

North Conway, NH (NCON3) Monthly Weather Summary

March 2022

Summary

Winter largely came to an end early in March 2022, both symbolically and in reality. March symbolizes the start of meteorological Spring, though North Conway averages 15.9 inches of snow and can bear witness to significant snowfall events and cold air outbreaks. In the reality of March of 2022, winter faded as snow on the ground quickly melted throughout the month and went to zero by the morning of the 20th. Overall, March featured warmer than normal temperatures and lower than normal snowfall and precipitation.

Snow for the month totaled just 6.4 inches, with the vast majority of snowfall falling in the first few days of the month. A total of 3.4 inches of snow fell between the observations on the 2nd to 3rd, creating a maximum snow depth of 9 inches for the month. Temperatures quickly warmed thereafter, with maximum temperatures reaching at least 60F on three different days during the month. Surprisingly, the maximum temperature of 70F, reached on the 19th did not set a new daily record (the record for that date is 77F, set in 2012).

Snowfall for the season now stands at 61.2 inches, which is 18.3 inches lower than normal.

Temperature

Average Maximum Temperature: 43.3F [+1.6F]

Average Minimum Temperature: 23.3F [+2.9F]

Mean Temperature: 33.3F [+2.2F]

Maximum Temperature for the Month: 70F on the 18th-19th

Minimum Temperature for the Month: -1F on the 3rd-4th

Precipitation

Total: inches: 2.55 inches [-1.12 inches below normal]

Greatest in 24 hours: 0.71 inches [on the 24th-25th]

Snowfall: 6.4 inches [-9.5 inches above normal]

Average Snow Depth: 1.4 inches

Greatest Snow Depth: 9 inches on the 3rd

Wind

Average wind speed: 2.4 MPH

Peak Gust and Direction: 35.2 MPH from the W on the 8th

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Period of Observation: 8:00 AM – 8: 00 AM