

Snow Closures and Changes for Wednesday's Storm: Schools, YMCA, Library

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Darien Public Schools will be closed Wednesday, and all school activities are postponed, the school district has announced.

The Darien YMCA and [Darien Library](#) have each also announced they'll be closed, too.

We'll update this list whenever we hear of other closures.

"Please check back for updates about Thursday morning," [the Y said](#) on its website.

Here's the school district's announcement:

"In anticipation of the pending snow storm tomorrow, the Darien Public Schools will be closed, tomorrow, Wednesday, March 7, 2018. All activities scheduled for tomorrow are cancelled and/or will be rescheduled for a later date. Please check the district website www.darienps.org for further updates."

Metro-North Cuts Back on Trains Wednesday

Here's an announcement from Metro-North:

On Wednesday (March 7) Metro-North will operate a reduced weekday schedule with some combined/cancelled trains during the AM and PM Peak.

Also on Wednesday, hourly service will commence after 8 p.m. to ensure customer safety during the storm. Customers should anticipate delays due to the effects of the winter storm throughout our service territory. Please travel only if necessary.

Customers can use our [interactive schedules page](#) for train times or use the Train Time App.

Please exercise caution getting to and from our stations and on our stairways and platforms, and listen for announcements.

The Weather Forecast for Darien

From the National Weather Service, a [Darien-specific](#) forecast as of 6:56 p.m., Tuesday:

Tuesday night

Snow likely, mainly after 5am. Increasing clouds, with a low around 33. Wind chill values between 25 and 30. East wind 7 to 11 mph. Chance of precipitation is 60%. Total nighttime snow accumulation of less than one inch possible.

Wednesday

Snow before 5pm, then rain and snow, possibly mixed with sleet. High near 37. Wind chill values between 25 and 30. Breezy, with an east wind 11 to 16 mph increasing to 17 to 22 mph in the afternoon. Winds could gust as high as 39 mph. Chance of precipitation is 100%. New snow and sleet accumulation of 3 to 5 inches possible.

Wednesday Night

Rain and snow, possibly mixed with sleet, becoming all snow after 8pm. Low around 33. Wind chill values

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between 20 and 25. Breezy, with a northwest wind 16 to 22 mph, with gusts as high as 32 mph. Chance of precipitation is 100%. New snow and sleet accumulation of 1 to 3 inches possible.

Thursday

A slight chance of rain and snow showers before 7am, then a slight chance of rain showers. Partly sunny, with a high near 41. Wind chill values between 25 and 35. West wind 11 to 14 mph. Chance of precipitation is 20%.

Thursday Night

A slight chance of rain showers before 9pm, then a slight chance of snow showers between 9pm and 3am. Mostly cloudy, with a low around 32. West wind 10 to 13 mph. Chance of precipitation is 20%.

Friday

Partly sunny, with a high near 41.