

All Faiths Food Bank receive funds to fight hunger

Funding to be distributed among a number of programs

STAFF REPORT

SARASOTA — All Faiths Food Bank recently received \$75,000 from eight organizations in support of its work to end hunger.

The grants received include: Bank of America Charitable Foundation, \$15,000; Masala Giving Circle, \$10,000; Isermann Family Foundation, \$20,000; First Horizon Foundation, \$10,000; The Lake Club Women's Giving Circle, \$5,000; Rotary Club of Lakewood Ranch, \$5,000; Suncoast Credit Union, \$5,000; and Venice Golf and Country Club, \$5,000.

More than 50% of Sarasota County students and 100% of DeSoto County students rely on free and reduced-cost meals at school. But when school is out, children lose access to this critical nutrition.

To help fill the hunger gap, All Faiths' Backpack



PHOTO PROVIDED BY ALL FAITHS FOOD BANK

One of the recent grants to All Faiths Food Bank will support its Mobile Pantry program, which provides thousands of neighbors in the community with reliable, nutritious meals.

program provides snack bags for weekly distribution to students on week-ends and during school breaks. All Faiths works with numerous partners to distribute Backpacks at local sites such as libraries, summer camps, early learning centers and other youth-serving organizations.

All Faiths' Mobile Pantry program helps to strengthen food security, providing thousands of neighbors in the community with reliable,

nutritious meals.

In 2025, the food bank held or supplied food for 870 food distributions each month, providing nearly 19 million meals to over 83,000 neighbors. Additionally, a twice-monthly Veterans Pantry is offered at Church of the Palms in Sarasota, helping hundreds of veterans each month.

"Thanks to the support of these funders, children in our Backpack program will have healthy food for the weekends, families facing hunger

can find nutritious food at our mobile pantries, and neighbors in Newtown have access to fresh, healthy options close to home," said All Faiths Food Bank President and CEO Nelle S. Miller. "These generous grants help us remove barriers to food access and ensure more people can get the nutritious food they need to thrive."

To learn more about All Faiths Food Bank, call 941-379-6333 or visit: AllFaithsFoodBank.org

TODAY / TONIGHT		THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY	MONDAY
	HIGH 97°					
Hot; a stray p.m. t-storm	LOW 78°	Toasty conditions	Humid; a heavy t-storm in the p.m.	Humid; a stray afternoon t-storm	Humid with partial sunshine	Partly sunny and humid
55% chance of rain	55% chance of rain	25% chance of rain	60% chance of rain	55% chance of rain	25% chance of rain	25% chance of rain

PORT CHARLOTTE	
Punta Gorda through 2 p.m. Tuesday	
Temperatures	
High/Low	93°/73°
Normal high/Low	94°/75°
Record high	97° (1998)
Record low	68° (1994)
Precipitation (in inches)	
24-hour total	0.00"
Month to date	1.47"
Normal month to date	2.15"
Year to date	23.88"
Normal year to date	24.06"
Record	4.89" (2021)

VENICE	
Venice through 2 p.m. Tuesday	
Temperatures	
High/Low	90°/77°
Normal high/Low	90°/74°
Record high	97° (1998)
Record low	69° (1971)
Precipitation (in inches)	
24-hour total	0.00"
Month to date	2.22"
Normal month to date	1.77"
Year to date	13.39"
Normal year to date	22.51"
Record	3.10" (2006)

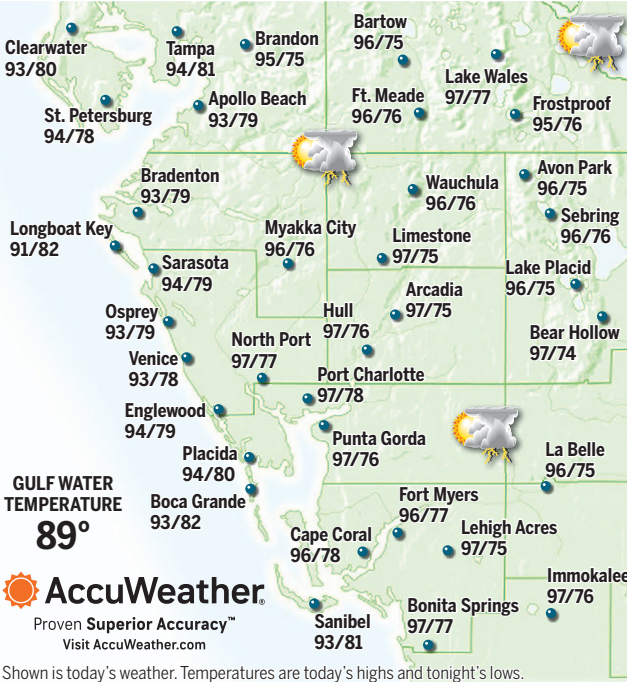
SEBRING	
Sebring through 2 p.m. Tuesday	
Temperatures	
High/Low	93°/72°
Precipitation (in inches)	
24-hour total	1.14"

AIRPORT	
Possible weather-related delays today. Check with your airline for the most updated schedules.	
Hi/Low Outlook Delays	
Ft. Myers 96/77	storms afternoon
Punta Gorda 97/76	storms afternoon
Sarasota 94/79	storms afternoon

FLORIDA CITIES		
City	Today Hi/Lo/W	Thu. Hi/Lo/W
Apalachicola	91/78/t	90/77/t
Clearwater	93/80/t	94/82/t
Daytona Beach	93/76/t	93/75/t
Fort Lauderdale	94/83/t	94/81/pc
Gainesville	96/74/t	96/73/t
Jacksonville	97/76/t	96/75/t
Key Largo	92/85/t	91/85/pc
Key West	92/85/pc	92/84/t
Lakeland	95/75/t	96/75/s
Melbourne	92/77/t	93/76/s
Miami	95/82/t	94/82/pc
Naples	95/78/t	96/78/t
Ocala	95/75/t	96/75/t
Okechobee	96/75/t	97/75/pc
Orlando	94/77/t	95/78/s
Panama City	91/80/t	90/81/t
Pensacola	93/79/t	91/77/t
St. Augustine	94/77/t	94/77/t
St. Petersburg	94/78/t	96/80/t
Tallahassee	93/75/t	93/74/t
Vero Beach	93/75/t	92/75/pc

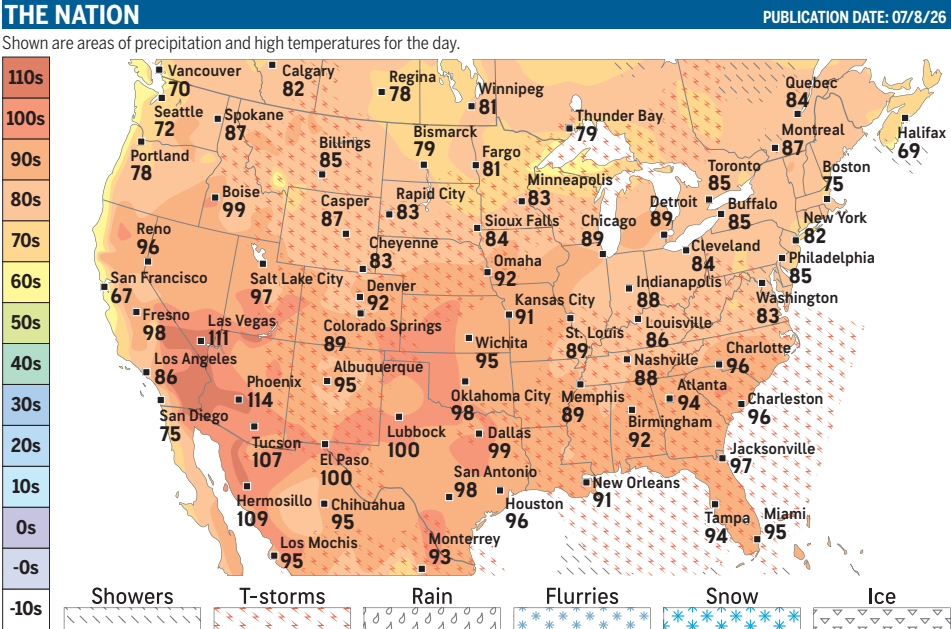
Weather (W): s-sunny, pc-partly cloudy, c-cloudy, sh-showers, t-thunderstorms, r-rain, sf-snow flurries, sn-snow, i-ice.

CANADA CITIES		
City	Today Hi/Lo/W	Thu. Hi/Lo/W
Calgary	82/52/pc	72/52/t
Charlottetown	77/60/pc	81/63/pc
Churhill	58/51/pc	70/58/s
Edmonton	77/46/t	70/47/r
Fredericton	85/57/pc	87/63/pc
Halifax	69/55/pc	78/59/pc
Iqaluit	58/45/c	51/45/c
Labrador City	84/53/t	71/50/pc
Montreal	87/70/pc	79/69/t
Ottawa	88/66/pc	78/64/t
Quebec	84/66/c	77/62/t
Regina	78/57/s	80/55/t
St. John's	84/55/c	69/53/c
Saskatoon	81/57/pc	75/53/pc
Sudbury	77/62/t	75/59/sh
Toronto	85/68/pc	88/68/t
Vancouver	70/54/pc	70/57/pc
Victoria	70/52/pc	69/55/pc
Winnipeg	81/55/s	82/63/pc
Whitehorse	62/41/sh	57/48/r



AIR QUALITY INDEX	
Readings as of Tuesday	
33	Good
Main pollutant: Particulates	
Source: sgov.net	
POLLEN INDEX	
Readings as of Tuesday	
Trees low	Grass low
Weeds absent	Molds moderate
Source: National Allergy Bureau	

SOLUNAR TABLE			
Today	12:35a	6:47a	12:59p
Thu.	1:21a	7:35a	1:48p
Fri.	2:11a	8:26a	2:40p
Sat.	3:04a	9:20a	3:36p
The solunar period schedule allows planning days so you will be fishing in good territory or hunting in good cover during those times. Major periods begin at the times shown and last for 1.5 to 2 hours. The minor periods are shorter.			
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THE NATION			
Shown are areas of precipitation and high temperatures for the day.			
110s	100s	90s	80s
70s	60s	50s	40s
30s	20s	10s	0s
-0s	-10s	-20s	-30s
Showers T-storms Rain Flurries Snow Ice			

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