

May 1979

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May 1979	Week Day	TEMPERATURE				PRECIPITATION			RAIN	SNOW	SLEET	GLAZE	FOG	DEW	FROST
		MAX.	MIN.	RANGE	MEAN	Liquid	Frozen	GROUND							
May-01	Tue	71	31	40	51.0										
May-02	Wed	74	30	44	52.0										
May-03	Thu	68	49	19	58.5										
May-04	Fri	68	53	15	60.5	0.13			1						
May-05	Sat	69	41	28	55.0	0.30			1						
May-06	Sun	75	39	36	57.0	0.02			1						
May-07	Mon	80	48	32	64.0										
May-08	Tue	84	53	31	68.5										
May-09	Wed	81	61	20	71.0										
May-10	Thu	86	60	26	73.0										
May-11	Fri	83	58	25	70.5	0.04			1						
May-12	Sat	83	62	21	72.5										
May-13	Sun	74	62	12	68.0	0.78			1						
May-14	Mon	70	55	15	62.5	0.17			1						
May-15	Tue	78	43	35	60.5										
May-16	Wed	70	44	26	57.0										
May-17	Thu	70	34	36	52.0										
May-18	Fri	72	36	36	54.0										
May-19	Sat	69	56	13	62.5	0.27			1						
May-20	Sun	75	53	22	64.0										
May-21	Mon	70	52	18	61.0	0.04			1						
May-22	Tue	74	52	22	63.0										
May-23	Wed	76	59	17	67.5	0.10			1						
May-24	Thu	76	63	13	69.5	0.24			1						
May-25	Fri	69	55	14	62.0	0.33			1						
May-26	Sat	60	42	18	51.0										
May-27	Sun	71	41	30	56.0	0.02			1						
May-28	Mon	72	50	22	61.0	0.07			1						
May-29	Tue	75	42	33	58.5	0.01			1						
May-30	Wed	80	40	40	60.0										
May-31	Thu	76	56	20	66.0	0.11			1						
TOTAL		2299	1520	779.0	1909.5	2.63	0.0	0.0	15	0	0	0	0	0	0
NUM		31	31	31	31	15									
AVE.		74.16	49.03	25.13	61.60			Days 0	Rain	SNOW	SLEET	GLAZE	FOG	DEW	FROST
MAX.	Dates	86	63	44	73.0	0.78	0.0	0.0	3 under sky cover is missing Data						
	1	May-10	May-24	May-02	May-10	May-13									
	2														
MIN.	Dates	60	30	12	51.0		HOTTEST	73.0							
	1	May-26	May-02	May-13	May-01	May-26	DAY	5-10							
	2						COOLEST	2-20							
	3						DAY	5-01							
<=32 °F		0	<=32 °F	2											
>=90°F		0	>=70 °F	0											

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May 1979	DRIZZLE	RAINBOW	HAIL	THUNDER	T SHOWER	T STORM	HAZE	May - 1979 REMARKS FOR THE DAY
May-01								
May-02								
May-03								
May-04	1							
May-05								
May-06								
May-07								
May-08								
May-09								
May-10								
May-11				1				
May-12								
May-13								
May-14								
May-15								
May-16								
May-17								
May-18								
May-19								Precipitation from a coastal low pressure with more rain to the east -- cloudy
May-20								Cloudy day
May-21								Cloudy day
May-22								Cloudy day
May-23								Cloudy day
May-24				1				
May-25				1				cloudy day
May-26								
May-27								Partly cloudy
May-28								Partly cloudy
May-29								
May-30								
May-31	1							
	2	0	0	3	0	0	0	REMARKS FOR THE MONTH
	DRIZZLE	RAINBOW	HAIL	THUNDER	T.SHOWER	T. STORM	HAZE	

The rain gauge used in observations from 1958 to 1984 was about 2.5 - 3.0 inches square at the top. It was tapered to a smaller size at the bottom that exaggerated the scale more at the bottom than the top. This gauge worked poorly to measure snows particularly if they were more than 3 or 4 inches. This gauge was then replaced with a 4 inch plastic gauge that was scaled in hundredths of an inch on the inside cylinder.

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		MAX.	MIN.	RANGE	MEAN	Liquid	Frozen	GROUND	
May-01	Thu	67	47	20	57.0	0.22			SUMMARY OF THE FIRST FOUR MONTHS OF 1980 Sunny Beautiful sunny day Medium frost Heavy frost SOME HAIL, RAIN AND WIND IN A THUNDERSTORM -- SEE NEWSPAPER ARTICLE Drizzle Cloudy and drizzle Foggy at dusk Beautiful day Thunderstorm and windy REMARKS FOR THE MONTH The rain gauge used in observations from 1958 to 1984 was about 2.5 - 3.0 inches square at the top. It was tapered to a smaller size at the bottom that exaggerated the scale more at the bottom than the top. This gauge worked poorly to measure snows particularly if they were more than 3 or 4 inches. This gauge was then replaced with a 4 inch plastic gauge that was scaled in hundredths of an inch on the inside cylinder.
May-02	Fri	74	40	34	57.0	0.02			
May-03	Sat	75	39	36	57.0				
May-04	Sun	80	40	40	60.0				
May-05	Mon	82	38	44	60.0				
May-06	Tue	78	42	36	60.0				
May-07	Wed	78	42	36	60.0	0.01			
May-08	Thu	70	45	25	57.5	0.06			
May-09	Fri	62	29	33	45.5				
May-10	Sat	70	29	41	49.5				
May-11	Sun	78	54	24	66.0				
May-12	Mon	84	53	31	68.5	0.33			
May-13	Tue	83	60	23	71.5	0.03			
May-14	Wed	76	58	18	67.0				
May-15	Thu	68	35	33	51.5				
May-16	Fri	70	35	35	52.5				
May-17	Sat	64	44	20	54.0				
May-18	Sun	76	51	25	63.5	0.91			
May-19	Mon	77	54	23	65.5	0.06			
May-20	Tue	66	58	8	62.0	0.40			
May-21	Wed	70	58	12	64.0	0.43			
May-22	Thu	80	47	33	63.5	0.02			
May-23	Fri	74	57	17	65.5	0.03			
May-24	Sat	79	56	23	67.5	0.05			
May-25	Sun	73	57	16	65.0	0.11			
May-26	Mon	75	41	34	58.0	0.08			
May-27	Tue	77	38	39	57.5				
May-28	Wed	81	43	38	62.0				
May-29	Thu	83	47	36	65.0				
May-30	Fri	83	56	27	69.5	0.90			
May-31	Sat	81	60	21	70.5	0.03			
TOTAL		2334	1453	881.0	1893.5	3.69	0.0	0.0	
NUM		31	31	31	31	17			
AVE.		75.29	46.87	28.42	61.08			Days 0	
MAX.	Dates	84	60	44	71.5	0.91	0.0	0.0	
	1	May-12	May-13	May-05	May-13	May-18			
	2		May-31						
	3								
MIN.	Dates	62	29	8	45.5				
	1	May-09	May-09	May-20	May-09				
	2		May-10						
	3								
	<=32 °F	0	<=32 °F	2					
	>=90 °F	0	>=70 °F	0					

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May-01	Fri	64	42	22	53.0	0.23			
May-02	Sat	61	37	24	49.0				
May-03	Sun	70	28	42	49.0				Freeze
May-04	Mon	80	34	46	57.0				
May-05	Tue	80	40	40	60.0				
May-06	Wed	71	53	18	62.0	0.09			
May-07	Thu	65	37	28	51.0				
May-08	Fri	68	27	41	47.5				Freeze and heavy frost
May-09	Sat	71	31	40	51.0				Light frost
May-10	Sun	65	46	19	55.5	0.04			
May-11	Mon	77	59	18	68.0	0.22			Thundershower at 5 PM
May-12	Tue	66	47	19	56.5	0.69			
May-13	Wed	75	35	40	55.0	0.02			
May-14	Thu	80	49	31	64.5				
May-15	Fri	74	55	19	64.5	0.34			
May-16	Sat	65	43	22	54.0	0.02			
May-17	Sun	74	41	33	57.5				
May-18	Mon	64	46	18	55.0	0.15			
May-19	Tue	56	45	11	50.5	1.15			All day rain
May-20	Wed	68	44	24	56.0	0.32			
May-21	Thu	76	33	43	54.5	0.02			
May-22	Fri	81	39	42	60.0				
May-23	Sat	80	41	39	60.5				
May-24	Sun	86	48	38	67.0				
May-25	Mon	86	51	35	68.5				
May-26	Tue	85	54	31	69.5				Partly cloudy
May-27	Wed	78	66	12	72.0	0.02			
May-28	Thu	78	61	17	69.5	0.7			
May-29	Fri	78	58	20	68.0				
May-30	Sat	83	53	30	68.0				
May-31	Sun	78	45	33	61.5	0.16			
TOTAL		2283	1388	895.0	1835.5	4.17	0.0	0.0	REMARKS FOR THE MONTH
NUM		31	31	31	31	15		Days	
AVE.		73.65	44.77	28.87	59.21			0	
MAX.	Dates	86	66	46	72.0	1.15	0.0	0.0	The rain gauge used in observations from 1958 to 1984 was about 2.5 - 3.0 inches square at the top. It was tapered to a smaller size at the bottom that exaggerated the scale more at the bottom than the top. This gauge worked poorly to measure snows particularly if they were > 3 or 4 inches. This gauge was then replaced with a 4 inch plastic gauge that was scaled in hundredths of an inch on the inside cylinder.
	1	May-24	May-27	May-04	May-27	May-19			
	2	May-25							
3									
MIN.	Dates	56	27	11	47.5				
	1	May-19	May-08	May-19	May-08				
	2								
	3								
<=32 °F		0	<=32 °F	3					
>=90 °F		0	>=70 °F	0					