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Para World Sailing -- Forecast For Wednesday, September 19

Forecast Discussion

Wednesday - General Discussion

At 4:00 am this morning, an area of high pressure centered slightly north of Lake Superior extends south across Lake Michigan. A weaker secondary high was located over northern Lake Michigan. A stationary/cold front across northern Illinois and Indiana is expected to remain south of Lake Michigan until early Thursday morning. To the west, a cold front from a weakening low pressure system in southern Canada will approach Lake Michigan from northwestern Minnesota. This cold front should reach Sheboygan early this evening. Cloudy skies are expected for today. The daytime high temperature will reach the mid 60s (F).

Wednesday - Rain/Thunderstorms

The approaching cold front will promote showers and thunderstorms. This activity is most likely to occur mid to late afternoon. While thunderstorms are possible this afternoon, the potential for organized severe storms is low.

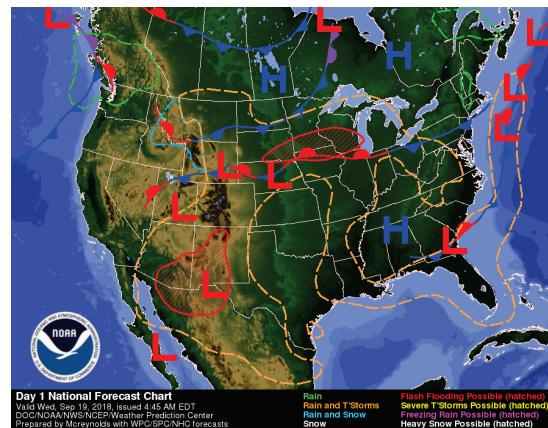
Wednesday - Marine Forecast

Northeast 10 to 15 knots early this morning. Veering to easterly at 10 to 15 knots by mid morning. Weakening to easterly at 6 to 11 knots by late morning/early afternoon. Increasing slightly to easterly at 8 to 13 knots by late afternoon/early evening. Waves 1 to 3 feet.

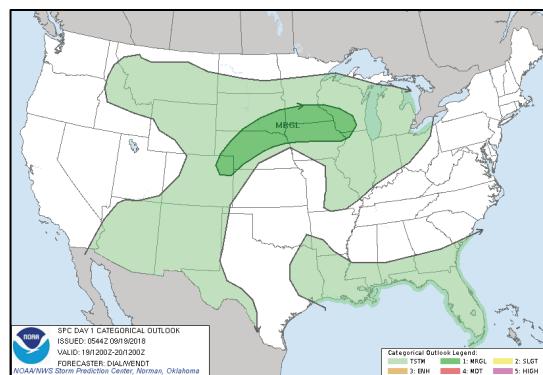
Thursday - Preliminary Outlook

A warm front stretching east from an area of low pressure in Iowa will push northward up Lake Michigan on Thursday. This warm front is expected to reach Sheboygan by mid-morning. Widespread showers and thunderstorms are expected most of the day on Thursday. There is a risk of organized severe thunderstorms particularly during the afternoon. East-southeast at 10 to 15 knots early morning. Veering southeast at 10 to 15 knots by mid morning and then southerly by late afternoon. Gusts approaching 20 knots for most of the day. Waves 1 to 3 feet, building to 2 to 4 feet.

Daily Weather Map



SPC Day 1 Convective Outlook



Marine Forecast

Time	Speed (kts)	Gusts (kts)	Direction (degrees)	Wave Heights (ft)
9 am / 14Z	10 to 15	minimal	40 to 70	1 to 3
10 am / 15Z	10 to 15	minimal	50 to 80	1 to 3
11 am / 16Z	6 to 11	minimal	60 to 90	1 to 3
12 pm / 17Z	6 to 11	minimal	70 to 100	1 to 3
1 pm / 18Z	6 to 11	minimal	70 to 100	1 to 3
2 pm / 19Z	6 to 11	minimal	70 to 100	1 to 3
3 pm / 20Z	6 to 11	minimal	70 to 100	1 to 3
4 pm / 21Z	8 to 13	minimal	70 to 100	1 to 3
5 pm / 22Z	8 to 13	minimal	70 to 100	1 to 3

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