



CoCoRaHS Collections

“Because Every Drop Counts”

The Ohio Newsletter

Fall-Winter
2025/2026

Snow Squalls

This winter has been pretty active for the first half of the season. There have been several winter weather events and even some snow squalls. A snow squall is an intense short-lived burst of heavy snowfall that leads to a quick reduction in visibilities and is often accompanied by gusty winds. They may be characterized by one main squall or multiple squalls. The combination of quick reductions in visibilities and sudden slick conditions on roadways can often lead to high-speed wrecks, pileups, and subsequently injuries and fatalities. There is also a high economic impact as interstates can be shut down for hours. On snow squall days, unrestricted visibilities can turn into whiteout conditions in a matter of seconds. Stay informed and take necessary safety precautions to mitigate snow squall impacts. Remain alert to the latest forecast and travel conditions. Consider avoiding or delaying travel until the snow squall passes your location. Leave extra time if you must travel. Reduce your speed and turn on headlights. Don't slam on brakes. With roads being slick, this could contribute to loss of vehicle control and also increase the risk of a chain reaction crash.

The National Weather Service works with a variety of partners to promote awareness of dangerous snow squall hazards to motorists, including the Ohio Department of Transportation (ODOT). ODOT activates road signs based on snow squall warnings (and a variety of other weather hazards). Be alert for rapidly changing conditions, especially when these signs are activated. We all share a common goal of saving lives and mitigating weather impacts and value these partnerships and the work each group does. Here is an example of what a snow squall looks like.



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Training Resources:

There are great training resources on the www.cocorahs.org webpage on the left-hand side under resources. Look for training slide-shows and videos for training on every aspect of CoCoRaHS. If you have additional questions, please feel free to reach out to any coordinator listed here:

https://www.cocorahs.org/Content.aspx?page=coord_OH



Ohio CoCoRaHS Awards

2025 Daily Award (Daily Precipitation Submitted Every Day 2025)

OH-AD-5	OH-AL-5	OH-AT-1	OH-AT-3	OH-AT-5	OH-AT-21	OH-BT-1
OH-BT-34	OH-CB-8	OH-CB-18	OH-CB-31	OH-CC-8	OH-CM-7	OH-CN-10
OH-CN-24	OH-CY-24	OH-CY-79	OH-DL-10	OH-DL-31	OH-DL-32	OH-DR-1
OH-ER-8	OH-ER-48	OH-FF-24	OH-FL-16	OH-FR-2	OH-FR-3	OH-FR-8
OH-FR-158	OH-FR-160	OH-FY-8	OH-GG-4	OH-GG-7	OH-GG-21	OH-GR-13
OH-GR-26	OH-GR-37	OH-HG-8	OH-HG-9	OH-HM-13	OH-HM-37	OH-HM-56
OH-HM-69	OH-HM-80	OH-HY-14	OH-KN-4	OH-LC-1	OH-LC-28	OH-LC-45
OH-LG-12	OH-LK-25	OH-LR-27	OH-LR-36	OH-LS-23	OH-LS-44	OH-LS-45
OH-MD-1	OH-MD-16	OH-MG-3	OH-MH-10	OH-MH-11	OH-MH-21	OH-MK-12
OH-MM-13	OH-MM-29	OH-MN-3	OH-MY-5	OH-MY-18	OH-MY-34	OH-MY-39
OH-MY-106	OH-OT-4	OH-PB-1	OH-PC-10	OH-PN-14	OH-PT-2	OH-PT-12
OH-PT-17	OH-PT-24	OH-PT-25	OH-PT-27	OH-RC-15	OH-RC-17	OH-RC-18
OH-SD-2	OH-SH-13	OH-SH-15	OH-SH-20	OH-SM-5	OH-SM-22	OH-SM-39
OH-SN-3	OH-ST-12	OH-TR-4	OH-UN-4	OH-WD-14	OH-WD-33	OH-WL-5
OH-WN-14	OH-WR-14	OH-WR-40				

Diamond Dendrite Award

Special welcome to the Diamond Dendrite award level for these observers that have submitted 5,000 daily precipitation amounts. Award certificates have been sent via email.

OH-AT-9 OH-HY-14 OH-SH-13 OH-SH-14 OH-SH-15 OH-WR-14

Golden Raindrop Award

Congratulations to our new Golden Raindrop Award members! These individuals have reported over 3000 daily precipitation reports. Award certificates have been sent via email.

OH-AT-21 OH-HC-12 OH-HM-69

Silver Snowflake Award

Congratulations to our Silver Snowflake Award member! These individuals have reported over 2000 daily precipitation reports. Award certificates have been sent via email.

OH-AD-5 OH-CY-53 OH-FL-16 OH-FY-8
OH-HM-112 OH-LC-29 OH-SM-39 OH-WR-35

Bronze Observer Award

Congratulations to our Bronze Observer Award members! These individuals have reported over 1000 daily precipitation reports. Award certificates have been sent via email.

OH-CB-22

OH-CB-29

OH-CY-58

OH-PC-10

500 Club

Congratulations to our 500 club members! These individuals have reported over 500 daily precipitation reports. We look forward to adding onto this list with the next newsletter.

OH-AS-13

OH-CC-8

OH-CH-21

OH-ER-50

OH-FR-143

OH-GY-15

OH-HC-22

OH-MD-21

OH-MY-86

OH-MY-106

OH-VN-5

OH-WN-18

Fall 2025 Honor Roll (Continued on next page)

From September 1, 2025 to November 30, 2025, these Ohio stations reported every day. Here are those stations who get a thumbs up for their dedication! Not listed below, but thought you reported every day? You can check your reports. There are multiple ways to do this. You can go into your account and click on list/edit my daily precipitation reports. This will show your reports every day. You can also go into 'view data' at the top of the page and click on 'station precipitation summary report.' Input your station and the period of interest. The missing days will be shown with dash marks. If there are additional questions e-mail Ashley.Novak@noaa.gov

OH-AD-5	OH-CC-8	OH-DL-37	OH-FR-59	OH-HG-9	OH-LC-1	OH-MA-13
OH-AD-10	OH-CH-17	OH-DL-47	OH-FR-129	OH-HK-9	OH-LC-10	OH-MC-7
OH-AL-5	OH-CH-21	OH-DR-1	OH-FR-158	OH-HM-13	OH-LC-14	OH-MD-1
OH-AL-8	OH-CK-20	OH-DR-7	OH-FR-160	OH-HM-24	OH-LC-26	OH-MD-10
OH-AL-14	OH-CK-24	OH-DR-18	OH-FR-175	OH-HM-37	OH-LC-28	OH-MD-16
OH-AS-2	OH-CM-7	OH-DR-29	OH-FR-183	OH-HM-56	OH-LC-45	OH-MD-19
OH-AT-1	OH-CM-25	OH-DR-35	OH-FY-5	OH-HM-69	OH-LG-12	OH-MG-3
OH-AT-3	OH-CN-10	OH-ER-8	OH-FY-8	OH-HM-75	OH-LK-25	OH-MH-10
OH-AT-5	OH-CN-15	OH-ER-11	OH-GG-4	OH-HM-80	OH-LR-2	OH-MH-11
OH-AT-21	OH-CN-24	OH-ER-48	OH-GG-7	OH-HM-86	OH-LR-8	OH-MH-21
OH-AT-28	OH-CN-26	OH-FF-24	OH-GG-21	OH-HM-96	OH-LR-25	OH-MH-26
OH-BL-6	OH-CW-3	OH-FF-25	OH-GR-13	OH-HM-107	OH-LR-27	OH-MK-12
OH-BR-18	OH-CY-24	OH-FF-29	OH-GR-15	OH-HR-2	OH-LR-32	OH-MK-13
OH-BT-1	OH-CY-79	OH-FF-43	OH-GR-26	OH-HY-7	OH-LR-36	OH-MM-13
OH-BT-39	OH-CY-85	OH-FF-59	OH-GR-28	OH-HY-14	OH-LR-43	OH-MM-27
OH-CB-8	OH-DL-10	OH-FF-61	OH-GR-37	OH-JC-4	OH-LS-23	OH-MM-29
OH-CB-10	OH-DL-12	OH-FL-16	OH-GR-50	OH-JC-6	OH-LS-41	OH-MN-3
OH-CB-18	OH-DL-31	OH-FR-2	OH-GY-14	OH-KN-4	OH-LS-44	OH-MW-8
OH-CB-29	OH-DL-32	OH-FR-3	OH-HC-12	OH-KN-7	OH-LS-45	OH-MY-5
OH-CB-31	OH-DL-36	OH-FR-8	OH-HG-8	OH-KN-9	OH-MA-9	OH-MY-9

Helpful Links for Ohio CoCoRaHS Observers

Obtain replacement or extra equipment:

<https://www.cocorahs.org/Content.aspx?page=store>

For information on climate:

<https://climate.osu.edu/>

<https://www.cpc.ncep.noaa.gov/>

For current forecasts and severe weather warnings:

<https://www.weather.gov/>

<https://water.noaa.gov/>

For drought information:

<https://droughtreporter.unl.edu/map/>

<https://droughtmonitor.unl.edu/>

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OH-MY-17	OH-PT-24	OH-ST-12
OH-MY-18	OH-PT-25	OH-TR-4
OH-MY-34	OH-PT-27	OH-TR-13
OH-MY-39	OH-RC-7	OH-TS-1
OH-MY-46	OH-RC-9	OH-TS-14
OH-MY-79	OH-RC-15	OH-TS-28
OH-MY-91	OH-RC-17	OH-UN-4
OH-MY-95	OH-RC-18	OH-WD-8
OH-MY-96	OH-RS-14	OH-WD-14
OH-MY-106	OH-RS-17	OH-WD-33
OH-NB-4	OH-SD-2	OH-WL-5
OH-OT-4	OH-SH-11	OH-WL-12
OH-PB-1	OH-SH-13	OH-WN-14
OH-PC-10	OH-SH-14	OH-WN-20
OH-PN-10	OH-SH-15	OH-WR-34
OH-PN-14	OH-SH-20	OH-WR-36
OH-PT-2	OH-SM-22	OH-WR-40
OH-PT-12	OH-SM-39	OH-WS-14
OH-PT-17	OH-SN-3	

10,000 Precipitation Observation Award

Didn't get a chance to put in an idea or two for the name of the 10,000 precipitation level award? Don't worry there is still time. Fill out this form as many times as you have ideas! There have been 30 submissions so far.

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdneGiRNrS6wHWq--WIEpLYf5gHd-K2hc_sx8fPaOaUf-zA/viewform

