

# RIBCON WEATHER SUMMARY - FEB '16

CITY / TOWN	OBSERVER	TEMPERATURE °F					NUMBER OF DAYS				PRECIPITATION in.					NUMBER OF DAYS				PEAK WIND				
		MAX	DATE	MIN	DATE	MEAN	MAXIMUM TEMP.		MINIMUM TEMP.		TOTAL	24hr	DATE	SNOW	24hr	DATE	LIQUID		SNOW		R	mph	DATE	
							≥ 90°	≤ 32°	≤ 32°	≤ 0°							≥ .01	≥ 1.0	≥ 1in	≥ 6in				
BRISTOL RI	W. D'Alessio																							
COVENTRY RI	D. Hansen	65	1	-10	4-15	33.0		6	22	3	4.22	1.15	24	7.5	7.0	5	12	1	7	1	1	NW	31	15
FAIRHAVEN MA	D. Bollea	56	21	-8	14	33.4		4	19	3	4.74	2.06	4-5	14.4	7.3	5	12	1	2	2	1	40	8	
FALL RIVER MA	M&L Michaud	59	25	-8	14	34.3		5	17	2	5.22	1.52	5	14.8	8.8	5	13	1	2	1	1	43	13	
FOSTER RI	M. DiFranco	60	1-29	-14	14	30.6		6	22	3	6.05	1.35	5	20.4	10.7	5	12	2	3	2	1			
FOSTER N. RI	S. Swift	62	1-25	-13	14	31.3		5	24	3	6.46	1.60	5	21.5	11.2	5	12	3	3	1	1	S	55	25
KINGSTON RI	T. SHERMAN	65	1	-11	15	34.2		4	25	2	5.92	1.85	5	12.6	6.3	5	12	2	2	1	1			
RICHMOND RI	M. Lill																							
MIDDLETOWN RI	M. Edes	57	25	-7	14	34.5		4	18	2	4.26	1.15	5	13.0	7.1	5	14	1	2	1	1	NW	46	13
NEW BEDFORD MA	A/P																							
PROVIDENCE RI	R. Vincent	66	1	-9	14	34.0		6	17	2	4.60	1.00	3	11.7	5.7	5	10	1	2	0	1	43	16	
TAUNTON MA	WFO-NWS	67	2	-11	14	32.8		7	23	3	4.90	1.04	6-25	14.2	10.0	5-6	10	3	2	1	1			
TIYERTON RI	M. Jezak	58	25	-7	14	33.7		6	20	3	5.09	1.48	5	10.2	6.7	5	15	1	2	1	1			
WARWICK SE RI	F. Harrison	64	1	-8	14	34.4		6	17	2	4.85	1.44	5	12.4	6.1	5	10	1	2	1	1	NNE	40	16
WARWICK RI	NWS-A/P	66	1	-9	14	33.8		6	21	3	5.32	1.48	25	11.5	5.6	8	11	1	2	0	1	SE	53	16
WESTERLY RI	A/P	56	1-4	-8	14	33.6		4	19	3	4.77	1.38	5	N/A	N/A	-	12	1	N/A	N/A	1			
WOONSOCKET RI	W/W -																							
E. KILLINGLY CT	K. Fisette	64	24-25	-12	14	31.7		5	23	4	5.46	1.43	25	15.9	7.6	6	11	2	4	1	1			
EXETER RI	Arcadia Sta.																							
SCITUATE RI	W. Rounds										(SNOW NOT INCLUDED)	4.74	1.50	4										

## FOR THE RECORD

Locally, February 2016 was both warmer and wetter than normal. The month began quite warm with high temperatures in the 50's and 60's and dry.

A storm on the 3rd with southerly gales brought heavy rain ending on the 4th with temperatures remaining above normal. Light rain before dawn on the 5th changed to snow by 5 A.M. as temperatures fell into the 20's with heavy, wet snow coating trees and powerlines causing some power outages and downed tree limbs. Snow totals in this storm totaled from 6 inches in Providence to as high as 11.2 in. in No. Foster R.I.! Storm clouds gave way rapidly clearing skies allowing a colorful and striking sunset as people shovelled out. Somewhat colder weather continued thereafter leading into an Arctic Blast from the 11th - 15th with temperatures going below zero. Lowes ranged from -7° in Middletown RI to -14° in Foster RI. Providence was -9° below. A quick warmup starting on the 16th of the month continued to the end of the month! Daily readings ran above normal through the 29th (Leap year day) Precipitation totals ranged from 6.46 in. in N. Foster to 4.22 in Coventry R.I. Greatest snow total was 21.5 in. at No. Foster RI. Thunderstorm days was 1 on the 25th. Greatest wind gust was S-55 mph on the 25th in No. Foster RI. High barometer was 30.62 on the 15th; lowest was 29.07 on the 25th..