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LAIKIPIA COUNTY WEEKLY WEATHER FORECAST VALID 08 - 14 September, 2026

SUMMARY

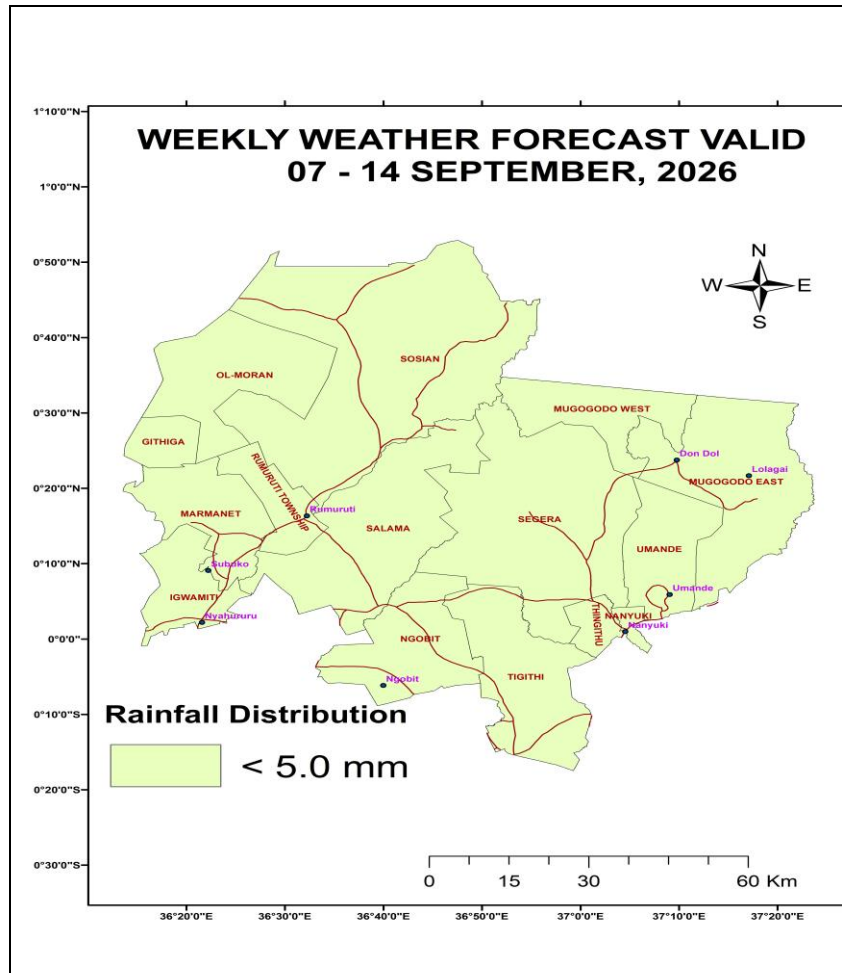
Weather Forecast for 08 – 14 September, 2026 indicates;

- Sunny and dry conditions are expected over Most places
- However, some occasional/isolated light to moderate showers and thunderstorms are likely over a few Places mainly over Nyahururu in Laikipia West and a few places over Nanyuki and Umande in Laikipia East
- Strong Southerly winds with speeds > 25Knots remains dominant over most places in Laikipia North and parts of Laikipia East
- The Maximum day time temperatures are expected to rise slightly ranging between 24°C – 30°C while the Minimum night time temperatures are likely to range 05 - 16°C
- Minimum Temperatures below 10.0°C are likely around Nyahururu, Marmanet and the regions adjacent to Mt Kenya

Weather review 01 – 07 September, 2026

- Light to moderate amounts of rainfall were recorded in Nanyuki, parts of Umande and a few other areas
- *Comparing the last two weeks the precipitation amounts decreased over most places*
- The day time maximum temperatures increased over several places while the night time minimum temperatures varied from place to place.

Expected Rainfall Distribution for the Next Seven Days (08 - 14 September, 2026)



Less than 5.0 mm of the cumulative weekly rainfall is predicted as shown in the adjacent rainfall forecast Map

The predicted rainfall is likely mainly on Tuesday and in the second half of the forecasting period.

DETAILED WEATHER FORECAST FOR THE NEXT SEVEN DAYS 08 – 14 September, 2026

REGION	TIME	TUESDAY 08/09/2026	WEDNESDAY 09/09/2026	THURSDAY 10/09/2026	FRIDAY 11/09/2026	SATURDAY 12/09/2026	SUNDAY 13/09/2026	MONDAY 14/09/2026
LAIKIPIA NORTH	Morning	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny	Cloudy/Sunny	Sunny	Cloudy/Sunny
	Afternoon	Sunny Intervals	Sunny Intervals	Sunny Intervals	Sunny Intervals	Showers over Few Places	Sunny Intervals	Showers over Few Places
	Night	Partly Cloudy	Partly Cloudy	Partly Cloudy	Partly Cloudy	Partly Cloudy	Partly Cloudy	Partly Cloudy
TEMPS	Max/Min	28/14	27/14	28/14	29/13	28/13	30/14	30/14
LAIKIPIA EAST	Morning	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny	Cloudy/Sunny	Cloudy/Sunny	Cloudy/Sunny	Cloudy/Sunny
	Afternoon	Showers & TS over Few Places	Showers & TS over Few Places	Showers & TS over Few places	Showers over Few places	Showers & TS over Few Places	Showers over Few Places	Showers over Few Places
	Night	Partly Cloudy	Partly Cloudy	Partly Cloudy	Partly Cloudy	Partly Cloudy	Partly Cloudy	Partly Cloudy
TEMPS	Max/Min	26/10	27/12	27/12	27/11	26/12	27/12	28/12
LAIKIPIA WEST	Morning	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny	Cloudy/Sunny
	Afternoon	Showers & TS over Few Places	Showers over Few Places	Sunny Intervals	Sunny Intervals	Showers over Few Places	Showers & TS over Few Places	Showers over Few Places
	Night	Partly/Cloudy	Partly Cloudy	Partly Cloudy	Partly Cloudy	Partly Cloudy	Partly Cloudy	Partly Cloudy
TEMPS	Max/Min	27/10	25/10	26/12	27/11	27/12	28/12	28/12

➤ **TS - Thunderstorms**

COMPARING CUMMULATED RAINFALL AMOUNTS FOR THE LAST TWO WEEKS

STATION	25 – 31 August, 2026	01 – 07 September, 2026
Lariak Sec School	4.4 mm	0.3 mm
Sipili	Nil	Nil
Ngárua (Kinamba – AWS)	Nil	Nil
Rumuruti	-	-
Muhotetu CC	-	-
Mutara Orchards (Office Area)	Nil	Nil
Ngobit Police Stn. AWS	-	-
Lamuria MET. Station	Nil	Nil
Nanyuki MET. Station	Nil	2.7 mm
Three Rivers Academy	Nil	Nil
Ol Mysor Sosian	-	-
Mugie Conservancy (Centre)	Nil	Nil
Survey Sec. Sch. AWS	-	-
Kimanjo Pri. Sch AWS	Nil	Nil
Dol Dol Boys Sch. (AWS)	Nil	0.1 mm
Lokusero Sec. Sch. AWS	Nil	0.1 mm
Lol-Daiga Stations		
1). Barrier	Nil	Nil
2). Northern	Nil	Nil
Ol Pejeta Rainfall Stations		
1). Kamock	Nil	Nil
2). OPC HQ site	Nil	Nil
3). Golf 3	Nil	Nil
4). Oscar 2 - 5	Nil	Nil
5). Research	Nil	Nil
7). Mutara (Zulu 3)	Nil	Nil
Ol Jogi Conservancy Rainfall Stations		
1). Main House	Nil	Nil
2). Marula	Nil	Nil
Borana Conservancy Rainfall Stations		
1). Headquarters	Nil	Nil
2). Waitabit	Nil	Nil

KEY SCIENTIFIC TERMS USED IN THE FORECAST			
RAINFALL CATEGORIES		RAINFALL COVERAGE	
< 5 mm	Light	TERMs	MEANING
5 – 20 mm	Moderate	Most places	Between 67% and 100%
20 – 50 mm	Heavy	Several Places	Between 33% and 67%
> 50 mm	Very heavy	Few places	Below 33%
TERM	AREA AFFECTED (%)	TERM	TIME COVERAGE (%)
Isolated	Less than 25%	Occasional	Less than 25%
Scattered	25 – 50 %	Intermittent	25 – 50%
Numerous	51 – 70 %	Frequent	51 – 75%
Widespread	Over 70%	Very Frequent/Common	More than 75%
TERM		PROBABILITY (%)	DECSRIPTIONS
Possible		10 – 30 %	There is low Confidence
Chance of /May		31 – 50 %	There is moderate confidence
Likely		51 – 75 %	The event is more probable than not
Expected		76 – 90 %	There is high confidence
Very Likely		91 – 99 %	There is very high confidence. Almost certain
Certain		100 %	The event is guaranteed to occur

Note; *It's important to follow up this weekly forecast with the 24hr forecast issued daily by the Kenya Meteorological Department.*



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