MONTHLY WEATHER REVIEW - ARMIDALE NSW JUNE 2022

June 2022 was a dry cool to cold month with sunny days and frosty nights.

It was an unusually dry month with rain falling on just three days totalling 10.2 millimetres, 45 mm less than the average. It was the driest June since 2001 which recorded only 4.4 mm. The rain fell on the 1st, 4th and 8th after which there were 22 consecutive dry days to the end of the month, with rain falling again on 1st July.

Day temperatures were close to normal, but overnight minimums were a little cooler than normal due to numerous clear nights. There were no notable temperature extremes.

Winds were mostly light to moderate westerlies which is normal for this time of year.

There were 20 frosts, and no thunderstorms, hail or snowfalls.

There were no noteworthy events.

JUNE 2022 STATISTICS (long term averages in brackets)

Rainfall: 10.2 mm (54.9 mm)

Rain days: 3 (10)

2021 rainfall total Jan to Jun: 476.0 mm (396.9 mm)

Average maximum temp: 12.7 deg (13.2 deg) Average minimum temp: -0.8 deg (0.9 deg) Highest maximum temp: 16.5 deg on 25th Lowest maximum temp: 7.5 deg on 10th Highest minimum temp: 6.0 deg on 4th Lowest minimum temp: -5.6 deg on 26th

Fine sunny days: 16 (13) Ideal weather days: 3 (3)

Days with thunderstorms: 0 (0.5)

Days with frosts: 20 (16) light: 2, moderate: 13, severe: 5

Days with fogs: 0 (4)

Wind direction at airport at 3pm & number of days: W: 18, SW: 3, E: 3, SE: 2, N: 2, NE: 1, NW: 1

Average daily pan evaporation: 1.2 mm (1.2 mm)

Armidale weather on-line: www.weatherarmidale.com