	58/48/r	Rochester, NY	81/48/0.00	76/65/c	75/64/r
Duluth	74/70/0.55	63/43/c	66/45/s	Sacramento	90/60/0.00	95/60/pc	89/55/s
El Paso	95/76/0.00	84/59/s	82/59/s	St. Louis	88/74/7r	70/55/r	70/52/s
Fairbanks	41/33/7r	41/24/s	43/24/pc	Salt Lake City	65/46/0.00	72/51/s	84/55/s
Fargo	69/50/0.24	67/48/pc	73/52/s	San Antonio	100/75/0.00	95/66/r	87/57/pc
Flagstaff	75/41/0.00	74/40/s	77/43/s	San Diego	76/62/0.00	82/67/pc	83/69/s
Grand Rapids	79/65/0.07	68/52/r	61/45/c	San Francisco	86/57/0.00	85/58/s	72/57/pc
Green Bay	80/67/0.03	69/46/c	65/41/c	San Jose	89/55/0.00	91/61/s	82/56/s
Greensboro	82/67/0.00	71/68/sh	76/57/r	Santa Fe	85/55/0.00	73/44/s	82/45/s
Harrisburg	80/57/0.00	77/69/s	78/67/sh	Savannah	77/74/5.76	81/72/r	83/64/r
Hartford, CT	77/51/0.00	73/62/pc	78/65/sh	Seattle	68/54/0.00	73/54/s	66/53/pc
Helen, GA	59/57/0.04	67/48/pc	87/74/s	Sioux Falls	65/63/1.17	68/42/pc	72/48/s
Houston	95/74/0.00	94/67/r	83/56/pc	Spokane	64/45/7r	73/47/s	71/46/pc
Huntsville	83/72/0.75	82/65/s	70/49/pc	Springfield, MO	92/69/0.00	69/48/r	71/45/s
Indianapolis	75/69/0.48	74/55/r	62/48/r	Tampa	67/73/r	86/76/r	88/75/sh
Jackson, MS	88/73/0.62	88/64/r	77/54/s	Tucson	97/68/0.00	97/72/s	98/70/s
Jacksonville	89/73/0.24	84/72/r	85/66/r	Tulsa	99/73/0.00	76/52/s	79/52/s
				Washington, DC	80/64/0.00	79/71/pc	80/68/sh
				Wichita	91/73/7r	77/48/s	78/50/s
				Yakima	72/42/0.00	76/46/s	77/43/pc
				Yuma	101/73/0.00	102/74/s	106/78/s

## Travel

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"It's a happy day. Big Apple, here I come!" said French entrepreneur Stephane Le Breton, 45, finally able to book a trip to New York City that had been put on hold over the virus restrictions.

The new policy will replace a patchwork of travel bans first instituted by President Donald Trump last year and tightened by President Joe Biden that restrict travel by noncitizens who have in the prior 14 days been in the United Kingdom, European Union, China, India, Iran, Republic of Ireland, Brazil or South Africa.

White House COVID-19 coordinator Jeff Zients announced the new policies, which still will require all foreign travelers flying to the U.S. to demonstrate proof of vaccination before boarding, as well as proof of a negative COVID-19 test taken within three days of flight. Biden will also tighten testing rules for unvaccinated American citizens, who will need to be tested within a day before returning to the U.S., as well as after they arrive home.

The tougher rules for unvaccinated Americans come as the White House has moved to impose sweeping vaccination-or-testing requirements affecting as many as 100 million people in an effort to encourage holdouts to get shots.

Fully vaccinated passengers will not be required to quarantine, Zients said.

There will be no immediate change to U.S. land border policies, which restrict much cross-border travel with Mexico and Canada.

The travel bans had become the source of growing geopolitical frustration, particularly among allies in the U.K. and EU. The easing comes ahead of Biden meeting with some European leaders on the margins of the United Nations General Assembly this week.

"This is based on individuals rather



The Jefferson Memorial is visible behind thousands of white flags on the National Mall as Marine One lands with President Joe Biden aboard at the White House on Monday. The flags, which number more than 630,000, are part of Suzanne Brennan Firstenberg's art installation, "In America: Remember," to honor Americans who have died of COVID-19. The U.S. death toll topped 675,000 Monday, surpassing the number of Americans killed in the 1918-19 Spanish flu pandemic.

than a country-based approach, so it's a stronger system," Zients said.

The EU and U.K. had previously moved to allow vaccinated U.S. travelers in without quarantines, in an effort to boost business and tourism. But the EU recommended last month that some travel restrictions be reimposed on U.S. travelers to the bloc because of the rampant spread of the delta variant of the coronavirus in America.

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention will require airlines to collect contact information from international travelers to facilitate tracing, Zients said.

It was not immediately clear which vaccines would be acceptable under the U.S. system and whether those unapproved in the U.S. could be used. Zients said that de-

cision would be up to the CDC.

Monday's announcement was met with applause by the air travel industry, which has lost significant revenue from declines in international travel.

Worldwide, air travel is still down more than half from pre-pandemic levels, and the decline is much sharper for cross-border flying. By July, domestic travel had recovered to 84% of 2019 numbers, but international travel was just 26% of the same month two years ago, according to figures this month from the airline industry's main global trade group, the International Air Transport Association.

The numbers are similar but not quite as stark for the U.S., where international travel in August was 46% of that in August 2019, according to Airlines for America.

## Stomping

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Foot treading, practiced across the world for millennia, went out of vogue when modern technology arrived. Increasingly, however, more winemakers looking to history for inspiration are adopting treading as part of their process.

"Foot treading and punch-downs in general lost popularity for a while, but they started coming back in the sixties and seventies, and now we're seeing more of a resurgence," said Alex Fullerton, an Oregon winemaker who uses foot treading in some of his whole cluster batches.

Fullerton said treading some grape varieties with stems still attached can add herbaceous, floral and even cinnamon-like flavors.

Fullerton isn't alone. Dozens of wineries across the West employ foot treading, including Left Bend Winery in Los Gatos, California, Thacher Winery and Vineyard in Paso Robles, California, and Troon Vineyard in Grants Pass.

Even Willamette Valley Vineyards, though relying almost exclusively on modern

crushing equipment, has used treading to make some small cellar batches, said Clair.

"It's a very traditional technique," she said. "Foot treading can be a nice, gentle process."

Proponents say the gentler method more slowly and thoroughly mingles the stems and skins with the fruit's interior, resulting in wine with more spice, subtle flavors and desired texture.

Treading by foot also helps prevent seed breakage and gives winemakers more control over tannin levels, compounds that exist in skins, seeds and stems.

But what about dirty feet? Many modern wineries have moved away from foot treading precisely because the idea makes some consumers squeamish.

Advocates, however, say there's no reason for concern. Stompers typically work indoors using iodized water or other cleaning solutions on skin. Some even use sanitized boots instead of bare feet. The fermentation process also eliminates pathogens.

Anyone who wants to experience this old-world tradition can do so at Willamette Valley Vineyards, said Clair.

## Pfizer

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For elementary school-aged kids, Pfizer tested a much lower dose — a third of the amount that's in each shot given now. Yet after their second dose, children ages 5 to 11 developed coronavirus-fighting antibody levels just as strong as teenagers and young adults getting the regular-strength shots, Dr. Bill Gruber, a Pfizer senior vice president, told The Associated Press.

The kid dosage also proved safe, with similar or fewer temporary side effects — such as sore arms, fever or achiness —

that teens experience, he said. "I think we really hit the sweet spot," said Gruber, who's also a pediatrician.

Gruber said the companies aim to apply to the Food and Drug Administration by the end of the month for emergency use in this age group, followed shortly afterward with applications to European and British regulators.

Earlier this month, FDA chief Dr. Peter Marks told the AP that once Pfizer turns over its study results, his agency would evaluate the data "hopefully in a matter of weeks" to decide if the shots are safe and effective enough for younger kids.

An outside expert said scientists want to see more details but called the report encouraging.

"These topline results are very good news," said Dr. Jesse Goodman of Georgetown University, a former FDA vaccine chief. The level of immune response Pfizer reported "appears likely to be protective."

Many Western countries so far have vaccinated no children younger than age 12, awaiting evidence of what's the right dose and that it works safely. Cuba last week began immunizing children as young as 2 with its homegrown vaccines and Chinese regulators have

cleared two of its brands down to age 3.

While kids are at lower risk of severe illness or death than older people, more than 5 million children in the U.S. have tested positive for COVID-19 since the pandemic began and at least 460 have died, according