



# WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

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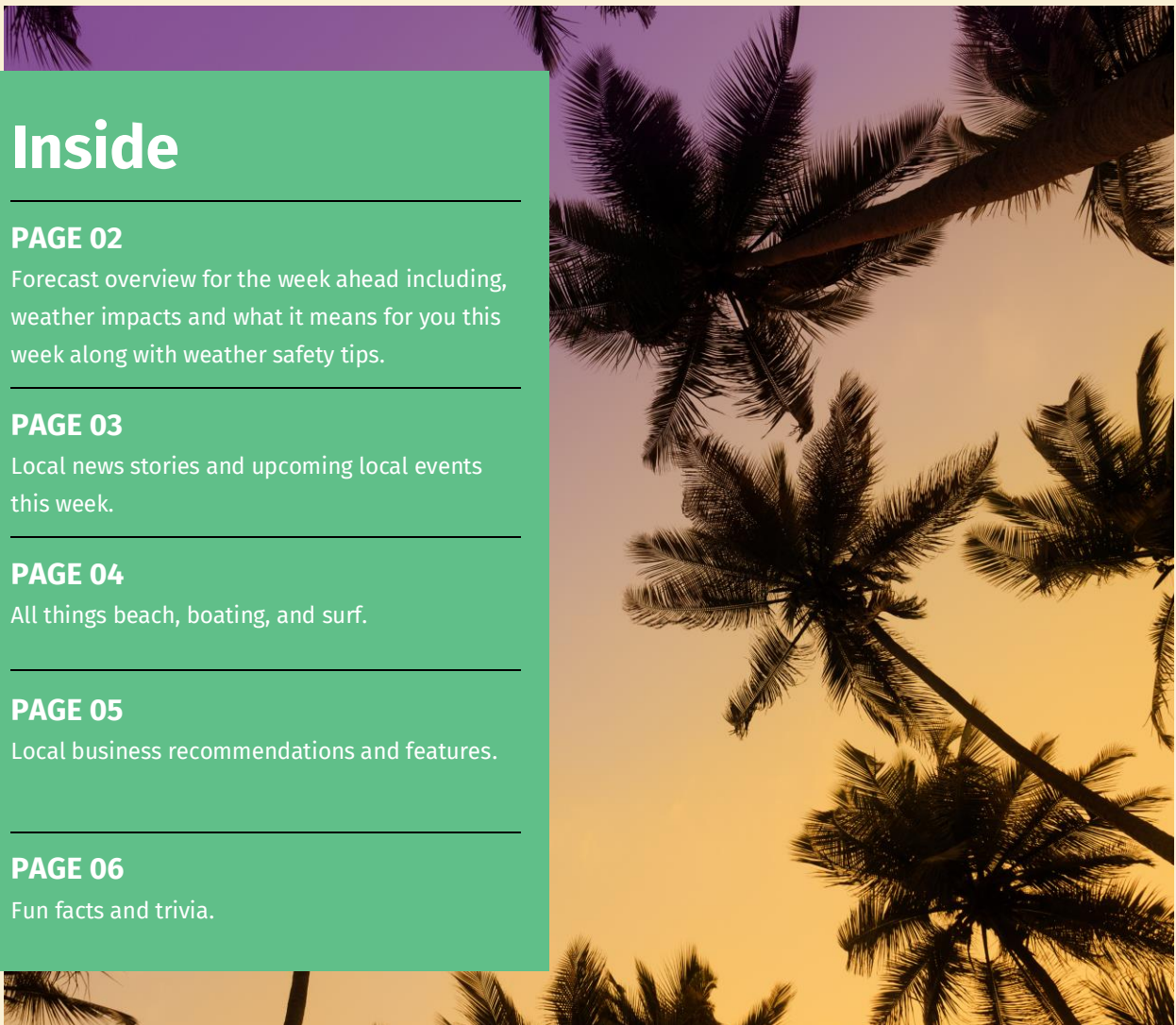
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# This Week's Weather

## Overview

A much calmer week of weather is expected this week! Yes, we'll still have those daily pop-up shower and thunderstorm chances throughout the week, but lesser chances on a few days. Some days most of you will stay completely dry! I don't think we have to worry about the drought anymore either given the rainy season has been playing out like normal so far this year. Temperatures will be warmer this week compared to last where highs will reach closer to the 90°F range for many and feel closer to 100°F. Dew points as you could imagine are not lowering anytime soon keeping that muggy meter in the uncomfortable range. Tropics look quiet so far. For detailed daily weather forecasts check my Facebook page & website.

### Weather Impacts: What It Means for You

**This Week:** This week brings a calmer vibe with lighter thunderstorm chances, perfect for a morning walk at Venice Beach, though keep an umbrella handy for those pop-up showers in the afternoon. Highs near 90°F, feeling like 100°F with muggy dew points, mean hydration is key if you're at the Venice Farmer's Market on Saturday or gardening, seek shade to beat the heat. Some dry days offer a break, ideal for a picnic at Centennial Park, but check my radar updates if needed. The drought is in the history books for now, and quiet tropics add peace of mind this month. Enjoy any outdoor plans, but stay cool with a fan or iced drink as summer sizzles on!



## Weather Safety

**Safety Tip of The Week:** When walking in humid weather, wear breathable shoes to prevent blisters! Florida's sticky air can make feet sweat!

**Hurricane Preparedness Tip of the Week:** With hurricane season active, secure outdoor furniture, tie down chairs or store them indoors, and trim tree branches around your home before a potential storm. These outdoor items can become hazards during high winds.

Source: [weather.gov/safety/](https://www.weather.gov/safety/)

# Local News Highlights

## Upcoming Local Events this Week

- July 9<sup>th</sup> @6:30PM – Kids' Night at Sharky's – Venice, FL
  - July 9<sup>th</sup> @5:30PM – Kids' Summer Beach Runs – North Brohard Park, Venice, FL
  - July 11<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> @8:30AM – Ride and Paddle at The Bay (Guided Kayak Tour) – Sarasota, FL
  - July 10<sup>th</sup> @6PM – Open Mic at 3 Bridges Brewing – Venice, FL
  - July 8<sup>th</sup> @5:45PM – Breathwork Workshop – 4 Week Series– Venice, FL
  - July 7<sup>th</sup> @5:30PM – The Art of Hula Hoop- Dance and Fitness Class – Venice, FL
  - July 11<sup>th</sup> @12AM – Ashley Lux Band – Manasota Key, FL
  - July 12<sup>th</sup> @2PM – Auditions – Venice Theatre 2025 Musicals – Venice, FL
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### **Sarasota County: Sarasota Biotech Company Announces \$20M Public Offering:**

A publicly traded Sarasota biotechnology company has announced a public offering of up to \$20 million of preferred stock. Click [here](#) to read more.



### **Manatee County: Chop Shop in Bradenton Investing in New Changes for Hurricane Season:**

A family business in Manatee County is investing in new equipment that they say will make them more prepared for storms. Click [here](#) to read more.



### **Charlotte County: Woman Rescued After Treading Water for 12 Hours in Charlotte Harbor:**

A woman in Charlotte County experienced a remarkable rescue after treading water overnight for about 12 hours. Click [here](#) to read more.

# Beach Boating Surf

Enjoy the beaches free of red tide this week! If there were to be any changes to red tide in the future, you can look for my weekly updates every Friday here: <https://vffws.com/red-tide-report/>



## Boating & Beach Report

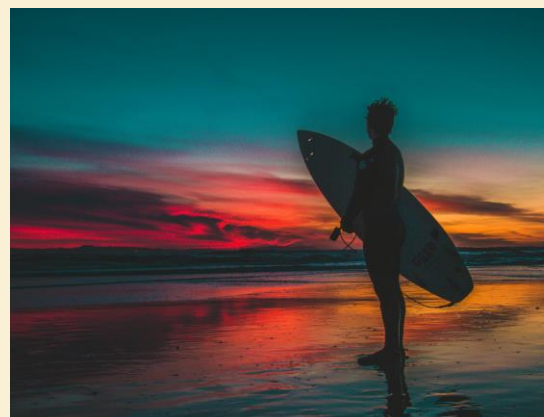
**Best Beach Day:** This week we are expecting much calmer conditions at the beaches. Pretty much any day this week will be great for the beach with Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Saturday being the days with lesser rain chances likely at this time.

**Best Boating Day:** Offshore boating looks great all week long with 1 foot or less seas expected. Nearshore boating is great too with no significant weather hazards of concern.

## Surf Report

**Best Surf Day:** No beginner or significant surf is expected this week with mainly flat conditions likely at this time.

For a FULL daily marine & beach forecast including wind, waves/surf, tides, and water temperatures please check out my forecasts on my website here: <https://vffws.com/marine-beach-forecasts/>







## Local Business Spotlight

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### Advertising Opportunities:

Would you like your business small or large featured here in this weekly newsletter? If so, please reach out here:

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Send an email to:

[info@vffws.com](mailto:info@vffws.com) and let me know you're interested in an advertising opportunity, and I'll get back to you ASAP with more details! Thank you!



# Fun Facts & Trivia



## Weather Trivia Question of the Week

What's the average number of tropical storms that become hurricanes in the Atlantic each year?

- A) 2
- B) 5
- C) 7
- D) 9

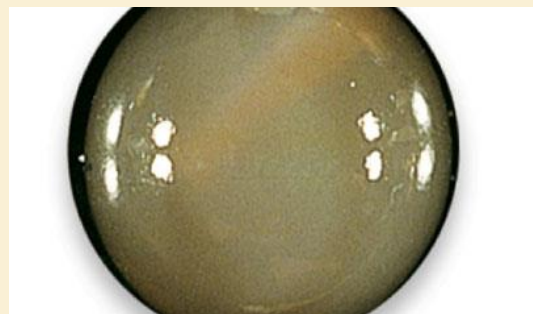
(Answer will be in next week's newsletter)

[Newsletter 35 Answer: C) 18]

## Did you know?

### Florida has a designated state gemstone!

Florida's designated state gemstone is called the moonstone. Moonstone is a form of the mineral feldspar, known for its pearly or opaline luster. The adoption of the moonstone as the state gem in 1970 was in honor of the Apollo 11 moon landing. All astronaut-controlled spaceflights at the time launched from Kennedy Space Center in Florida. However, moonstone is not found naturally in Florida! It was chosen for its symbolic association with the space program. Moonstone is also not found on the moon!



# Weekly Sunset Photo



This week's photo was sent in by Jackie Jennings Dykstra! Hope you enjoy this one! If you are interested in sending in your own photo for next week's newsletter, I will be accepting submissions every Thursday on my Facebook page. The post usually goes out at 5 PM, so check back to my page at 5 PM every Thursday to submit a sunset photo to be featured below.



## Thank you

Hope you found some value in this week's newsletter, be sure to like & follow the Facebook page for daily weather updates and more if you haven't already and stay tuned for next week's newsletter. Have a safe and enjoyable week.

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