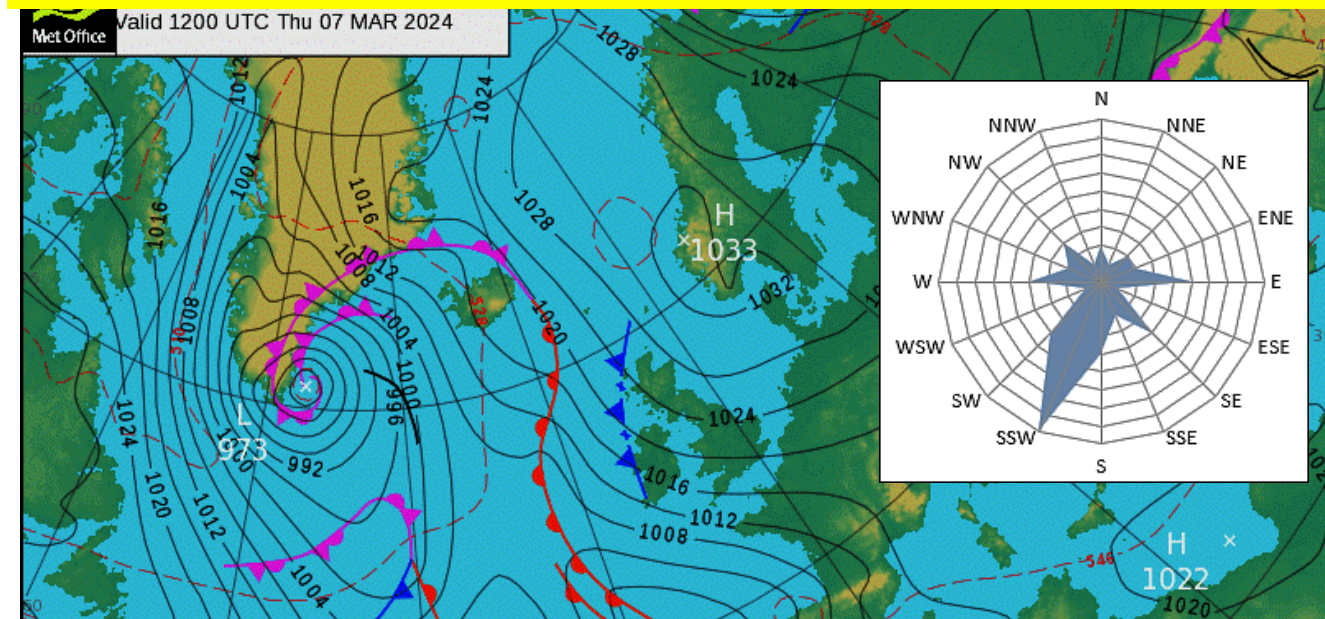




Weather in Ansty

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Top left- Same old story: another depression with its bands of rain has crossed the country from west to east. 01–03-24

Top middle- Another front (and another spell of rain) approaching us from the west at sunset after a dry fairly sunny day. 24-03-24

Top right- Always a sign of very turbulent air. Overnight rain gives way to brightness at dawn before another trough brings in a spell of heavy showery rain in the morning. 28-03-24

Bottom left- An anticyclone over Scandinavia gave us some respite with 3 quite sunny days along with dry and mild conditions 07-03-24

The wind rose once again shows how we were dominated by winds from the mild, moist south west quarter.

ANSTY WEATHER OBSERVATIONS MARCH 2024 SUMMARY

2024 MAR	TEMPERATURE C			PRESSURE mb	RAIN ins	WIND mph			AV HUM%	WEATHER OBSERVATIONS
	MIN	MAX	MEAN			DIR	SPEED	MAX GUST		
1	1.5	7.7	4.6	989	0.56	SE	4.9	30.5	91	Overnight rain into morning, clearing, followed by a day of sunshine and showers especially later. Cool, Breezy.
2	-1	8.5	3.8	995	0.24	SW	2.1	13.3	93	Overnight rain clearing before dawn. Slight frost followed by a day of cloud with short sunny spells and the threat of shower
3	-4.3	12.2	4.0	1007	0.00	SSW	1.5	8.2	82	A very frosty start with a little mist; followed by long sunny spells in the morning with cloud bubbling up later.
4	-3.3	8.3	2.5	1005	0.38	SSE	4.7	24.7	94	Frost and some mist, clearing quite early; sunny spells at first, soon clouding over rain by mid pm into the night.
5	-1.3	12.3	5.5	1017	0.07	NW	1.2	6.3	94	A damp cold morning with bits and pieces of light rain clearing to give short bright spells with cloud becoming milder
6	-3	11.8	4.4	1022	0.00	E	2.4	12.4	90	Misty, frosty start with some sun breaking through. Remaining fine throughout the day. Some cloud did bubble up. Dry
7	2	11.7	6.9	1014	0.00	E	3.3	14.7	88	Misty, murky start giving way to bright spells, some sunshine but a rather a lot of cloud. Breeze picking up from the east. Dry
8	2.6	11.9	7.3	999	0.00	ENE	3.8	17.0	83	Bright start to the day. Noticeable steady breeze. Long sunny spells am; milking over pm into dusk. Mild. Dry. Nice Day
9	5.3	11.3	8.3	991	0.21	E	3.3	13.5	88	Light rain early. Milder. Breaks in the cloud, some sunny intervals into pm. Clouding over later. Light rain after dark.
10	4	12.8	8.4	998	0.16	N	1.4	8.2	93	Damp start after rain early hours. Milder. The cloudy theme remained throughout the day though it remained essentially dr
11	4.5	9	6.8	1012	0.01	W	2.6	11.3	94	Another mostly cloudy day. Drizzle first thing but then essentially dry but remaining cloudy with little brightness
12	5	13.4	9.2	1012	0.38	SW	3.0	14.3	93	Wet start to the day. Petering out in the morning. Remaining mostly cloudy throughout. The occasional bright spell. Mild
13	9.9	12.4	11.2	1011	0.00	SSW	4.5	18.1	92	A cloudy but dry start. Remaining predominantly cloudy but with glimpses of sunshine pm. Dry, Mild and breezy
14	9.1	14.1	11.6	1003	0.13	SSW	4.7	19.6	94	Damp start with light showers; clearing to give some sunny spells before clouding over with rain mid pm. Very mild in sun
15	4.1	13.8	9.0	1011	0.31	SW	3.3	14.5	94	Cloudy start becoming a showery day with some bright sunshine in between. Mild
16	-0.9	10.5	4.8	1018	0.03	S	3.0	14.1	94	Bright start with slight frost; quickly clouding over, remaining so for the rest of the day. Spots of rain early & late. Less Mild
17	7.5	15.8	11.7	1014	0.26	SSW	2.0	14.1	92	Light rain early, clearing to give some short sunny spells but often cloudy. Very mild
18	4.3	13.9	9.1	1014	0.05	SSW	3.5	14.9	92	Drizzle first thing; remaining mostly cloudy and damp with the odd brightness; and a light shower or two. Mild
19	10	12.5	11.3	1016	0.11	S	3.5	14.3	95	A similar drizzly start to yesterday; remaining mostly overcast with pockets of drizzle throughout. Mild
20	6.6	16.9	11.8	1022	0.01	NW	1.3	7.7	90	cloudy damp start- low cloud. Clearing to give a dry day with weak sunny spells and variable cloud. Very mild - even war
21	8.2	15.9	12.1	1023	0.00	SSW	1.8	12.1	92	Damp misty start, clearing to give a rather cloudy day but with some short sunny spells. Very mild and dry.
22	3.9	12.2	8.1	1017	0.04	WNW	2.7	15.6	88	Another grey start to the day. Bits and pieces of rain am; clearing to brighter afternoon. Cooler
23	2.6	9.2	5.9	1012	0.11	W	3.6	19.4	86	Cold sunny start. Cloud soon building with a fresh breeze and some showers - some with hail in them. Cold feel
24	3	12.7	7.9	1009	0.00	W	3.9	18.3	81	A cool start with sunshine but very soon cloud building. A milder day with sunny spells and variable cloud. Essentially dry.
25	5.5	11.1	8.3	992	0.12	SE	3.4	17.3	86	Damp start after overnight rain; clearing to leave a rather cloudy day with some short sunny intervals.
26	6	12.8	9.4	983	0.27	S	2.5	11.5	92	A mostly cloudy start but dry morning; light rain spreading in pm and into the evening.
27	2.3	8.3	5.3	974	0.85	SE	4.2	21.4	94	Damp start then early brightness but showery rain moving in during morning followed by clearer spells and showers.
28	1.6	9.9	5.8	974	0.92	SSW	6.6	32.4	96	Rain early hours clearing before dawn; more showery rain through the day. Thunder heard Cool V Windy pm Storm Nelson
29	3.9	11.9	7.9	991	0.24	SSW	4.1	20.1	90	Damp start; clearing somewhat by mid morning. Then some brief sunny spells and light showers petering out pm
30	2.4	12.3	7.4	995	0.00	E	3.1	14.1	86	Bright, cool sunny start - becoming a bright mild day with good sunny intervals with some cumulus cloud. Pleasant.
31	3.1	14.8	9.0	990	0.69	ENE	2.5	12.0	89	Another fairly bright and dry day - but more cloud around. Essentially dry by day. Easterly breeze. Heavy Rain in evening
Averages	3.4	12.0	7.7	1004.2	6.15		3.2	15.7	90.5	
LTA	2.8	10.2	6.5		2.64	Long Term Average Data: Climatological Standard Baseline = Jan 1991 - December 2020				
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<u>Summary</u>		<i>One named storm: Storm Nelson.</i>								

