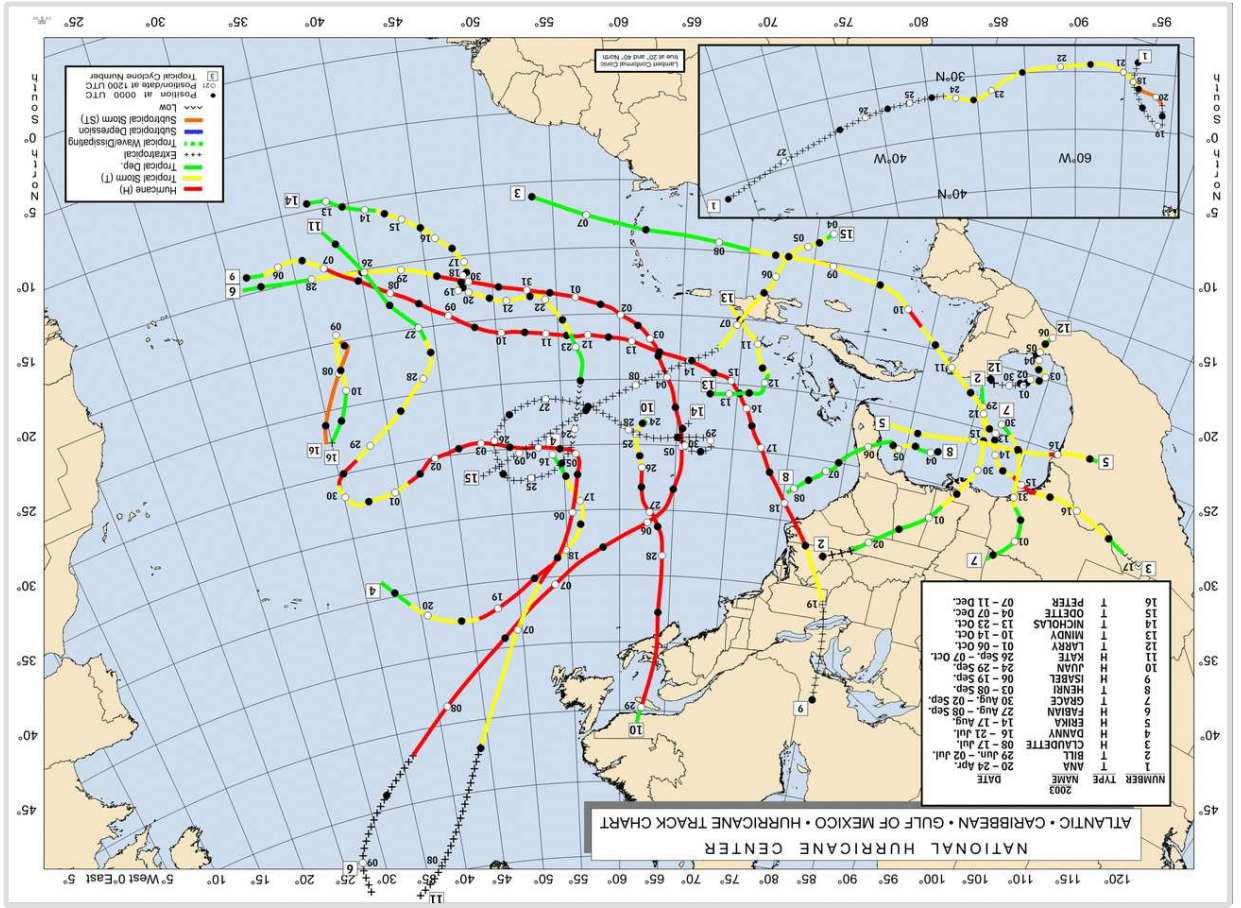




National Hurricane Center

EAST BATON ROUGE OFFICE OF HOMELAND SECURITY & EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS



THE 2003 ATLANTIC HURRICANE SEASON

NOAA P-3 Orion
Hurricane Research Aircraft



EYEWALL

NWS NEW ORLEANS/BATON ROUGE



GULF COAST HURRICANE AWARENESS TOUR

TUESDAY
MAY 18, 2004

EAST BATON ROUGE
OFFICE OF HOMELAND
SECURITY & EMERGENCY
PREPAREDNESS

BATON ROUGE
METROPOLITAN
AIRPORT

- ATLANTIC HURRICANE NAMES
- ALEX
 - BONNIE
 - CHARLEY
 - DANIELLE
 - EARL
 - FRANCES
 - GASTON
 - HERMINE
 - IVAN
 - JEANNE
 - KARL
 - LISA
 - MATTHEW
 - NICOLE
 - OTTO
 - PAULA
 - RICHARD
 - SHARY
 - TOMAS
 - VIRGINIE
 - WALTER

**National Oceanic & Atmospheric Administration
National Weather Service
2004 Gulf Coast Hurricane Awareness Tour
May 18, 2004**

East Baton Rouge Parish Welcome

10:00 a.m.

The Honorable Bobby Simpson
Mayor-President, City-Parish of East Baton Rouge

Ms. JoAnne H. Moreau, CEM
Director, East Baton Rouge Parish Office of Homeland Security & Emergency Preparedness

Mr. Paul Trotter
Meteorologist in Charge, National Weather Service
Weather Forecast Office, Slidell LA

Brigadier General (USAF Ret.) David L. Johnson
Director, National Weather Service

Mr. Max Mayfield
Director, National Hurricane Center

Hurricane Briefing

1:30 p.m.

Ms. JoAnne H. Moreau, CEM
Director, East Baton Rouge Parish Office of Homeland Security & Emergency Preparedness

Introduction and Comments
Mr. Paul Trotter
Meteorologist in Charge, National Weather Service
Weather Forecast Office, Slidell LA

Brigadier General (USAF Ret.) David L. Johnson
Director, National Weather Service

Inland Flood Threat from Tropical Storms & Hurricanes
Mr. Dave Reed
Hydrologist in Charge, Lower Mississippi River Forecast Center, Slidell LA

Hurricane Briefing
Mr. Max Mayfield
Director, National Hurricane Center

Questions
Tour Aircraft



A 16 paged PDF format brochure of Hurricanes...Unleashing Nature's Fury can be downloaded from the WFO New Orleans/Baton Rouge website at <http://www.srh.noaa/lix>.

CONTACTS AND INTERNET ADDRESSES

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234 Weather Service Drive, Jackson, MS 39232
(601) 936-2189
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NWS Southern Region Headquarters
819 Taylor Street, Fort Worth, TX 76109
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NOAA - National Data Buoy Center
<http://www.ndbc.noaa.gov>

NWS- Lower Mississippi River Forecast Center
62300 Airport Road, Slidell, LA 70460-5243
<http://www.srh.noaa.gov/orn>

State Agencies
Baton Rouge Office of Homeland Security & Emergency Preparedness
<http://brgov.com/Dept/OEP>

Louisiana Office of Homeland Security & Emergency Preparedness
www.loep.state.la.us

CONTACTS AND INTERNET ADDRESSES

Tropical Prediction/National Hurricane Center
11691 S.W. 17th Street, Miami, FL 33165-2149
www.nhc.noaa.gov

Storm Prediction Center
www.spc.noaa.gov

American Red Cross
www.redcross.org

Federal Emergency Management Agency
www.fema.gov/fema/trop.html

TERM TO KNOW

TROPICAL STORM WATCH: Tropical storm conditions with sustained winds of 39 mph to 73 mph are possible in the specified area of the watch within 36 hours.

TROPICAL STORM WARNING: Tropical storm conditions are expected in the specified area of the warning within 24 hours.

HURRICANE WATCH: Hurricane conditions with sustained winds of 74 mph or greater are possible in the specified area of the watch within 36 hours. During a hurricane watch, prepare to take immediate action to protect your family and property in case a hurricane warning is issued.

HURRICANE WARNING: Hurricane conditions are expected in the specified area of the warning within 24 hours. Complete all storm preparations and evacuate, if directed by local officials.

SHORT TERM WATCHES AND WARNINGS: These provide detailed information on specific hurricane related threats such as tornadoes, floods, and high winds.