Houston Pilots Forecast Package

Updated: 1:15 PM CT

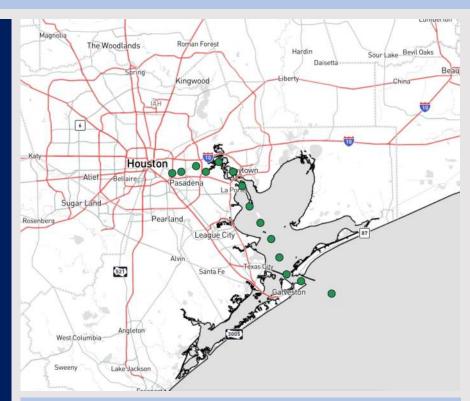
Friday, March 29, 2024





Weather Headlines

- Favoring a dry weekend overall with rain chances not to return until early MON as another front gradually pushes into the area.
- Will need to keep an eye on wave heights through the weekend of 2 − 3 ft. Better opportunities for waves up to 4 ft will more in MON/TUE.
- Not favoring fog development for all stations at this time over the next 48 hours.



Current Radar: 1:00 PM CT



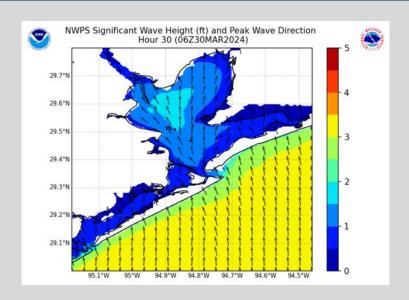
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Houston Pilots Wave Height Update



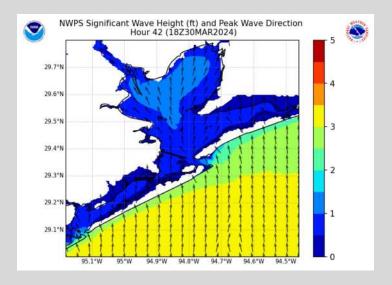


Significant Wave Height Image



1 AM CT SAT

Wave height threat expected to remain low. That being said, waves will remain within 2 – 3 ft for station 11/12 and the Boarding Station.



1 PM CT SAT

Wave heights will remain in that 2 – 3 ft range along the Gulf shoreline through the weekend. Need to watch Mon/Tues for an increase in heights to 4 ft.

Houston Pilots Extended Range Visibility Report





Monday 4/1/24

Fog is not favored for Monday

Tuesday 4/2/24

Fog is not favored for Tuesday.

Forecast Confidence

Above Normal

Below **Normal** **Forecast Confidence**

Above Normal

Below Normal

Wednesday 4/3/24

Fog is not favored for Wednesday.

Chance for Fog

Monday AM

Monday PM

Tuesday AM

Tuesday PM

Wednesday AM

Wednesday PM

Unlikely

Unlikely

Unlikely

Unlikely

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Unlikely

Forecast Confidence

Above Normal

Below Normal

Houston Pilots Visibility Chart (miles)





Forecast Confidence

Above Normal

Below Normal

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Time	Fri 1pm	Fri 2pm	Fri 3pm	Fri 4pm	Fri 5pm	Fri 6pm	Fri 7pm	Fri 8pm	Fri 9pm	Fri 10pm	Fri 11pm	Sat 12am	Sat 1am	Sat 2am	Sat 3am	Sat 4am	Sat 5am	Sat 6am	Sat 7am	Sat 8am	Sat 9am	Sat 10am	Sat 11am	Sat 12pm
610 Bridge	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Kinder 1	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Greens Bayou	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Shell Crude	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Lynchburg Ferries	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Exxon 3	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
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Houston Pilots Wind Chart









Below Normal **Sustained wind 13 Knots**

Gusts 18 Knots

Wind from the N

Example

WS: 13

G:18

N

Time Knots	Fri 1pm	Fri 2pm	Fri 3pm	Fri 4pm	Fri 5pm	Fri 6pm	Fri 7pm	Fri 8pm	Fri 9pm	Fri 10pm	Fri 11pm	Sat 12am	Sat 1am	Sat 2am	Sat 3am	Sat 4am	Sat 5am	Sat 6am	Sat 7am	Sat 8am	Sat 9am	Sat 10am	Sat 11am	Sat 12pm
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Houston Pilots: Fri. 3/29/2024





Forecast Discussion

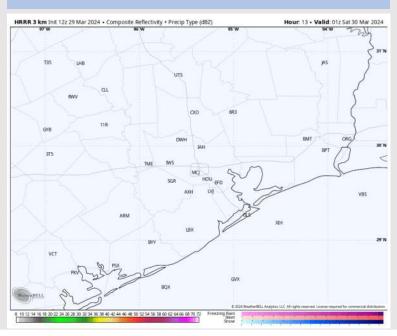
Precip: Favoring dry conditions for the rest of today.

Wind: Winds out of the SE will continue to increase throughout the PM. N of Morgan's Point: Winds will sit at 13 – 18 kts through 8 PM. Then winds decrease to 5 – 10 kts and remain there for the evening. S of Morgan's Point: Winds at to 13 – 18 kts for the rest of the day. Gusts of up to 25 kts can't be ruled out for stations S of Morgan's Point after 4PM.

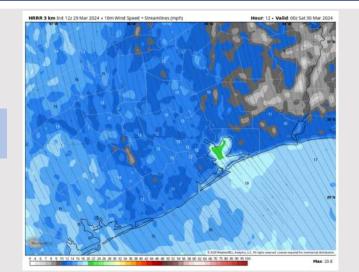
Low Temps: N of Morgan's Point: Low 60s F. S of Morgan's Point: Upper 60s F

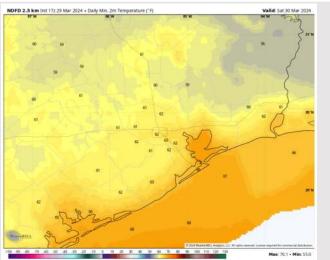
Visibility: Fog not favored for the this PM.

Precip Image: 8 PM CT



Wind Speed: 7 PM CT





Low Temps SAT AM

Houston Pilots: Sat. 3/30/2024





Forecast Discussion

Precip: Favoring dry conditions for Saturday.

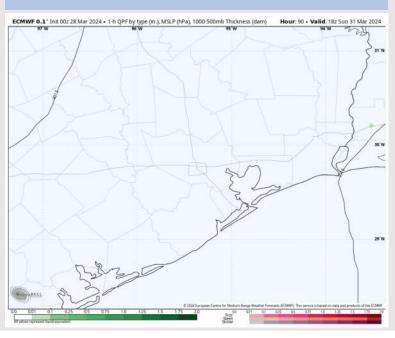
Wind: Winds will be out of the S/SE for the entire day. N Morgan's Point: Winds 3 – 8 kts through 3PM before becoming 7 – 10 kts for the remainder of the day. S of Morgan's Point: Winds to at 13 – 18 kts for the entire day.

High Temps: N of Morgan's Point: Upper 70s F. S of

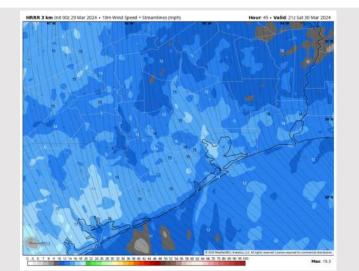
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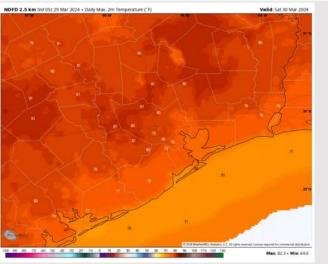
Visibility: Not favoring fog concerns for Saturday at this time due to elevated winds.

Precip Image: 1 PM CT



Wind Speed 4 PM CT





High Temps Saturday

Houston Pilots: Sun. 3/31/2024





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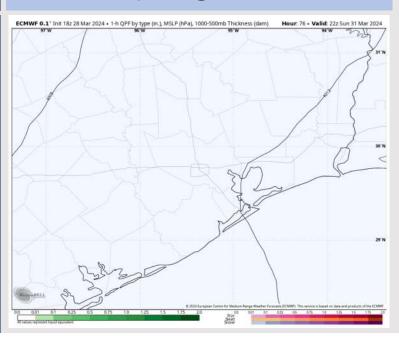
Precip: Favoring dry conditions for Sunday.

Wind: Winds will continue to remain out of the SE / S. N Morgan's Point: Winds at 4 - 9 kts through 11AM before becoming 8 - 13 kts. S of Morgan's Point: Winds at 5 - 9 kts through 11AM before becoming 9 - 14 kts for the remainder of the day.

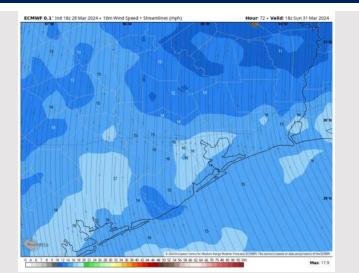
High Temps: N of Morgan's Point: Lower 80s F. S of Morgan's Point: Low to Mid 70s F.

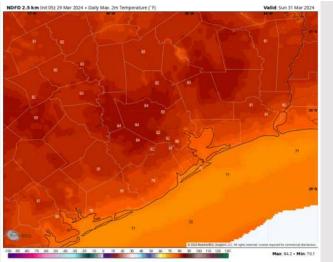
Visibility: No anticipating any visibility concerns Sunday

Precip Image: 5 PM CT



Wind Speed: 1 PM CT



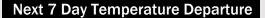


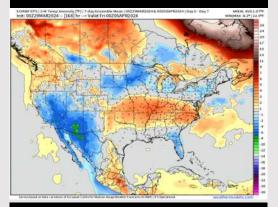
High Temps Sunday

Houston Pilots: 3/29/24









Next 7 Day Total Precipitation



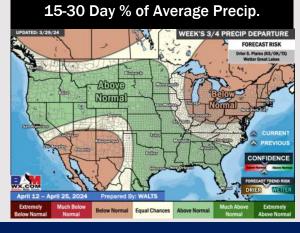
8-14 Day Temperature Departure



8-14 Day % of Average Precip.







- A dry weekend ahead with light rain chances beginning to push in late Sunday through Tuesday. Temps are expected near normal / seasonable to end March.
- Above normal precipitation chances are at play during the week 2 timeframe. Temps are expected to be near to slightly above normal.
- > Above normal chances for precipitation are favored in the weeks 3/4 timeframe. Temperatures expected to be below normal.