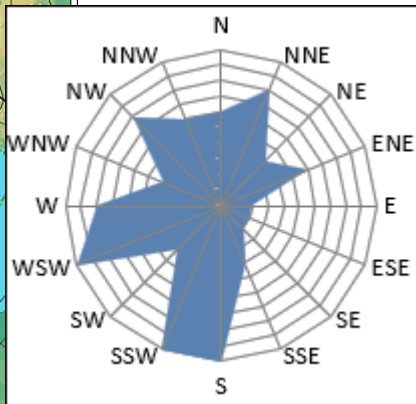
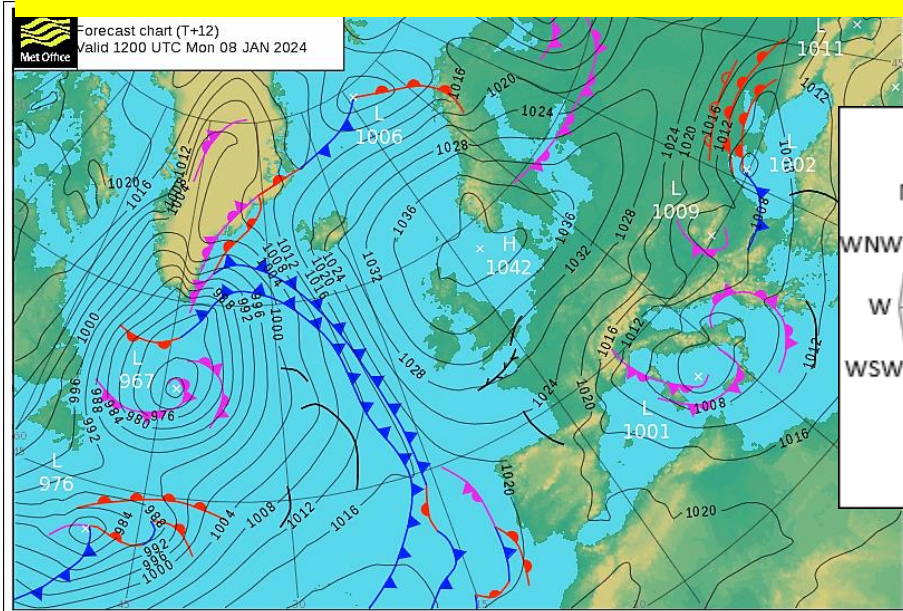




Weather in Ansty

JANUARY 2024: MONTHLY TEMPERATURE MEAN 0.4 C DEG ABOVE AVERAGE; MONTHLY RAINFALL A LITTLE BELOW - MOST OF IT FALLING IN THE FIRST 4 DAYS! A SUNNY MONTH; QUITE WINDY AT TIMES; A FAIRLY SUNNY MONTH; A GOOD RUN OF NIGHT FROSTS.



Top left/middle— Early January saw large parts of South Wiltshire saw many rivers and streams swollen by excess surface run-off and groundwater – eerily similar to last year’s weather report!! A named storm Henck and its secondary depressions brought copious amounts of rain to the south. This caused flooding around low-lying Salisbury and outlying villages - (pics from Salisbury Journal).

Top right- A wide band of rain courtesy of the depression (Henck) that brought consistent rain to the bulk of the UK during the first 4 days of January 24. 02-01-2024.

Far left- For a change, a welcome anticyclone centred to the south of Scandinavia brought us more settled, drier, but colder conditions. 08-01-24

Left- Wind Rose – Two dominant phases this month: early to mid-January mostly from a N direction; the rest of month saw very mild winds from the SW.

ANSTY WEATHER OBSERVATIONS JANUARY 2024 SUMMARY

2024 JAN	TEMPERATURE C			PRESSURE mb	RAIN ins	WIND mph			AV HUM%	WEATHER OBSERVATIONS
	MIN	MAX	MEAN			DIR	SPEED	MAX GUST		
1	4.3	11.5	7.9	991	0.65	S	3.7	18.7	94	A few bright intervals early, becoming mainly cloudy; rain by mid pm with heavy bursts after dark. Mild
2	8.4	12.5	10.5	982	0.41	WSW	4.2	23.6	93	Storm Henk- persistent rain and windy spell of weather to our areas, clearing by pm. minor flooding in parts of our locality
3	7	11.2	9.1	997	0.08	W	2.7	14.9	92	Quieter day. Mild. Large amounts of cloud; some glimpses of the sun. Several light showers through the day and after dark.
4	3	7	5.0	994	1.02	N	3.1	17.6	95	Red Sky in the morning. Then cloud milking over. Persistent rain early pm onwards. Widespread flooding in many areas
5	2.3	8.3	5.3	1009	0.00	NW	1.7	9.8	94	A much drier, quieter day although everywhere waterlogged. Some sunny spells but some cloud at times. Cooler feel.
6	0.2	7.3	3.8	1021	0.00	NNW	2.0	12.1	92	Mainly dry. With large amounts of cloud but also some sunshine and bright spells. Feeling cooler.
7	-1.6	4	1.2	1031	0.00	NNE	2.7	13.0	86	Dry. Frost early. With fair amount of cloud at times but also some some sunshine and bright spells. V Cold breeze
8	-2.4	2.8	0.2	1031	0.00	ENE *	2.5	14.1	84	Mostly dry. Wind Chill. Bright, clouding over; snow flurries by pm; snow shower late pm (dusting) subliming overnight. Cold
9	-1	2	0.5	1028	0.00	NNE	2.4	10.2	83	Quite a bright but cold day with a notable breeze at times; wind chill; Very dry. Some cloud
10	-1.1	4.3	1.6	1029	0.00	NE	3.2	14.3	84	A sunny day after overnight frost; noticeable wind chill. Dry air. Traces of snow left in shady areas.
11	-1	4.2	1.6	1038	0.00	NNE	2.8	15.4	89	Another fine day after a slight overnight frost. More cloud though becoming overcast by mid pm. Still cold and dry.
12	2.2	4.4	3.3	1033	0.00	ENE *	1.9	10.1	88	A mostly cloudy day but remaining dry. Slightly milder; frost has disappeared. A few brighter spells but not much.
13	-0.4	2.3	1.0	1020	0.00	NW	1.0	6.6	91	Another cloudy, dry and cold day; just a hint of brightness occasionally.
14	0.2	7	3.6	1011	0.00	WNW	1.4	9.4	92	Another overcast start to the day but some breaks in the morning with sunshine before clouding over again. Milder
15	-6.7	3.6	-1.6	1013	0.00	W	2.4	14.5	83	Frosty start. A sunny, cold day with a cold breeze. Some high cloud but not much
16	-8.3	6.3	-1.0	1001	0.00	SSW	1.2	9.6	88	A rather cloudy day with the odd glimpses of sun shining through altostratus. Cold again
17	-4	1.8	-1.1	994	0.00	N	2.4	14.8	88	A very sharp penetrating frost; a very cold day. Wall to wall sunshine
18	-8	3.2	-2.4	1012	0.00	NNW	2.3	13.8	81	Another day very similar to yesterday. Long spells of bright sunshine. A cold breeze at times.
19	-9.1	6.5	-1.3	1024	0.00	SSW	1.2	8.3	87	Another bright sunny day after a very sharp frost again. Milder today. SW drift setting in.
20	0.1	5.9	3.0	1017	0.02	S	4.1	17.8	82	Slight frost early. A film of cloud early; bright for the most part. SW breeze set in. Becoming milder. Rain before midnight
21	4.8	11.7	8.3	998	0.49	SSW	7.3	34.7	93	Some rain overnight; bright start soon clouding over; spots rain breezy; strong winds and rain after dark
22	4.7	11.8	8.3	1019	0.18	W	3.8	27.1	87	Some rain overnight. Bright start. A blustery day with a few light showers around, but mainly dry. Mild Breezy at first.
23	4.2	12.1	8.2	1013	0.25	WSW	4.3	20.4	96	A cloudy damp day with light rain petering out. Very mild; becoming breezier after dark
24	3	12	7.5	1029	0.00	WSW	2.5	24.7	86	A cloudy damp start - soon brightening up. Then a day of sunny intervals and amounts of cloud.
25	3.4	11.9	7.7	1020	0.07	SSW	2.7	16.4	97	Cloudy, damp start. Some drizzle. Remaining mostly cloudy but mainly dry later. Drizzle well after dark. Mild
26	-2.8	11.6	4.4	1035	0.09	WSW	3.3	21.5	85	Light rain early hours. A bright frosty start. sunshine throughout the day. Feeling fresher but just as mild by afternoon.
27	-3.6	8.2	2.3	1028	0.00	SSE	2.3	14.0	91	Sharp frost early; rather more thin high cloud and noticeably cooler- but still dry and bright during the day
28	4.3	11.7	8.0	1020	0.00	S	3.6	13.8	91	Milder today. Bright start with thin high cloud and some sun; Remaining dry with sunny spells but rather cloudy at times.
29	9	11.8	10.4	1019	0.00	S	4.5	20.6	95	Cloudy start. Drizzle in the air. Mild. Remaining cloudy for most of the day. Occasional bright spell.
30	5.5	9.2	7.4	1034	0.00	NW	2.6	17.7	89	Another mostly cloudy day with some spots of drizzle occasionally but mainly dry. A cooler feel; but still mild.
31	4.6	10.4	7.5	1027	0.01	SW	2.4	13.6	87	A very similar day to yesterday! A classic cloudy anticyclone bringing mild moist Atlantic air over us all.
Averages	0.7	7.7	4.2	1016.7	3.27		2.8	15.9	89.1	
LTA	1.1	6.6	3.9		3.64	Long Term Average Data: Climatological Standard Baseline = Jan 1991 - December 2020 Wiltshire				
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