

## Storm Data and Unusual Weather Phenomena - April 2020

Location	Date/Time	Deaths & Injuries	Property & Crop Dmg	Event Type and Details
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### TEXAS, South Panhandle

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#### GARZA COUNTY --- 1.7 SE AUGUSTUS [33.12, -101.28]

04/10/20 20:26 CST		0		Hail (0.88 in)
04/10/20 20:26 CST		0		Source: Law Enforcement

Several severe thunderstorms developed across the Permian Basin on the afternoon of the 10th. A few of these storms raced northeastward into the southeast South Plains and western Rolling Plains before falling apart. One of the storms did drop nickel size hail seven miles southeast of Post along US Highway 84 before rapidly weakening.

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#### STONEWALL COUNTY --- 5.0 S PEACOCK [33.11, -100.40]

04/11/20 13:50 CST		0		Hail (1.25 in)
04/11/20 13:50 CST		0		Source: Public

A public report was received of half dollar size hail approximately five miles south of Peacock.

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#### STONEWALL COUNTY --- ASPERMONT [33.15, -100.23]

04/11/20 14:19 CST		0		Hail (1.75 in)
04/11/20 14:19 CST		0		Source: COOP Observer

A NWS cooperative weather observer reported golf ball size hail in the town of Aspermont. No damage was reported.

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#### CHILDRESS COUNTY --- 2.0 NW LOCO [34.74, -100.17]

04/11/20 15:49 CST		0		Hail (1.25 in)
04/11/20 15:49 CST		0		Source: Public

A public report was received of half dollar size hail near US Highway 83 just south of the Collingsworth/Childress County line.

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#### HALL COUNTY --- 2.0 SE MEMPHIS [34.70, -100.51]

04/11/20 16:11 CST		0		Hail (1.00 in)
04/11/20 16:11 CST		0		Source: Law Enforcement

Law enforcement in Hall County reported quarter size hail about two miles southeast of Memphis along US Highway 287.

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#### CHILDRESS COUNTY --- 3.0 ENE CHILDRESS [34.44, -100.15], KIRKLAND [34.38, -100.07]

04/11/20 17:36 CST		0		Hail (0.75 in)
04/11/20 17:51 CST		0		Source: Law Enforcement

Scattered thunderstorms developed in the south-central Texas Panhandle and central South Plains on the afternoon of the 11th along a diffuse dryline aided by an upper level disturbance. These storms tracked into the Rolling Plains and southeastern Texas Panhandle into the evening with some storms becoming severe. Additional severe thunderstorms developed across the Big Country into the Rolling Plains affecting Stonewall County. Hail as large as golf balls was reported with a storm that moved over Aspermont (Stonewall County) during the afternoon, while penny to quarter size hail was observed near Memphis (Hall County), Childress (Childress County), and Kirkland (Childress County) during the evening.

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#### (TX-Z021) PARMER

04/13/20 16:00 CST		0		Winter Storm
04/14/20 06:00 CST		0		

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#### (TX-Z022) CASTRO, (TX-Z023) SWISHER, (TX-Z025) HALL, (TX-Z026) CHILDRESS, (TX-Z027) BAILEY, (TX-Z028) LAMB, (TX-Z029) HALE, (TX-Z030) FLOYD, (TX-Z031) MOTLEY

04/13/20 16:00 CST		0		Winter Weather
04/14/20 10:00 CST		0		

An early spring cold air mass settled into the region on Easter Sunday and lingered around the region through the 13th and 14th. A passing mid level storm system provided enough atmospheric lift to generate widespread snowfall across the extreme southern Texas Panhandle into the northern South Plains. Friona (Parmer County) saw heavy snow for a period of time on the evening of the 13th reporting five inches of snow. Elsewhere, generally one to three inches of snow fell.

Snowfall reports below are from NWS cooperative weather observers or are public reports.

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5.0 inches at Friona (Parmer County), 3.5 inches at Silverton (Briscoe County), 2.0 inches at Memphis (Hall County), 2.0 inches at Turkey (Hall County), 2.0 inches at Dimmitt (Castro County), 1.5 inches at Tulia (Swisher County), 1.5 inches at Estelline 3S (Hall County), 1.5 inches at Childress 7NW (Childress County), 1.3 inches at Childress (Childress County), 1.5 inches at Olton (Lamb County), 1.5 inches at Plainview (Hale County), 1.5 inches at Roaring Springs (Motley County), 1.0 inch at Muleshoe (Bailey County), and 1.0 inch at Floydada 9SE (Floyd County).				

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(TX-Z042) GARZA

04/23/20 23:22 CST	0	High Wind (MAX 57 kt)
04/23/20 23:22 CST	0	

Late on the 23rd into the early morning hours of the 24th, mid level virga showers created a heat burst at Lake Alan Henry (Garza County). This heat burst was accompanied by a wind gust to 66 mph reported by the Texas Tech University West Texas mesonet. Temperatures rose from 71 degrees to 81 degrees Fahrenheit in a time period of five minutes.