

Big Bend National Park



Daily Report – Tuesday, February 03, 2026

Weather Forecast

Today..... Partly cloudy. Mountain highs in the upper 50's, river & desert highs in the mid 70's. North winds 10 - 15 mph.

Tonight..... Mostly cloudy then clearing. Lows in the lower 40's. Northeast winds 10 - 15 mph.

Tomorrow Sunny! Mountain highs around 50, river & desert around 70. Northeast winds 10 - 20 mph. Partly cloudy evening in the upper 30's. Northeast winds 10 - 20 mph.

Extended..... Thursday - Monday: Sunny becoming cloudy. North winds around 10 mph.

Highs: lower 50's - upper 70's Lows: lower 40's to lower 60's

Sunset tonight: 6:33 p.m. Sunrise tomorrow: 7:40 a.m.

Fire Danger

In the Chisos Mountains: LOW

Panther Junction/Foothills: LOW

Temperatures and Precipitation

Temperatures – Last 24 hours					Total Precipitation		
	Elevation	High	Low	8 AM	24 Hours	Month	Year
Panther Junction	3750'	69	43	52	0.00	0.92	0.92
Chisos Basin	5400'	65	40	50	0.00	1.30	1.30
Rio Grande Village	1850'	78	28	39	0.00	0.45	0.45
Castolon	2170'	76	41	45	0.00	0.39	0.39
Persimmon Gap	2970'	73	36	43	0.00	0.62	0.62
Lajitas	2340'	73	39	39	0.00	0.80	0.80

River Levels

	Flood Stage	Today	Yesterday
Presidio International Bridge	15.50	5.30 ft / 171 cfs	5.11 ft / 133 cfs
Castolon	15.50	2.50 ft / 64 cfs	2.49 ft / 62 cfs
Johnson Ranch	15.50	3.50 ft / 44 cfs	3.52 ft / 47 cfs
Rio Grande Village	13.00	3.02 ft / 79 cfs	3.03 ft / 81 cfs
Dryden Crossing	59.00	4.96 ft / 430 cfs	4.96 ft / 430 cfs

Current Park Conditions:

*There is a BURN BAN in effect in the Chisos Basin, NO wood or charcoal fires allowed.

* High clearance, 4-wheel drive vehicles are required on Maverick Road, Old Ore Road, River Road, and Terlingua Ranch Road, & recommended on all other primitive roads. Black Gap and Hot Springs are closed. Expect rough and/or muddy conditions on all gravel and/or dirt roads.

**** Your safety is your responsibility. Visitors must have the ability to sustain, support and /or recover themselves.