



WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

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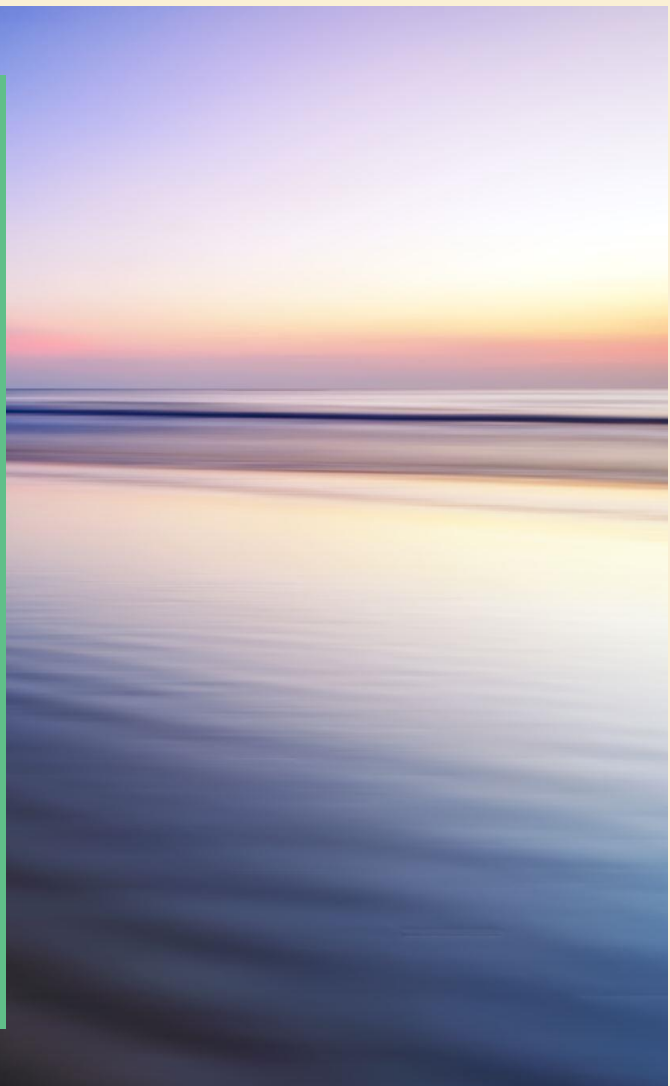
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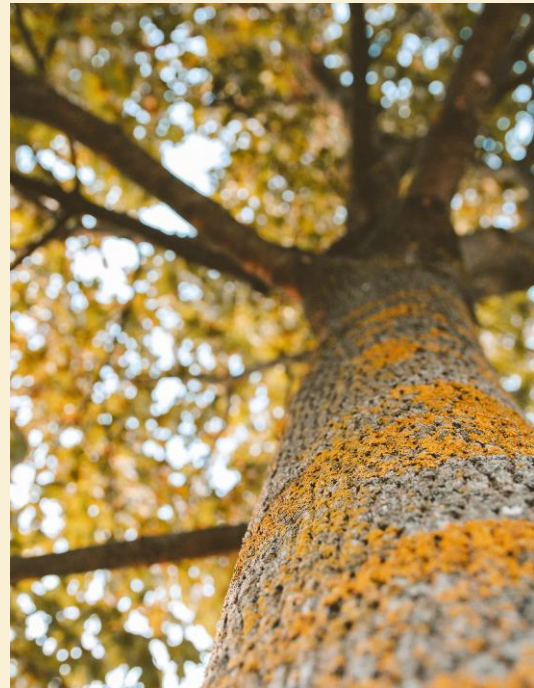
This Week's Weather

Overview

Surprisingly, we are back to watching nothing in the tropics! How long will this last? Your guess is as good as mine, one day at a time! We are officially in peak hurricane season, so let's continue to take things slow and easy out in the Atlantic, Gulf and Caribbean! Locally, this week's weather will be a typical rainy season pattern with chances for showers and storms each day. We'll see if they happen or not, but the good news is the seasons will be changing in Florida within the next month or so meaning that eventually these daily rain chances will gradually be fading away, but likely not till Novemberish. Enjoy while it lasts! For detailed daily weather forecasts check my Facebook page & website.

Weather Impacts: What It Means for You

This Week: This week brings typical rainy season vibes, mornings with sun are great for a Venice Beach stroll, but keep a raincoat for afternoon showers and storms possible. Daily storm chances mean planning indoor time or a shaded picnic at any of the local Parks, check my updates for timing. The quiet tropics ease worries, so no need to cancel outdoor fun, but stay alert as peak season rolls on. Muggy air lingers, so stay hydrated and use a fan at home. With rain fading by November, savor these wet days, perfect for a cozy read or quick garden check between storms!



Weather Safety

Safety Tip of The Week: During heavy rain/storms, avoid parking under trees, falling branches can damage cars. Instead, park in open lots if storms are forecast and keep your vehicle safe.

Hurricane Preparedness Tip of the Week: With peak hurricane season officially here, make sure you have a first-aid kit with bandages and antiseptic as medical services could be limited post-storm.

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

Local News Highlights

Upcoming Local Events this Week

- September 8th @5:30PM - Drama Classes in South Venice! - Venice, FL
- September 8th @7PM - New Kizomba Classes - Sarasota, FL
- September 9th @4PM - Spirit Night at Venice Creamery - Venice, FL
- September 9th @6PM - Free Yoga By the Bay with Erin - 2025 - Sarasota, FL
- September 10th @5PM - Ladies Sunset Cruise to Snake Island - Venice, FL
- September 11th @6PM - Open Mic at 3 Bridges Brewing - Venice, FL
- September 12th @7:30PM - Nunsense - Venice Theatre Musical Comedy - Venice, FL
- September 13th @6PM - A Taste for the Twig & Silent Auction 2025 - Venice, FL



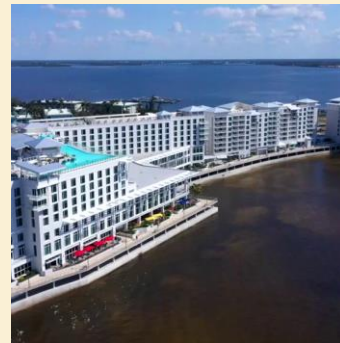
Sarasota County: Sarasota Luxury RV Company Offers 'Land Yachts' for Rent:

A company managing a fleet of high-end RVs in Sarasota has seen an uptick in demand for one-way trips as well as shorter journeys. Click [here](#) to read more.



Manatee County: Manatee County Adds Lightning Detection System to Beaches:

Over the summer, Manatee County officials installed a new lightning detection system at public pools and splash pads. Last week the first one was installed at the Manatee Public Beach. Click [here](#) to read more.



Charlotte County: Allegiant, Blackstone Close on Sunseeker Deal for \$200M:

Allegiant Travel Company and its Sunseeker subsidiaries finalized a major sale on Thursday. The sale included Sunseeker Resort, Aileron Golf Course, and related properties in SWFL, transferring ownership to Blackstone. 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

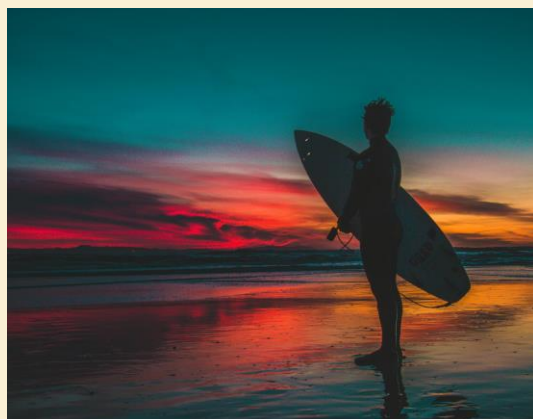
Best Beach Day: You'll be dodging potential rain drops if you're planning on a beach day this week! Your best bet looks to be earlier in the day vs. later, but you'll have to keep an eye on my radar updates alerting you of possible rain and thunderstorms across the region. Wish I had better news for the beach this week!

Best Boating Day: Offshore boating looks just fine from Monday to Thursday with mainly 1 foot or less seas likely. From Friday through the remainder of the week we could see a slight increase in seas up to around the 2-3 feet range along with some breezy conditions where winds could gust between 20-30 mph at times. Nearshore boating looks okay, but still a bit breezy towards the end of the week. Conditions can change quickly on the water so make sure you have a weather radar available!

Surf Report

Best Surf Day: Most of the week from Monday through Saturday will be flat with no significant surf expected. By Sunday we could see an uptick for some beginner surf ranging between 2-3 feet at times.

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:

<https://vffws.com/contact/>

OR

Send an email to:

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

The three major cities (with populations greater than 100,000) that get the most snowfall on Earth are all in what country?

- A) Russia
- B) Canada
- C) United States
- D) Japan

(Answer will be in next week's newsletter)

[Newsletter 43 Answer: B) Detect Precipitation]

Did you know?

Florida is home to more than 1,000 freshwater springs!

Not only is Florida known for its beautiful beaches and shorelines, but it also contains freshwater springs! These natural wonders bubble up from the aquifer and maintain a constant temperature of about 72°F year-round making them a great option to cool off in during a hot, humid summer day! These springs also provide habitats for manatees and other wildlife.



Weekly Sunset Photo



This week's photo was sent in by Connie McCord! 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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