

# Payhembury Weather

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**Rainfall:** There was a lot of rain at the end of September and beginning of October (due to Storm Alex) but overall September had only half the normal rain whereas the first two weeks in October had twice the rain.

**Temperatures:** September was a very warm month with a record 26.9 degC reached on 14<sup>th</sup> September. In contrast so far October has been a cool month with a near air frost on 10<sup>th</sup> October.

**Weather elsewhere:** The UK had its wettest day on record after Storm Alex hit with enough rain falling to more than fill Loch Ness. Saturday 3 October, the day after the storm, was the wettest day in records dating back to 1891. The Met Office issued an amber warning and the river Brue in Somerset flooded. In contrast California's year of wildfires has spawned the first "gigafire", a blaze spanning 1m acres, in modern history.

**Payhembury Monthly Temperatures degC**

Aug 2020/ Sep (2 weeks)	1960-90 Climate	Measured Averages	Warmer or colder than average?
Max Temp	17.7/14.5	20.1/14.4	Warmer/Colder
Min Temp	9.8/7.6	8.4/5.7	Warmer/Colder
Mean Temp	13.7/11.0	14.2/10.1	Warmer/Colder
Temp Range	7.9/6.9	11.7/8.7	
Highest Max	26/23.5	26.9/17	14 Sep 2020
Lowest Min	0/-3.5	1.8/0.4	10 Oct 2020
Lowest Max	9/7	13.8/11.2	4 Oct 2020
Highest Min	17/15	14.7/10.2	16 Sep 2020
<b>Payhembury</b>	<b>Rainfall mm</b>	<b>Date of max</b>	
Sept 2020	67	38	30 Sep 2020
Oct 2020 2 weeks	38	63	3 Oct 2020

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