

Site Plan

Name: Western Weather Watchers

Domain: westernweatherwatchers.com

Note: Minimum of \$12 a year for domain.

Purpose

To provide live weather updates and forecasts focused on the greater Idaho area. Live weather widgets will be displayed over town information sections on each page as well as in the header by the navigation menu. The key element of the website is to provide up to date and extremely accurate information for residents on the Idaho area. Each section of the site is broken down over three major city areas, Preston, Soda Springs and Fish Haven. Residents in these greater areas will be able to find weather information in a quick and intuitive way along with a story correspondent to the weather conditions, with a picture included for aesthetics.

Target Audience/Scenarios

The target audience will have two primary groups, outdoor working-class individuals and business owners, and middle-class families and individuals seeking outdoor recreation. These demographics are predicted to be the top users of the site. Layout and functionality should be intuitive and built around these demographics with a simple base design and tone.

Two scenarios will be made with personas below,

Scenario 1

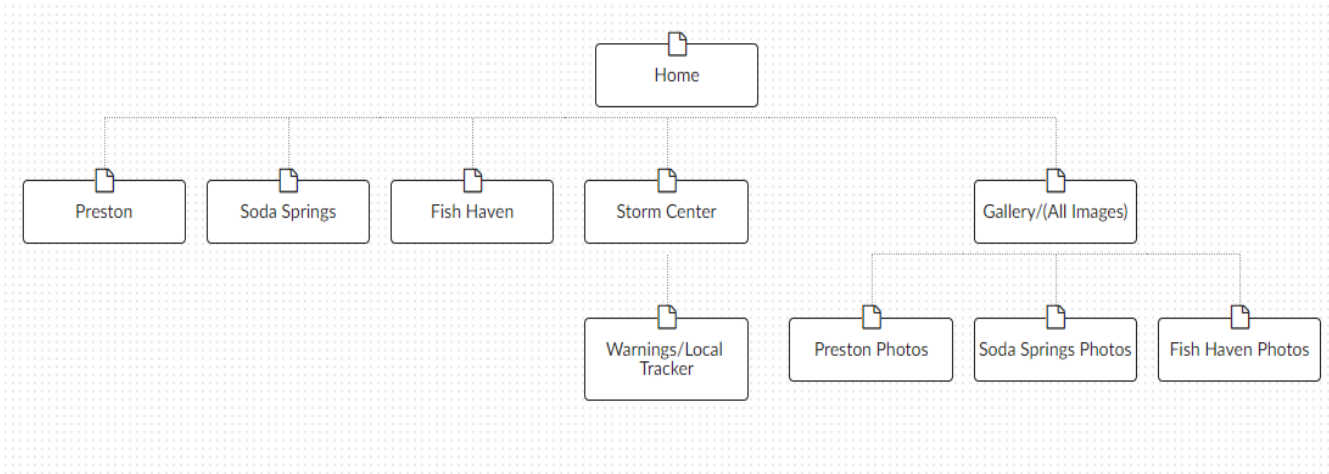
John Sabbath is a 38-year-old man with a young family of 3 kids. He and His wife decide it would be good for the family to go on a camping trip. While planning their trip, John decides to check the weather report for the week to make sure it wont rain. He goes to a local weather website that he trusts will be more accurate for the area then one that covers the nation as a whole. He searches “week long forecast” in Google and finds westernweatherwatchers.com and clicks the link. He sees that there is no rain in the forecast for his area and also spots a story about camping with a picture of a father teaching his kids how to fish. John remembers the site after having a great camping experience with no rain. He will be sure to check the site more often in the future.

Scenario 2

Joseph Freeman is a small business owner. He is in charge of a landscaping company located near Fish Haven Idaho. He is planning a project that is estimated to last a week long and is trying to provide an

optimal time frame for his crew. He has found national weather reports to be too inaccurate and wants to try using a local weather tracker. He Googles “7 Day Forecast Fish Haven Idaho” and finds westernweatherwatchers.com. He clicks the link and is brought to the Fish Haven forecast page. He finds that the next seven days will be mostly cloudy but with no rain. He takes a chance on the forecast and finds that he is able to complete the job on time with optimal weather conditions, predicted by westernweatherwatchers.com. Joseph starts using the website as his primary weather forecaster and recommends it to others in his field.

Site Map



Color and Typography Chart

Site Header	Sans-serif	40px	# 941B0C	Sample
Primary Navigation	Sans-Serif	30px	#220901	Sample
Footer Navigation	Sans-Serif	20px	#941B0C	Sample
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