









DeepLook Forecast: 2018-9-7

Little Valley / Central Cattaraugus County, NY
Jeremy Fuller, Meteorologist

Friday 7	Saturday 8	Sunday 9	Monday 10	Tuesday 11	Wednesday 12	Thursday 13
 70	 50 \ 65	 42 \ 55	 -65	 -72	 60 \ 78	 62 \ 80
14	15	16	17-20		21-27	
 60 \ 78	N/A 60 \ 78	N/A 60 \ 78	Sharply cooler around 9/19, frost risk?		Warm, then cool again, rain likely	

Forecast Discussion:

This weekend looks to be a drastic break from the hot, muggy conditions of this previous week, with high temperatures not breaking out of the 60s on Saturday and potentially not even out of the 50s come Sunday.

This coming week, following a warm front with some heavy rain from the remnants of Tropical Storm Gordon, temperatures will rebound back to above average, with highs at or near the 80-degree mark likely and lows around 60; this isn't quite record-breaking heat, but it is unusually warm and humid for September, when temperatures typically begin falling at a more noticeable pace. Skies will clear midweek.

What happens toward next week depends almost entirely on the path of what will likely be Hurricane Florence. Right now, most of the models I've seen have the hurricane staying out to sea and thus far enough away not to affect the weather here, but at least one model from this morning is suggesting it might make a direct hit over this area. I'm not convinced of that solution this far out given the overwhelming evidence otherwise, but it's a possibility. (The other possibility suggested by the European models, that it hits even further south and weakens over the Appalachians, doesn't look particularly plausible to me.)

Toward the middle of next week, a cold front arrives, and the models and historic analogs are both suggesting that temperatures will likely get as low as the low-to-mid-30s, low enough that some light, patchy frost might form. This would be about average for the first threat of frost, and I don't anticipate it being a killing frost, which isn't in the forecast any time soon. Temperatures appear to briefly rebound around September 21 before cooler air again enters the region in the days following.

Normals and Almanac: September 7-16









High temperature: 73—70 / Low temperature: 50—47
Sunrise: 6:47—6:56^{a.m.} / Sunset: 7:39—7:23^{p.m.} / Daylight: 12^{hr}:52^{min}—12^{hr}:27^{min} (-2.8^{min}/day)
Autumnal equinox: September 22, 9:54^{p.m.} EDT

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