

TODAY	TONIGHT	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY	MONDAY
HIGH 49° Low 32°	LOW 39° High 48°	48° 35°	38° 30°	41° 25°	40° 23°	36° 22°	31° 20°
Cloudy	Mostly cloudy	Mostly cloudy, p.m. rain and snow showers	Cloudy with a flurry in the afternoon	Snow tapering to flurries; winds subsiding	Cloudy with snow showers possible	Cloudy with snow showers possible	Windy with snow showers possible

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Bend Municipal Airport through 5 p.m. yesterday.

TEMPERATURE		
Yesterday	Normal	Record
High 48°	40°	58° in 1937
Low 32°	23°	-9° in 1990

24 hours through 5 p.m. yesterday 0.01" Record 0.65" in 1964
Month to date (normal) 0.54" (1.38")
Year to date (normal) 6.23" (9.94")
Barometric pressure at 4 p.m. 30.05"

SUN, MOON AND PLANETS

Rise/Set	Today	Wed.
Sun	7:37am/4:30pm	7:37am/4:30pm
Moon	6:43pm/9:53am	7:47pm/10:29am
Mercury	5:44am/5:16pm	8:45am/5:19pm
Venus	9:17am/6:34pm	9:11am/6:31pm
Mars	5:44am/2:54pm	5:44am/2:52pm
Jupiter	10:58am/9:22pm	10:55am/9:19pm
Saturn	10:08am/7:46pm	10:04am/7:42pm
Uranus	1:38pm/3:44am	1:34pm/3:40am

Dec 26 Jan 2 Jan 9 Jan 17

Tonight's sky: Winter solstice, which marks the start of winter in the Northern Hemisphere, occurs at 7:59 a.m. PST. Day length: 8 hours, 42 minutes. Source: Jim Todd, OMSI

OREGON WEATHER

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

EAST: Mostly cloudy today. Cloudy with a little snow with little or no accumulation tonight.

CENTRAL: Cloudy today; a little afternoon rain in the south.

WEST: Cloudy today; a little afternoon rain, except dry in the north. A couple of showers tonight.

OREGON EXTREMES YESTERDAY

High: 55° at Brookings
Low: 18° at Lakeview

TRAVEL WEATHER

NATIONAL			INTERNATIONAL		
City	Yesterday HI/Lo/Prec.	Today HI/Lo/W	City	Yesterday HI/Lo/Prec.	Today HI/Lo/W
Astoria	45/41/1.52	50/46/1	Amsterdam	43/42/0.20	37/26/c
Baker City	41/28/Tr	34/23/c	Athens	59/32/0.01	52/43/sh
Brookings	55/48/0.55	50/46/r	Auckland	72/61/0.00	74/64/pc
Burns	44/31/0.00	36/23/c	Baghdad	64/49/0.00	63/44/c
Eugene	47/39/1.05	47/44/r	Bangkok	84/69/0.00	88/70/c
Klamath Falls	46/31/0.00	38/27/r	Beijing	50/20/0.00	42/31/s
Lakeview	41/18/0.01	39/23/sn	Beirut	61/57/1.22	63/56/r
Medford	43/38	47/39	Berlin	36/29/0.00	34/25/c
Newport	50/41/2.37	51/46/r	Bogota	72/48/0.04	66/49/sh
North Bend	54/51/1.24	53/48/r	Budapest	39/34/0.04	36/21/pc
Ontario	41/32/Tr	33/26/c	Buenos Aires	81/73/0.00	79/69/r
Pendleton	32/27/0.45	35/30/c	Cabo San Lucas	75/57/0.00	81/55/pc
Portland	43/40/0.82	47/43/c	Cairo	59/50/0.00	63/50/s
Prineville	45/32/0.02	51/37/c	Calgary	10/-9/0.00	30/15/sf
Roseburg	52/47/0.15	48/43/r	Cancun	84/71/0.00	81/64/r
Salem	47/40/1.86	47/44/c	Dublin	46/42/0.00	45/43/c
Sisters	35/29/0.17	47/36/c	Edinburgh	42/39/0.04	39/29/c
The Dalles	37/34/0.64	38/36/c	Geneva	37/31/0.00	38/28/s
Umatilla	37/32	37/32	Harare	70/60/0.33	71/61/r
Hermiston	37/32	37/32	Hong Kong	66/62/1.26	67/62/r
Meacham	38/31	38/31	Istanbul	46/32/0.00	44/32/s
Enterprise	39/27	39/27	Jerusalem	48/42/0.40	49/45/c
Joseph	41/29	41/29	Johannesburg	71/53/0.07	73/58/r
Union	37/30	37/30	Lisbon	63/55/1.47	63/54/c
John Day	45/33	45/33	London	45/38/0.00	43/33/c
Unity	34/22	34/22	Madrid	50/32/0.08	56/43/c
Vale	35/26	35/26	Manila	90/77/0.00	88/77/s
Nyssa	35/26	35/26	Mecca	89/65/0.00	82/59/s
Ontario	53/26	53/26	Mexico City	69/49/0.00	69/42/c
Chicago	42/30/0.00	40/19/pc	Montreal	29/5/0.06	26/19/pc
Cincinnati	43/24/0.00	46/26/s	Moscow	18/17/0.47	1-7/c
Cleveland	42/29/0.00	46/26/s	Nairobi	77/60/0.04	73/61/r
Colorado Springs	58/30/0.00	60/32/c	Nassau	82/72/0.06	83/69/c
Columbia, MO	52/24/0.00	49/23/s	New Delhi	66/42/0.00	68/45/pc
Columbia, SC	45/36/0.00	44/36/c	Osaka	54/38/0.00	59/40/pc
Columbus, GA	49/41/0.00	47/36/c	Oslo	32/14/0.03	34/22/sf
Columbus, OH	40/26/0.00	42/27/s	Paris	42/30/0.00	47/22/pc
Concord, NH	29/8/0.00	39/18/pc	Rio de Janeiro	79/69/0.00	83/72/s
Corpus Christi	63/46/0.05	67/47/s	Rome	55/32/0.00	56/42/pc
Dayton	42/26/0.00	43/26/s	Santiago	90/59/0.00	92/59/s
Denver	60/32/0.00	61/31/c	Sao Paulo	77/59/0.00	85/67/c
Des Moines	38/26/0.00	40/17/s	Sapporo	32/14/0.03	34/22/sf
Detroit	40/28/0.02	37/24/pc	Seoul	52/30/0.00	47/22/pc
Duluth	17/14/Tr	14/3/s	Shanghai	61/40/0.00	63/42/pc
El Paso	60/30/0.00	62/36/s	Singapore	88/77/0.01	88/77/r
Fairbanks	33/21/1.00	17/6/pc	Stockholm	27/21/0.12	25/15/sf
Flagstaff	51/15/0.00	50/20/pc	Sydney	81/71/0.00	83/70/s
Grand Rapids	41/29/0.00	37/23/pc	Taipei	74/63/0.20	70/66/r
Green Bay	36/28/0.00	27/12/sn	Tel Aviv	59/52/0.68	63/54/r
Greensboro	42/28/0.00	46/36/c	Tokyo	52/36/0.00	57/44/s
Harrisburg	40/21/0.00	44/27/pc	Toronto	39/19/0.00	34/28/pc
Hartford, CT	34/17/0.00	44/26/pc	Vancouver	36/25/Tr	37/34/r
Helena	26/13/0.13	14/8/s	Vienna	37/35/0.14	34/24/pc
Honolulu	82/72/Tr	79/68/c	Warsaw	32/31/0.24	27/21/c
Houston	58/46/1.02	62/43/s			
Huntsville	48/30/0.00	50/32/c			
Indianapolis	42/23/0.00	44/23/s			
Jackson, MS	47/37/0.08	52/34/s			
Jacksonville	56/54/Tr	58/43/r			

UV INDEX TODAY

10 a.m.	Noon	2 p.m.	4 p.m.
1	1	1	0

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.

ROAD CONDITIONS

For web cameras of our passes, go to www.bendbulletin.com/webcams

I-84 at Cabbage Hill: Sun through high clouds today. Mostly cloudy tonight.

US 20 at Santiam Pass: Cloudy today. Mostly cloudy tonight with a few showers.

US 26 at Gov't Camp: Considerable cloudiness today. A couple of showers tonight.

US 26 at Ochoco Divide: Mostly cloudy today. A couple of rain or snow showers tonight.

ORE 58 at Willamette Pass: Cloudy today with a little rain during the afternoon.

ORE 138 at Diamond Lake: Cloudy today with occasional rain in the afternoon.

SKI REPORT

In inches as of 5 p.m. yesterday

Ski resort	New snow	Base
Anthony Lakes Mtn	0	0-0
Hoodoo Ski Area	0	36-36
Mt. Ashland	0	0-0
Mt. Bachelor	0	32-32
Mt. Hood Meadows	1	42-54
Mt. Hood Ski Bowl	4	18-24
Timberline Lodge	1	33-45
Willamette Pass	0	0-0
Aspen / Snowmass, CO	4	22-47
Mammoth Mtn. Ski, CA	0	54-80
Palisades Tahoe, CA	0	0-54
Park City Mountain, UT	5	21-43
Sun Valley, ID	0	36-49

Source: OnTheSnow.com

NATIONAL WEATHER

Shown are today's noon positions of weather systems and precipitation. Temperature bands are highs for the day.

NATIONAL EXTREMES YESTERDAY (for the 48 contiguous states)
National high: 85° at Vero Beach, FL
National low: -14° at Bottineau, ND
Precipitation: 2.02" at Florence, OR

Opioids

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But some feel the settlement isn't enough and doesn't cover the damage caused by opioids, which were over-prescribed in massive numbers. In the U.S., more than 500,000 deaths over the last two decades have been linked to opioids, both prescription drugs and illegal ones.

Washington state Attorney General

Bob Ferguson has called the settlement "woefully insufficient." Instead of joining, he sued AmerisourceBergen, Cardinal Health and McKesson for \$38 billion.

In Oregon, the agreement still needs to be formally approved by city councils and county commissions to become final, Rosenblum noted.

Some have already taken steps. The Yamhill County Board of Commissioners unanimously authorized the

county counsel to approve the settlement last week, said Commissioner Casey Kulla. In the county southwest of Portland, as in many others, the opioid epidemic has caused overdoses, addiction and homelessness.

According to Rosenblum's office, the agreement between the state and local governments says:

— Almost half of Oregon's share would go into a fund that would be used to study the availability and ef-

ficacy of substance use prevention, treatment and recovery services across the state. The funds would also be used to address treatment and prevention of substance use disorder, focused on statewide and regional programs and services.

— The remaining 55% of Oregon's share would go directly to cities and counties to pay for prevention, treatment and recovery services at the local level.

"Every dollar we receive must be used judiciously and wisely," Rosenblum said. "For starters, it will provide us with the ability to increase access to lifesaving treatment and recovery services and will support individuals and families who continue to suffer from substance use disorder."

The settlement is second only to the \$200 billion-plus tobacco settlement, in 1998, with the nation's four largest tobacco companies.



Sierra Dawn McClain/Capital Press

Apples from Washington state get processed at a packing house. Because of shipping problems and tariff disputes, Washington apple growers are focusing on sales in the U.S., Canada and Mexico.

Apples

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But with high ocean shipping costs and jammed ports, Lyons said there's "lower risk to ship to neighbors."

Although many export difficulties have been shipping-related, another piece of the puzzle is retaliatory tariffs.

China currently has three tariffs on Washington apples adding up to a total 55% tariff. This makes U.S. apples less competitive in China's marketplace.

In India, two tariffs also continue, adding up to a total 70% tariff. Since the tariffs started in 2019, Washington's share of India's apple market has fallen from 20% to 6%.

Although this isn't good news for the industry, it's not a surprise, in part because Washington farmers have recently been growing fewer acres of Red Delicious — India's favorite variety.

"We're much less dependent on (In-

dia's) market today than we were two years ago," said Bob Mast, grower and president of CMI Orchards. "There were close to 22 million boxes of (Red Delicious) left this time in the season two years ago, and there are about 15 million this year. So, if there's a year that we wanted to not have as much dependency on that market, this is a good year for it."

India is sourcing an increasing number of Red Delicious apples from Turkey.

The apple commission, in turn, is pivoting its marketing strategy, cutting advertising dollars by 45% in India this year and focusing on the Americas.

Over the weekend, the commission rolled out an in-store sampling campaign for Cosmic Crisp apples in 42 Metro Ontario locations, a Canadian retailer. According to early reports from the commission's Canada marketing representative, the campaign is

going well.

Although industry leaders are making the "home court," they're also in conversations with shipping experts about how to improve exports.

In a commission meeting Thursday, John Wolfe, CEO of the Northwest Seaport Alliance, a marine cargo partnership between the ports of Seattle and Tacoma, told growers his organization is working toward solutions.

In January, with a \$400 million capital investment, Seattle will open Terminal 5, which Wolfe expects will relieve congestion 10% to 20%.

October 2022, the Port of Seattle also plans to upgrade Terminal 46 to receive vessels.

"It won't solve the issue entirely, but it will ease the pain," he said in a video.

Officials are also exploring building inland terminals.

Wolfe said he expects the shipping situation to stabilize by mid-year to the third quarter of 2022.

Lloyd Center

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Urban Renaissance Group is known in Portland for projects that include the renovation of The Oregonian's former headquarters at 1320 SW Broadway St., now used as office space for a variety of companies. It also bought the former printing facility for The Oregonian next to Providence Park, where it built a 150,000-square-foot office building.

KKR said in October that it would repossess the Lloyd Center by year's end after the mall's owners defaulted on a \$177 million loan toward the center's extensive renovations during the mid-2010s. KKR said payments on the remaining \$110 million debt stopped in October 2020.

Despite the renovation, the mall struggled to turn things around. Major tenants left — including Nordstrom in 2015, Sears and Marshalls in 2018 and Macy's earlier this year — and shopping traffic continued to decline. Plans to pivot to an entertainment district, complete with a bowling alley and con-



Beth Nakamura

Several stores are already empty at the Lloyd Center. November 2, 2021
Beth Nakamura/Staff

cert venue, never materialized. The COVID-19 pandemic only worsened the center's problems. And in August, the mall closed for more than three weeks after an electrical fire.

Growth

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Oregon startups raised just over \$1 billion in the first nine months of the year, nearly double the amount they raised during the same period in 2020, according to the quarterly report from the National Venture Capital Association and PitchBook. Oregon had 132 startups funded, up 25% from the same nine months in 2020.

New businesses rarely have it easy, of course. And the pandemic continues to present enormous challenges, from the omicron variant to supply-chain snarls and historic inflation.

"It's a challenging time to start a company because the future is less certain, I think, than it ever has been," Osborne said.

Yet Osborne said some of those changes work in favor of entrepreneurs — especially those who have historically been shut off from opportunities. Investors and startups are more focused on hearing from diverse founders and reaching the communities they know best, a shift she said could open up new frontiers.

"It's going to be really interesting over the next 10 years how the composition of entrepreneurial leadership changes," Osborne said.