

# March-April, 1984 Significant Weather Advisories

## March

### Thursday, March 8, 1984

SPECIAL WEATHER STATEMENT

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE COLUMBUS OH

715 PM EST THU MAR 8 1984

...THERE ARE DANGEROUS WIND CHILL TEMPERATURES IN CENTRAL OHIO...

WIND CHILL EQUIVALENT TEMPERATURES WILL RANGE FROM MINUS 15 TO MINUS 30 DEGREES FAHRENHEIT THIS EVENING.

WINDS EARLY TONIGHT WILL BE FROM THE NORTHWEST TO NORTH 15 TO 25 MPH AND GUSTING TO AROUND 35 MPH. AIR TEMPERATURES WERE FALLING AND WILL BE 10 TO 15 DEGREES THIS EVENING.

WINDS AND SNOW WILL DIMINISH TONIGHT...BUT PERSONS AND ANIMALS OUTSIDE WILL NEED PROTECTION FROM FROSTBITE WITH THESE DANGEROUS CONDITIONS.

### Friday, March 9, 1984

RECORD EVENT REPORT

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE COLUMBUS OH

705AM EST FRI MAR 9 1984

THE TEMPERATURE AT THE PORT COLUMBUS INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT DROPPED TO 6 DEGREES BELOW ZERO AT 640AM TODAY. THIS SETS A NEW RECORD LOW FOR THE DATE. THE PREVIOUS LOW WAS 5 DEGREES IN 1932.

THIS ALSO SETS A NEW RECORD FOR THE MONTH OF MARCH. THE PREVIOUS LOW WAS 2 DEGREES BELOW ZERO ON MARCH 2ND 1967 AND ALSO MARCH 8 1960.

### Saturday, March 10, 1984

RECORD EVENT REPORT

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE COLUMBUS OH

625AM EST SAT MAR 10 1984

THE TEMPERATURE AT PORT COLUMBUS INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT DROPPED TO 2 DEGREES AT 420AM TODAY. THIS SETS A NEW RECORD LOW TEMPERATURE FOR THE DATE. THE PREVIOUS LOW WAS 12 DEGREES IN 1944.

### Tuesday, March 20, 1984

SPECIAL WEATHER STATEMENT

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE COLUMBUS OH

1030PM EST TUE MAR 20 1984

RAINFALL AT THE PORT COLUMBUS AIRPORT NOW TOTALS ABOUT ONE AND ONE HALF INCH. RAIN..HEAVY AT TIMES WILL CONTINUE OVERNIGHT.

SOME LOCAL FLOODING OF BASEMENTS..STREETS..LOW LYING AREAS AND THE NORMAL POOR DRAINAGE AREAS COULD DEVELOP..DUE TO THE GROUND BEING SATURATED.

### Wednesday, March 21, 1984

SPECIAL WEATHER STATEMENT

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE COLUMBUS OH

515 AM EST WED MAR 21 1984

RAINFALL AT THE PORT COLUMBUS AIRPORT SINCE NOON YESTERDAY NOW TOTALS SLIGHTLY MORE THAN ONE AND THREE QUARTERS /1.75/ INCH. THE RAIN HAS NOW CHANGED TO SNOW IN CENTRAL OHIO.

SOME LOCAL FLOODING OF BASEMENTS..STREETS..LOW LYING AND POOR DRAINAGE AREAS COULD BE A PROBLEM AS THE RUNOFF CONTINUES.

PERSONS LIVING NEAR THESE AREAS SHOULD BE ON THE ALERT FOR ;ANY POSSIBLE WATER PROBLEMS.

## **April**

### **Thursday, April 12, 1984**

PUBLIC INFORMATION STATEMENT

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE COLUMBUS OH

2PM EST THU APR 12 1984

...SECOND LATEST ANNUAL OCCURRENCE OF 70 DEGREES IN 32 YEARS...

SHORTLY BEFORE 1PM TODAY..THE TEMPERATURE REACHED 70 DEGREES IN

COLUMBUS FOR THE FIRST TIME IN 1984 MAKING IT THE SECOND LATEST

OCCURRENCE OF 70 DEGREES IN ANY YEAR SINCE 1952. IN 1980..THE FIRST 70 DEGREE

TEMPERATURE WAS REACHED ON APRIL 19TH WITH A HIGH THAT DAY OF 73.

THE ATTAINMENT OF 70 DEGREES TODAY WAS ALSO THE TENTH LATEST OCCURRENCE

IN THE 105 YEARS TEMPERATURE RECORDS HAVE BEEN KEPT FOR COLUMBUS. THE

LATEST ON RECORD WAS 100 YEARS AGO WHEN A HIGH TEMPERATURE OF 72 DEGREES

WAS RECORDED ON APRIL 27TH IN 1884.

### **Saturday, April 14, 1984**

SPECIAL WEATHER STATEMENT

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE COLUMBUS OH

640PM EST SAT APR 14 1984

AT 640 PM EST THE WEATHER RADAR AT PORT COLUMBUS SHOWED

THUNDERSTORMS WITH VERY HEAVY RAIN OVER EXTREME SOUTHEAST

LICKING AND PERRY COUNTIES OF CENTRAL OHIO. THESE THUNDERSTORMS

WERE MOVING NORTHEAST AT 25 MPH.

PERSONS IN EASTERN PERRY AND MUSKINGUM COUNTIES SHOULD BE ALERT

FOR DANGEROUS LIGHTNING..GUSTY WINDS..AND POSSIBLE HAIL UNTIL

AROUND 8PM.

### **Friday, April 20, 1984**

SPECIAL WEATHER STATEMENT

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE COLUMBUS OH

535AM EST FRI APR 20 1984

...DENSE FOG BLANKETS MUCH OF CENTRAL OHIO...

DENSE FOG HAS CAUSED HAZARDOUS DRIVING CONDITIONS IN MUCH OF CENTRAL

OHIO AND DRIVERS ARE URGED TO USE CAUTION AND ALLOW EXTRA TIME TO GET TO

WORK. VISIBILITY MAY BE REDUCED TO NEAR ZERO IN PLACES. DRIVERS SHOULD

ALSO BE ALERT FOR ICY PATCHES SINCE TEMPERATURES LOCALLY HAVE FALLEN

BELOW FREEZING. DRIVING CONDITIONS SHOULD IMPROVE GRADUALLY AFTER 8AM.

**Friday, April 27, 1984**

SPECIAL WEATHER STATEMENT

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE COLUMBUS OH

730AM EST FRI APR 27 1984

THUNDERSTORMS WERE PRODUCING HEAVY RAIN AND DANGEROUS LIGHTNING OVER CENTRAL OHIO COUNTIES THIS MORNING.

REPORTS OF SMALL HAIL...HEAVY RAIN...FREQUENT LIGHTNING AND GUSTY WINDS WERE REPORTED FROM MARION AND DELAWARE COUNTIES. VEHICLES WERE STALLED BY THE HEAVY RAIN AND LOCAL FLOODING. THE THUNDERSTORMS RESPONSIBLE WERE MOVING NORTHEAST AT 20 MPH AND WILL MOVE THROUGH MORROW AND KNOX COUNTIES DURING THE 2 HOURS.