

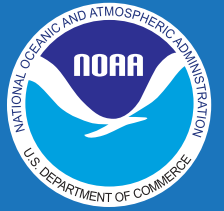
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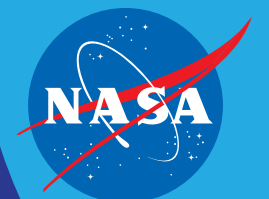
The U.S. Coast Guard responds to a distress call relayed by the Search and Rescue Satellite-Aided Tracking, or SARSAT, system, of which the GOES are part

United States Coast Guard

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1	1970: National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration founded to help protect the environment, study climate, and forecast the weather.	2	3	4	5
			1912: Beginning of the longest dry spell of record in the U.S., 767 days, in Bagdad, CA.			
7	2011: Due to two back-to-back tropical storms plus a hurricane in the region, the Susquehanna River in NY crested at a record 25.71' with massive flooding.	8	9	1780: The Great Hurricane of 1780 kills 22,000 people in the Caribbean, the deadliest Western Hemisphere hurricane on record.	10	11
						1959: Explorer 7 launches, providing world's first satellite measurements of Earth.
14	15	1975: Launch of the first Geostationary Operational Environmental Satellite (GOES), GOES-1.	16	1848: A hurricane strikes Brazos Santiago, Mexico, putting the island under 2 feet of water and destroying several vessels.	17	18
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
						2011: Amarillo, TX, receives a record 5" of snow for this date, previously set at 2.4" in 1911.
28	29	30	31			
		1993: First-time snow in San Antonio, TX.	2011: Central Park in New York city gets 2.9" of snow. Previous record for any Oct. day was 0.8" in 1925.			



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