Death Valley National Park

Morning Report – Sunday, December 8, 2013

Weather Forecast

Today..... Mostly sunny. Highs 29 to 32 in the mountains...53 to 56 at furnace creek. North wind around 10 mph..
Tonight..... Mostly clear. Lows 14 to 17 in the mountains...30 to 33 at furnace creek. North wind 10 to 15 mph.
Tomorrow ..... Sunny. Highs 31 to 34 in the mountains...54 to 57 at furnace creek. North wind 10 to 15 mph.
Tomorrow night..... Mostly clear. Lows 19 to 22 in the mountains... 26 to 29 at furnace creek. North wind under 10 mph.
Extended ..... Sunny. Highs 52 to 55 at Furnace Creek. Lows around 33.
Sunset today: 4:32 pm .....Sunrise tomorrow: 6:47 am

Temperatures & Precipitation (last 24 Hours)

Furnace Creek..... High: 59°F (15°C) .....Low: 39°F (-4°C).....Precip: 0.00
Scotty's Castle..... High: 50°F (7°C) .....Low: 22°F (-5°C) .....Precip: 0.00

Year to Date (Furnace Creek)

Temperatures ..... High: 129°F (54°C) on 6/30/13.....Low: 29°F (-2°C) on 12/7/13
Precipitation..... Year 2013: 2.16 inches.....7/1/13 through today: 1.43 inches

Current Road Conditions

Cottonwood Canyon Rd.... Open, high-clearance recommended first 8 miles; 4x4 high-clearance beyond.
Emigrant Canyon Road .... CLOSED due to snow.
Keane Wonder Road ..... CLOSED; road and mining area closed to entry due to mine safety hazards.
Mesquite Springs Campground Road….Expect delays due to road construction.
Panamint Valley Road ..... CLOSED by Inyo County due to flood damage.
Racetrack Road..... Do not walk on playa, it is wet.
Saline Valley (North)..... CLOSED by Inyo County
Saline Valley (South) ..... CLOSED by Inyo County.
Scotty's Castle Road ..... Expect delays up to 30 minutes due to road construction. Caution advised on sections of one-lane road.
West Side Road..... CLOSED due to flood damage.
Wildrose Canyon Road..... CLOSED due to flood damage.
Warning on all backcountry roads….Use caution; possible flood damage; expect snow and ice at higher elevations.
For more park road information visit www.facebook.com/DeathValleyRoadConditions

Roads outside Death Valley National Park

Hwy.120 (Tioga Pass), Hwy 108 (Sonora Pass), Hwy 4 (Ebbetts Pass), Hwy 89 (Monitor Pass) .....CLOSED due to snow

Weather and road conditions as of 8 A.M. Subject to change without notice.