



FRESHWATER CAST · MONDAY CAST · OKLAHOMA · OK

Lake Thunderbird: Midweek Pattern — Largemouth bass

Monday Sep 21 – Thursday Sep 24, 2026 · Lake Thunderbird · bank, kayak & boat · Monday morning through Thursday evening focus · times CT

Mon ~86° · Thu ~87°

NWS OUN · Norman, OK

Primary: Largemouth bass

● MIDWEEK OUTLOOK

NWS OUN (Norman, OK) for the pin: **Monday** ~86°F, Mostly Sunny (~12% precip); **Tuesday** ~86°F, Mostly Sunny (~5% precip); **Wednesday** ~86°F, Mostly Sunny (~4% precip); **Thursday** ~87°F, Partly Sunny (~9% precip). Times in this Cast are Central Time (CT). This Cast window is **Mon morning through Thu evening** — weekend leftovers are outside scope.

Primary species focus: **Largemouth bass** (localized, not bass-by-default). Forage cue: Shad / bluegill — Norman / OKC metro reservoir. Dam/current: Municipal / ODWC — pool management; wind mudlines common.

MONDAY SEP 21

~86°F

Mostly Sunny · ~12% precip · 3 to 9 mph NNE

Primary window: dawn through mid-morning;
second chance late day

Mostly sunny, with a high near 86. North
northeast wind 3 to 9 mph....

Local times below use **Monday** water zone

TUESDAY SEP 22

~86°F

Mostly Sunny · ~5% precip · 6 to 10 mph NE

Primary window: dawn through mid-morning;
second chance late day

Mostly sunny, with a high near 86. Northeast
wind 6 to 10 mph....

Local times below use **Tuesday** water zone

WEDNESDAY SEP 23

~86°F

Mostly Sunny · ~4% precip · 7 mph ENE

Primary window: dawn through mid-morning;
second chance late day

Mostly sunny, with a high near 86....

Local times below use **Wednesday** water zone

THURSDAY SEP 24

~87°F

Partly Sunny · ~9% precip · 6 mph SE

Primary window: dawn through mid-morning;
second chance late day

Partly sunny, with a high near 87....

Local times below use **Thursday** water zone

• DAM & CURRENT / GENERATOR SCHEDULE CHEAT SHEET

Municipal / ODWC — pool management; wind mudlines common.

Re-check boards evening-before and morning-of. Access: ODWC Lake Thunderbird State Park ramps.

• HOW TO FISH IT — BANK / KAYAK / BOAT

BANK

State park shoreline.

KAYAK

Leeward coves when south
wind builds.

BOAT

Creek arms and points; soft
plastics and spinnerbaits.

• ETHANOL-FREE FUEL NEAR THIS WATER

PURE-GAS.ORG E0 · NORMAN / MIDWEST CITY CORRIDOR

Source: [Pure-Gas.org](https://pure-gas.org) · gather note **Sun Sep 20, 2026 · ~8:50 PM CT**

Pure-Gas.org — verify at pump. Cross-check [GasBuddy](https://gasbuddy.com) for posted price the morning you launch.

Caveat: Station identity from Pure-Gas.org; prices move — verify grade (E0) and price at the pump.
Freshwater Cast does not guarantee availability.

• LURE BOX — TOP / MID / BOTTOM

TOP

Walking bait / popper at dawn

Buzzbait on cloudy edges

Whopper-style for wind ripples

MID

Spinnerbait / chatter on points

Fluke / soft jerk (shad)

Squarebill on rock / wood

BOTTOM

Jig / creature in cover

Ned / shaky on clear rock

Dropshot when pressured

• BASS LIFE STAGE + WHAT'S ON THE MENU

Primary: Largemouth bass — late-summer / early-fall transition into midweek cool-down. Fish relating to bait and shade / current depending on water.

What's on the menu: Shad / bluegill — Norman / OKC metro reservoir.

• ALSO HOT / ALSO IN SEASON

- **Crappie** — in season / bycatch on this water
- **Catfish** — in season / bycatch on this water
- **Saugeye** — in season / bycatch on this water

Localized primary species policy LOCKED — not bass-by-default.

• HEAVY TRAFFIC

Watch: Metro OKC pressure — weekday mornings best.

No named national trail weigh-in confirmed for this Mon–Thu window at gather time — re-check local club calendars morning-of. Commercial / recreation traffic still applies on rivers and destination lakes.

• LOOKING AHEAD

WINDOW

Mon–Thu

through Thu evening CT

NEXT GATHER

Thu 11pm local

Friday Cast

SOURCES

NWS OUN · Pure-Gas.org · GasBuddy · USACE/GRDA/ODNR boards as applicable · pin 35.2208,-97.2181