AccuWeather® 7-Day Forecast for Lancaster and Surrounding Areas Sunday

Mostly sunny with a

High 56, Low 33

UV 6



Mostly cloudy with a chance of rain in the afternoon High 46, Low 36

UV 4



Mostly cloudy with a couple of showers possible High 56, Low 36 UV 5



Times of clouds and

High 54, Low 32 UV 4



Sunshine and milder

High 58, Low 40 UV. 7



Partly sunny

High 68, Low 48 UV 6



Variable cloudiness, a shower or t-storm possible High 70, Low 46

UV 5

The local 7-Day Forecast is for Lancaster County The ultraviolet index is a guide to exposure to the sun 7-9, high, 10 or above, very high The Week Ahead





Above Normal Near Normal

Above Normal

Below Normal

Below Normal

Near Normal

Almanac

For the week ending Wednesday, Apr 2 **Temperature** HIGH

Normal high for week ahead Normal low for week ahead Precipitation Month to date Normal month to date

Season to date

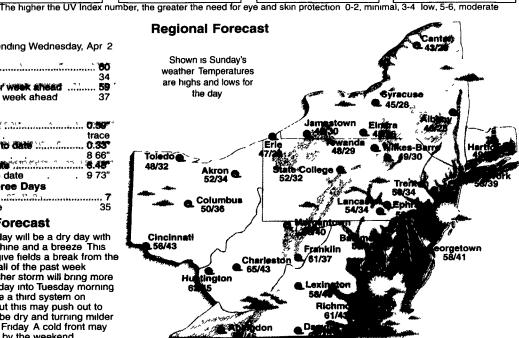
Growing Degree Days

THE WATER OF THE PARTY.

Normal year to date

Farming Forecast Sunday will be a dry day with sunshine and a breeze This will give fields a break from the rainfall of the past week

However, another storm will bring more rain later Monday into Tuesday morning There could be a third system on Wednesday, but this may push out to sea It should be dry and turning milder Thursday and Friday A cold front may bring showers by the weekend



30-Day Precipitation Outlook



Near Normal

Below Normal

Last Week's Precipitation

March 27	_	4 44	P1 52 p2 p8	0.00
March 28	7 15	-701		trace
March 29			-	0.18
March 30				0.41"
March 31	,			trace
April 01				trace
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30-Day Temperature Outlook



Above Normal **Near Normal**

6.45

Below Normal

"Surveys Show Managed **Grazing Increases Profits"**

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Your Cows Will Love Our Delicious Mixes

Base Program KING'S GRAZING MIX

- Very Palatable
- Good Drought Tolerance
- Late Heading

Contains: **BG-34** diploid PRg blend including **Mara**, **Tivoli** tetraploid PRg, **Baridana** and **Baraula** orchardgrasses, Cyclone red clover, Alice white clover, and Puna chicory. One of our most popular mixes. Usually ready to graze in 60 days.

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- Very Drought Tolerant
- Excellent Summer Productivity
- Good Palatablity

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Italian Rygrass Management

Last fall due to the drought, many acres were planted into Italian and annual ryegrasses. Most fields overwintered well, but some look banged up from our harsh winter. In particular, fields that went into winter with greater than 10 inches, and those planted late (mid-Oct, or later). Most of these fields will grow out of this winter injury. We recommend that you give injured fields a little time before you plow them up. The quality of forage produced from these ryegrasses is worth being patient.

Management Tips:

- Fertility: 50 units of nitrogen during green up (now) and after each cutting or every other grazing. Cutting: Cut when 20 inches high. Multiple cuttings are encouraged to get the most high quality
- feed, especially if you are running low in stored forages. Crop Rotation: Kill off by moldboard plowing or 1.5X rate of glyphosate (Roundup). Follow with BMR sorghum sudangrass if short on stored forage. Can follow with corn silage, forage sorghum,

Century BMR Sorghum Sudan with Pasja Forage Brassica Makes Great Summer Grazing!