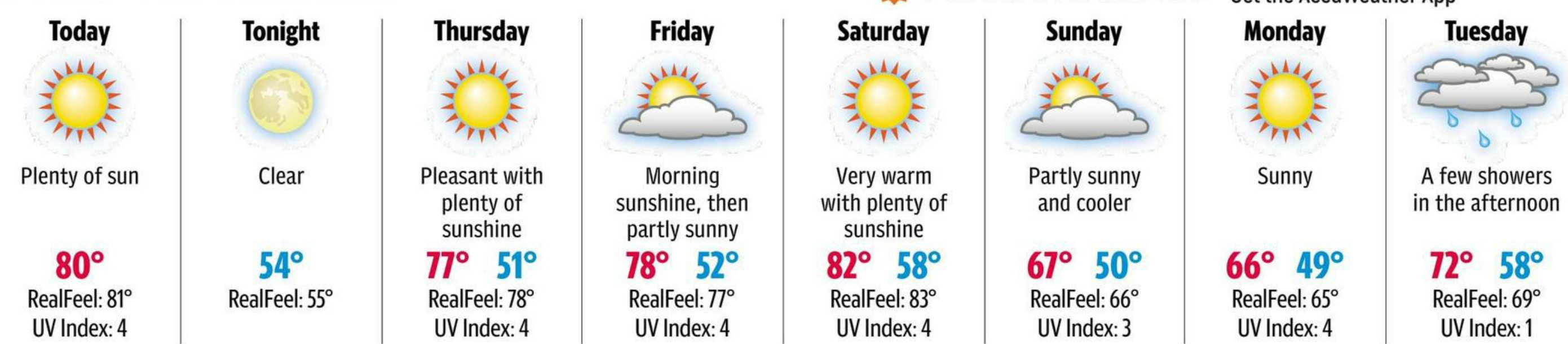


YOUR 7-DAY FORECAST



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Charlotte on Monday

TEMPERATURE

High/low	80°/45°
Normal high/low	72°/48°
Last year high/low	73°/50°
Record high	88° (1943)
Record low	30° (1952)

PRECIPITATION

Monday	0.00"
Month to date (normal)	0.01" (2.27")
Year to date (normal)	45.55" (35.95")
Last year to date	37.37"

HEATING DEGREE DAYS

Degree days are an indicator of energy needs. The more the total degree days, the more energy is necessary to heat.

Monday	2
Month to date (normal)	72 (75)
Season to date (normal)	72 (87)
Last season to date	60

SUN & MOON

Sunrise today	7:37 AM	Moonrise today	none
Sunset tonight	6:38 PM	Moonset today	2:21 PM

Last	New	First	Full
Oct 24	Nov 1	Nov 9	Nov 15

POLLEN INDEX

AS OF 10/21

Grass:	Absent
Trees:	Low
Weeds:	Moderate
Mold:	Moderate

Source: National Allergy Bureau

RIVER LEVELS

	Flood Stage (ft.)	7 a.m. Tuesday	24-hour change
CATAWBA RIVER near Pleasant Gardens above Rock Hill	11	1.55	-0.02
above Catawba	15	3.70	-0.11
	58	5.44	-1.26

STEWARD CREEK

at West Morehead Street	14	1.26	none
at State Street	10	0.88	-0.01

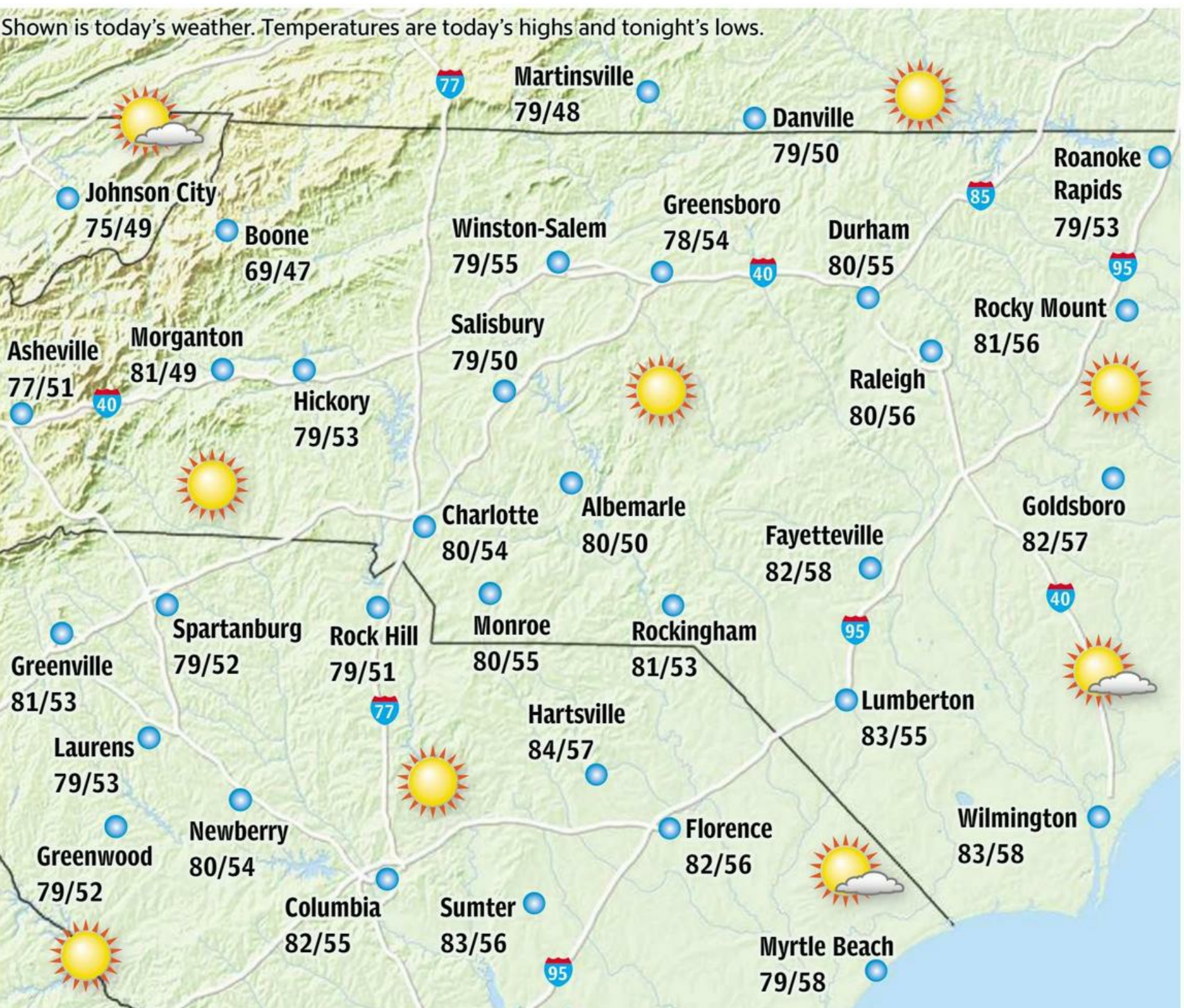
LITTLE SUGAR CREEK

at Medical Center Drive	13.5	2.07	+0.03
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LAKE LEVELS

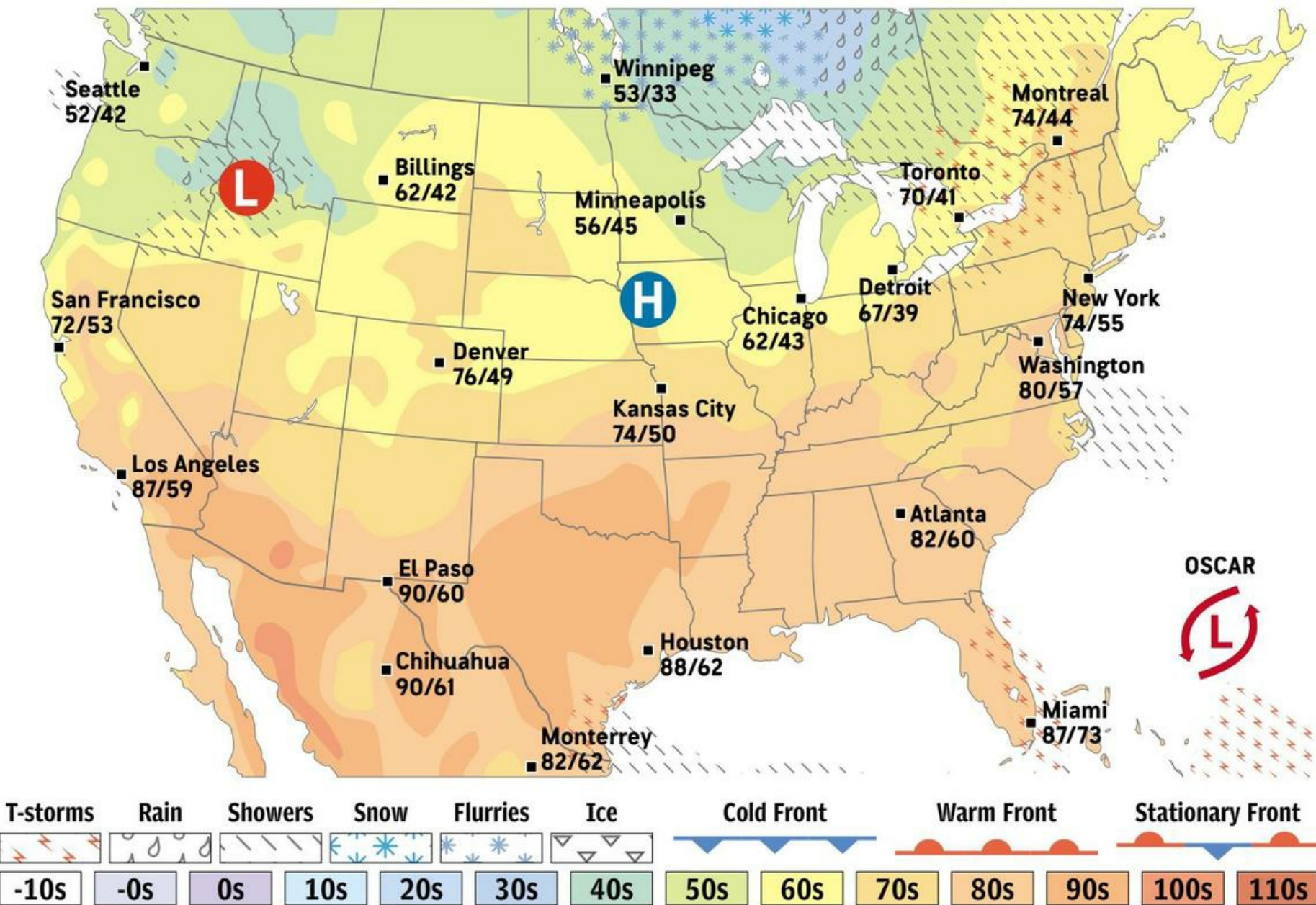
	Normal Pool (ft.)	Elevation Tuesday	24-hour change
Lake Wylie	100	96.85	+0.05
Lake Norman	100	97.02	none
High Rock Lake	655	N.A.	N.A.

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TODAY'S NATIONAL FORECAST

Shown are noon positions of weather systems and precipitation. Temperature bands are highs for the day.



AROUND THE NATION

	Today	Thursday
City	Hi Lo W	Hi Lo W
Anchorage	39 24 pc	32 24 sn
Atlanta	82 60 s	82 57 s
Boston	75 57 s	63 45 s
Chicago	62 43 s	65 53 pc
Dallas	91 69 s	89 67 s
Denver	76 49 s	73 39 s
Detroit	67 39 pc	58 44 s
Honolulu	88 74 sh	86 73 s
Indianapolis	74 41 pc	66 51 pc
Kansas City	74 50 s	82 52 t
Las Vegas	87 61 s	85 61 s
Los Angeles	87 59 s	82 55 s
Miami	87 73 pc	86 75 pc
Nashville	85 52 s	78 53 s
New Orleans	84 63 s	86 64 s
New York City	74 55 s	63 47 s
Orlando	86 66 s	84 65 s
Philadelphia	80 56 s	65 45 s
Phoenix	99 67 s	95 67 pc
St. Louis	76 48 s	78 64 s
Salt Lake City	76 44 s	59 40 s
San Francisco	72 53 s	75 54 pc
Seattle	52 42 pc	54 40 c
Washington, DC	80 57 s	67 47 s

Weather(W): s-sunny, pc-partly cloudy, c-cloudy, sh-showers, t-thunderstorms, r-rain, sf-snow flurries, sn-snow, i-ice

AROUND THE WORLD

	Today	Thursday
City	Hi Lo W	Hi Lo W
Acapulco	90 74 pc	91 74 s
Amsterdam	60 45 c	60 51 s
Baghdad	76 48 pc	77 52 pc
Berlin	57 40 pc	60 46 s
Bogota	69 49 sh	68 48 r
Cairo	84 64 s	85 64 s
Calgary	49 31 s	49 25 pc
Dublin	59 51 pc	60 46 r
Geneva	63 51 pc	63 52 pc
Havana	85 69 s	85 68 pc
Hong Kong	86 71 c	84 74 c
Jerusalem	71 55 s	71 54 s
Johannesburg	79 54 s	81 59 c
Lisbon	77 61 s	72 57 c
London	62 49 pc	63 53 s
Madrid	69 55 pc	69 54 pc
Mexico City	74 52 s	73 50 s
Moscow	54 40 r	46 39 sh
New Delhi	91 70 pc	92 70 pc
Paris	63 45 pc	66 55 s
Rome	71 62 sh	72 62 r
Stockholm	51 44 c	54 42 pc
Sydney	80 66 c	69 56 sh
Tokyo	80 70 sh	78 66 c

Actor Channing Tatum stuns Helene relief volunteers with surprise visit to Asheville

BY JOE MARUSAK

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Actor Channing Tatum shocked Tropical Storm Helene relief volunteers with an unannounced visit to an Asheville food bank on Wednesday.

Tatum not only pulled into MANNA Food Bank with a truckload of supplies, he helped unload them and sort the items alongside food bank team members and volunteers, officials with the non-profit hunger-relief organization said on Facebook.

"Despite everything our communities have gone through since Hurricane Helene, it's been truly amazing to see such incredible people showing up to support us — and that includes Channing and his team," MANNA Food Bank CEO Claire Neal said on Facebook. "He jumped right in to work with our crew, handing out food and resources," Neal said. "It was wonderful to see all



MANNA Food Bank via Facebook

Actor Channing Tatum, far left in top row, shocked Tropical Storm Helene relief volunteers with an unannounced visit to an Asheville food bank on Wednesday, Oct. 16, 2024.

the smiles he brought to the families at the WNC Farmers Market distribution."

Helene, a former Category 5 hurricane, killed at least 95 people in the state and caused record flooding and damage in Western North Carolina after arriving in the state on Sept. 28. Entire mountain communities vanished in swollen, raging

rivers. At least 90 people remain missing, emergency officials said.

Tatum was already in North Carolina for filming the movie "Roofman," in the Charlotte area, The Charlotte Observer previously reported.

The film is based on the true story of serial robber Jeffrey Manchester, known as "Roofman"

or the "Rooftop Robber." He broke into dozens of McDonald's restaurants across the U.S., including in the Charlotte area, and was arrested in Gaston County in 2000.

Tatum is best known for starring in the "Magic Mike" movies.

MAKING A DIFFERENCE

On Instagram Oct. 7, days after the deadly hurricane had struck, Tatum urged his 17.5 million followers to donate to the 2Baby2 non-profit. 2Baby2 has provided at least 200 million diapers to U.S. families in need and at least 60 million critical items to children devastated by natural disasters and other emergencies.

"Together, we can make a difference in the lives of these families during this challenging time," Tatum said on Instagram.

People on social media praised Tatum after his Asheville appearance.

"Sooo very sweet!!!!" a woman posted on Facebook. "You can see his heart!"

"Thank you beautiful soul to help during this difficult time," another woman posted on Facebook. "May God Bless You Always."

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Meet Charlotte Observer Local News Editor Josh Bergeron at Enderly Coffee

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Early voting began last week and has had record turnout, with hundreds of thousands of people who already have cast ballots.

Considering it's roughly two weeks until Nov. 5 and what many are saying is the most important election in U. S. history, we are featuring Local News Editor Josh Bergeron, at our next "Coffee with a Reporter" event.

It will take place at Enderly Coffee on Wednesday, Oct. 23. The shop is located at 2620 Tuckaseegee Rd.

Josh oversees the team covering local government and politics in Mecklenburg and surrounding counties.

At this free event, engage in a friendly conversation with our journalists and what they cover. We want to share more about who we are, what we do and learn more about our readers.

We extend our thanks to the team at Enderly Coffee for hosting us.

Check out the shop's website to see what is hap-

pening there, but more importantly, drop by and say hi. And there's plenty of on site parking.

See you there! **WHAT:** "Coffee with a Reporter"

WHO: Local News Editor Josh Bergeron

WHEN: noon - 2 p.m., Wed., Oct. 23

WHERE: Enderly Coffee, 2620 Tuckaseegee Rd.

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