

Payhembury Weather

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Weather for January 2023

Rainfall: The rain in January was all in the first 2 weeks which was well above average but overall the average for the month was about normal after the second 2 weeks were dry. The start of February has continued the dry trend with almost no rain until the 15th. Overall Devon reservoirs are 73% full in early February though some are now full.

Temperatures: Like the rainfall the temperatures in January were in 2 parts. The first 2 weeks were warm well above average. The second half of the month had cold nights down to -5 degC resulting in icy roads. Overall daytime temperatures were above average for the month but the night-time temperatures were below average.

Sunshine: 2022 had the highest sunshine totals over Payhembury since 2014 with March, August and October being months well above the norm.

Weather elsewhere: Ex-tropical cyclone Gabrielle which lashed New Zealand's North Island on 13th February with high winds and heavy rain was the worst storm to hit New Zealand this century. It caused fatal landslips, closed highways and flooding so severe and rapid that hundreds of people awaited rescue on their roofs. Caused by a heat wave and strong winds, widespread fires have been raging through south-central Chile since 2nd February. Over several days, the deadly fires have destroyed more than 1,000 homes and have spread across more than 1,100 square miles.

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Monthly Rainfall	98.8 mm	-5 mm	from normal
Days of Rain	17 days		
Wettest Day	14.6 mm	7 Jan	
Mean Max Temp	9.0 degC	+1.4 degC	from normal
Mean Min Temp	1.7 degC	-0.4 degC	from normal
Warmest Day	13.8 degC	5 Jan	13:53
Coldest Day	-5.3 degC	25 Jan	01:05
Windiest Day	13.9 m/s	16 Jan	01:42

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If you want to see the table above a few days after the end of the month it is posted on the Payhembury Parish Facebook page.