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Special Statement

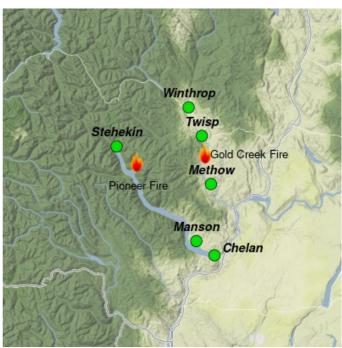
Data from the Washington State Department of Ecology Winthrop PM 2.5 monitor can be viewed here WA Monitor Map. Data from the temporary Manson PM 2.5 monitor can be viewed here Fire and Smoke Map.

Fire

A wetting rain fell on portions of the Pioneer Fire yesterday evening. That moisture will reduce fire spread today as the Pioneer Fire remains active and continues to burn between Meadow Creek and Prince Creek. Heavy fuels are still holding heat and we'll see smoldering, backing, and flanking today. A warming trend in the forecast may bring an increasing chance of torching, short uphill runs, and spotting by next weekend.

Smoke

Yesterday evening's moisture and today's elevated relative humidity will limit smoke production from the fire today. We'll see generally GOOD air quality across the Outlook area. Stehekin may see brief periods of MODERATE midday before improving in the afternoon. Winthrop, Twisp, and Methow should see generally GOOD air quality in the AM with a low potential for periods of MODERATE late PM. Similarly, Manson and Chelan should enjoy GOOD air quality in the AM with a low potential for MODERATE in the late afternoon as down lake winds increase and could transport smoke.



Daily AQI Forecast* for Sunday

	Yesterday	Sat	Forecast*	Sun	Mon
Station	hourly	6/29	Comment for Today Sun, Jun 30	6/30	7/01
	6a noon 6p				
Winthrop	No hourly data		GOOD AQ, with low potential for periods of MODERATE in the PM		
Twisp			GOOD AQ, low potential for periods of MODERATE in the PM		
Methow	No hourly data		GOOD AQ in the AM, low potential periods of MODERATE in the PM		
Stehekin			GOOD in the AM, potential short periods of MODERATE midday, improving in the PM		
Manson	No hourly data		Generally GOOD in the AM, low potential for periods of MODERATE in the PM		
Chelan			GOOD in AM, low potential for periods of MODERATE in the afternoon/evening		

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Air Quality Index (AQI)	Actions to Protect Yourself
Good	None
Moderate	Unusually sensitive individuals should consider limiting prolonged or heavy exertion.
USG	People within Sensitive Groups* should reduce prolonged or heavy outdoor exertion.
Unhealthy	People within Sensitive Groups* should avoid all physical outdoor activity.
Very Unhealthy	Everyone should avoid prolonged or heavy exertion.
Hazardous	Everyone should avoid any outdoor activity.

*Disclaimer: This forecast is based on fine particulates only; ozone is not included. Forecasts may be wrong; use at own risk. Use caution as conditions can change quickly. See your health professional as needed. Smoke sensitive groups should take appropriate precautions.

Additional Links

Pioneer Fire Inciweb -- https://inciweb.wildfire.gov/incident-information/wases-pioneer

WA Smoke Blog -- https://wasmoke.blogspot.com/

Create a Clean Air Space in your home -- https://www.epa.gov/indoor-air-quality-iaq/create-clean-room-protect-indoor-air-quality-during-wildfire

Fire & Smoke Map -- https://fire.airnow.gov/

 ${\bf Smoke\ Health\ Impacts\ --\ https://ecology.wa.gov/Air-Climate/Air-quality/Smoke-fire/Health-effects}$

WA DOE Smoke Monitor Data -- https://enviwa.ecology.wa.gov/mobile/



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