

Weather

TODAY 76°
RealFeel: 78°
A shower this morning

TONIGHT 55°
RealFeel: 54°
Partly cloudy and nice

SUNDAY 79°
51°
RealFeel: 82°/52°
Sunshine and pleasant

MONDAY 85°
64°
RealFeel: 87°/63°
Mostly sunny

TUESDAY 87°
63°
RealFeel: 88°/64°
A t-storm possible

WEDNESDAY 88°
62°
RealFeel: 90°/61°
Chance of a t-storm

The patented **AccuWeather.com RealFeel Temperature** is an exclusive index of effective temperature based on eight weather factors. Shown are the highest and lowest values for each day.

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

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Montreal 68/52
Burlington 72/50
Rutland 69/49
Albany 73/52
Hartford 78/54

Berlin 71/46
Concord 75/51
Manchester 76/55
Boston 74/60
Providence 79/58

Bangor 70/54
Portland 71/55
Portsmouth 72/56
Hyannis 75/59

Ocean Temp: 57°

ALMANAC

Through 4 p.m. yesterday at Concord Airport

Temperature

High/low	60°/57°
Normal high/low	77°/52°
Record high	94° in 1956
Record low	33° in 1979

Cooling Degree Days

Degree days are an indicator of energy needs. The more the total degree days, the more energy is necessary to cool.

Yesterday	0
Month to date (normal)	15 (23)
Since January 1 (normal)	17 (37)

Precipitation

24 hrs through 4 p.m. yest.	0.85"
Month to date	1.03"
Normal month to date	1.73"
Year to date	18.91"
Normal year to date	17.39"

Today's Hampton Tides:

High	12:15 a.m.	12:56 p.m.
Low	6:59 a.m.	7:09 p.m.

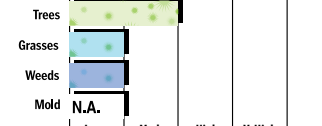
Moon Phases

Last	New	First	Full
Jun 19	Jun 27	Jul 5	Jul 12

Sun and Moon

	Today	Tomorrow
Sunrise	5:06 a.m.	5:06 a.m.
Sunset	8:26 p.m.	8:26 p.m.
Moonrise	9:45 p.m.	10:31 p.m.
Moonset	6:51 a.m.	8:01 a.m.

Pollen

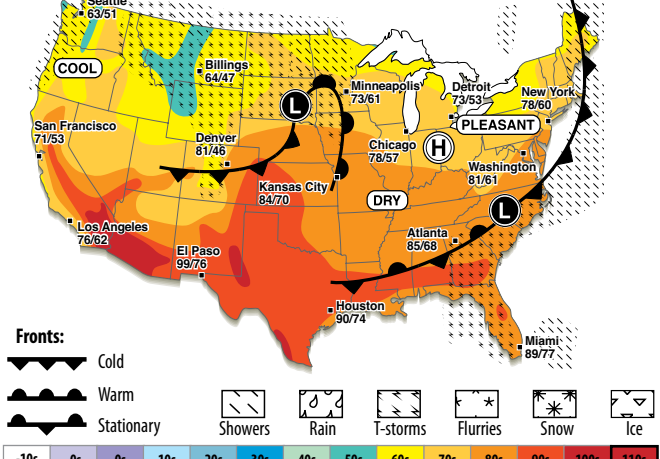


NATIONAL SUMMARY

Showers and spotty thunderstorms will affect eastern New England, the southern Atlantic Seaboard and the Gulf Coast today. An elevated risk of severe storms will focus on Nebraska, but incidents of severe weather can stretch from Minnesota to western Texas. Showers and spotty storms will reach from the High Plains to Northwest coast.

NATIONAL FORECAST

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



National Extremes

Friday's extremes for the 48 contiguous states.

City	Yest.		Today		City	Yest.		Today	
	Hi/Lo	Precip	Hi/Lo	Precip		Hi/Lo	Precip	Hi/Lo	Precip
Albuquerque	85/64	0.02	92/57	s	Los Angeles	73/61	0.00	76/62	pc
Anchorage	54/48	0.13	63/53	sh	Miami	89/74	0.14	89/77	t
Atlanta	82/67	0.06	85/68	t	Memphis	82/69	0.00	86/68	pc
Chicago	74/55	0.00	78/57	s	New Orleans	81/69	0.59	89/73	t
Cleveland	72/63	0.02	68/49	s	New York City	79/65	0.65	78/60	pc
Dallas	88/73	0.00	92/74	pc	Orlando	86/70	0.40	90/72	t
Denver	88/51	0.00	81/46	t	Phoenix	103/85	0.00	102/77	s
Detroit	70/63	0.00	73/53	s	Pittsburgh	77/64	0.45	73/49	s
Kansas City	74/52	0.00	84/70	pc	St. Louis	74/60	0.00	82/63	s
Las Vegas	95/81	0.00	93/75	s	San Francisco	73/54	0.00	71/53	pc

Weather (W): s-sunny, pc-partly cloudy, c-cloudy, sh-showers, t-thunderstorms, r-rain, sf-snow flurries, sn-snow, f-ice.

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Homeowner tries to solve mansion cliff-hanger; burns down the house

By JON HERSKOVITZ
Reuters

AUSTIN, Texas — Building crews set fire on Friday to a luxury lake house left dangling about 75 feet on a decaying cliff that has been giving way underneath the structure.

Live video showed the house being set on fire by work crews, who earlier had placed hay bales soaked in fuel inside the \$800,000 house on Lake Whitney, about 75 miles southwest of Dallas, and broke windows for proper ventilation.

The land started to give way in February, and since then about 50 yards of land that separated it from the water's edge has eroded, said Mark Wilson, the chief deputy for the Hill County Sheriff's Department.

On Tuesday, a large chunk of the land under the structure collapsed, leaving about half of the house on the ground and half in the air.

The burn, which was authorized by the homeowner, will be carefully monitored and comes after a demolition of the house was seen



Smoke rises from a house deliberately set on fire, days after part of the ground it was resting on collapsed into Lake Whitney, Texas. Building crews set fire on Friday to the luxury lake house left dangling about 75 feet on a decaying cliff that has been giving way underneath the structure.

REUTERS/BRANDON WADE

as too risky because of the unstable ground underneath, officials said.

Owner Rob Webb, who spent his retirement sav-

ings on the house, has abandoned the property. He told Dallas television station WFAA he had trouble recognizing the structure from

news reports.

"You're like, 'Good grief, that is my home,'" Webb told WFAA.

Police gun down bull on the loose

BALTIMORE (Reuters) — An escaped bull led Baltimore police on a 45-minute chase through downtown on Friday before officers gunned it down, police said.

The adult bull was shot because it was increasingly

becoming aggressive, a police statement said.

The bull had fled a nearby slaughterhouse and was captured in a video posted on Twitter trotting down

the median strip of a busy downtown street, shocking

onlookers while it dodged traffic.

"Officers tried several times to contain the bull," spokesman Sgt. Sarah Connolly told Reuters. "But each time he eluded us. He managed to travel a considerable

distance."

Several business owners called 911 to report the bull on the loose. The animal was shot around 11 a.m.

Police did not release the name of the slaughterhouse.

Pot-smoking driver crashes into CNN headquarters

ATLANTA (Reuters) — A driver who told police he had smoked marijuana crashed his car into CNN headquarters in Atlanta early on Friday, causing damage but no injuries, police said.

The driver, identified by

police as Gerlmy Javon Todd, 22, had marijuana on him and said he'd smoked before the crash, Atlanta Police Department spokesman John Chafee said by email.

Todd told police he'd fallen asleep at the wheel after

driving all night, Chafee said. Both Todd and a passenger in the car refused medical assistance, Chafee added.

The car crashed into the lobby of the building, according to a CNN Twitter feed, which showed a photo

of a Mercedes-Benz convertible in the lobby just feet from a large CNN logo.

Officers who arrived at the scene shortly after 4 a.m. found the car had crashed into the north side of the CNN Center building, Chafee said.

Twitter tiff in Peoria, Ill., brings raid, federal suit

By STACY ST. CLAIR
Chicago Tribune

PEORIA, Ill. — When Jon Daniel created a Twitter account spoofing the town's mayor in March, he planned to entertain friends with a steady stream of occasional profane and often sopho-

moric messages.

The Peoria native said he had no animosity toward Mayor Jim Ardis when he uploaded his official portrait to the page and started tweeting under the handle @peoria-mayor. With Twitter hosting thousands of accounts parodying athletes, actors and

politicians, Daniel decided Peoria's biggest celebrity should have one as well.

"It was created to be a joke," said Daniel, a 29-year-old father of two small boys. "I thought my friends would find it funny."

While Daniel's friends were amused, Ardis was not.

Records obtained under the Freedom of Information Act show how deeply Daniel's musings upset officials as they tried to hold him criminally responsible for portraying Ardis as a foul-mouthed politician with a penchant for liquor, drugs and prostitutes.

In China, even man's best friend a soccer fan



A dog with a Brazilian flag sticker on its head, touches a replica of the World Cup trophy as a visitor takes pictures during an event to celebrate the 2014 World Cup in Brazil, in Wuhan, Hubei province, on Thursday.

REUTERS

Nextdoor CEO pleads no contest to hit and run charge

By SARAH McBRIDE
Reuters

SAN FRANCISCO — Nextdoor CEO Nirav Tolia, whose social networking website espouses neighborhood safety and community, pleaded no contest Thursday in a San Mateo court to a misdemeanor for leaving the scene of a highway accident that a driver says Tolia caused.

Tolia will pay a \$239 fine, spend 30 weekend days in a county program in lieu of 30 days' jail time, serve two years' probation, and will be responsible for restitution to the victim, said San Mateo County District Attorney Steve Wagstaffe.

Tolia originally faced felony criminal charges, but Wagstaffe said he reduced them to a misdemeanor "hit and run causing injury" because of Tolia's forthrightness in admitting his role in the accident.

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