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Sylva H:82 L:61

Building clouds w/ mostly cloudy skies by midday; Light afternoon showers; 30% RCP

Cashiers H:75 L:59

Building clouds w/ mostly cloudy skies by early afternoon; Light to moderate afternoon showers; 30% RCP



[Own a rain jacket?; Unseasonably cool temps next week](#)

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Clouds will be on the increase for the rest of the afternoon as rain enters the county from the southeast. Rainfall will begin during the mid afternoon hours with embedded heavy rainfall. Cloudy skies will take hold overnight as a southerly plume of tropical moisture is steered our way due to a gulf coast low heading this direction. Expect rain tonight to be in the light to moderate range as the system begins to setup for tomorrow; lows overnight in the low - mid 60's. Preceding sunrise on Friday, we can expect a half inch of rain for most parts of the county. Cloudy skies will remain overhead all day Friday as the rain becomes enhanced from upslope flow and delivers another 0.5 - 1" of rain throughout the county; highs in the low -mid 70's. Friday night will still be under the gun due to the slow movement of the low pressure system out of the region. Overnight lows in the mid 60's w/ majority of the rainfall ending by sunrise. The weekend will

feel muggy with afternoon showers occurring due to the in place tropical air mass and a short wave energy moving over the area. Don't give up hope just yet because we are in store for quite a treat as Monday comes into view. After the wet weekend, a northwest flow will setup and allow cool, dry air to filter in, creating unseasonably cool air; Highs in the upper 60's - mid 70's...lows in the low - mid 50's! So stay tuned for further information regarding the upcoming heavy rainfall tonight and tomorrow as well as the fall like weather next week!

"local weather for local people."



[Snow clips from 10.28.08 - 11.21.08 - 12.01.08 - 1.20.09 - 4.6.09](#)

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Each video is displayed according to date of the event. When in you tube click on the high quality to ensure a high def picture. If anyone has ideas or suggestions then please email us at localyokelweather@yahoo.com, always looking for deeper snow amounts.

10.28.08 <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HIVKGFj-ucE>

11.21.08 <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=jpEGNbrwJw>

12.01.08 <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Sapc7KXNY2M>

1.20.09 <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1UkrQFLNtgE>

4.6.09 <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=sK2AnnWDrz0>



[Cullowhee station coming soon!](#)

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Local Yokel Weather is once again expanding, this time into Cullowhee. Fifty feet off from campus the station will report for thousands of local and student residents. To try and capture the true, local weather picture establishing a station in Cullowhee is vital. At the heart of Jackson County, Cullowhee is a vast valley and ridge system creating different weather than the surrounding towns. Stay tuned for more details.



What is Local Yokel Weather?

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Local Yokel Weather is a true and accurate weather site dedicated to providing the fastest, most accurate, and the most local weather possible for Jackson County, North Carolina. In fact its the only weather media dedicated to Jackson County only! No nationwide forecast or discussions just Jackson County. With stations ranging from Sylva to Cashiers and in between Local Yokel Weather provides what most weather medias do not, an in depth report on the county's regions and activities as well. Along with the most reliable and accurate data for weather, Local Yokel Weather also provides outdoor interest from kayaking, climbing, golfing, tubing, as well as local events. Local Yokel Weather is more than just weather its your one stop for everything Jackson County.

Overview of the site

- Each city has its own station dedicated to true, local, and accurate forecast with live current conditions. Along with detailed current conditions, a daily forecast will be posted along with long range forecast. The forecast is what seperates us from the main weather media. Each city will be different and therefore shall have different forecast, however mainstream weather tends to generalize leaving it to the locals to use past knowledge. This is the main reason Local Yokel Weather is here in Jackson County, because no one else is.
- The **gallery page** is under construction but will soon host our own local talent here in Jackson County. Each day a daily winner will be picked with multiple contest throughout the year.
- **Our outdoor section** host mostly all available sports that one can participate in, ranging from...
- kayaking - with river updates and dam releases along with the many contest and gear sales in the area (feel free to post some pics and movies to show off). Local tubing and rafting companies information as well.
- climbing - local and experienced updates on conditions along with the many contest through WCU and the local gyms nearby.
- golfing - providing up to date course and greens conditions for local clubs along with detailed forecast, tip of the day, and tournaments in the area.

- Camping/hiking/backpacking - new trail description every week. Gear advice and deals from local vendors along with
- **Weather Phenomena** - This page is dedicated to explaining and to better help you understand why and how these weather phenomena occur here in our county. And furthermore hopefully to predict and even explain to others these weather events.