

UK BATTERED BY MONSTER STORMS

There have been lots of storms over the UK in the past year, but the worst one was Barney, which happened over the 17th and 18th of November with very high winds of 85mph. Over 6,000 were without power in Derbyshire, Shropshire and Worcestershire alone. To prevent more injuries the Environment agency warned everyone to stop taking 'storm selfies'. During this storm a train line was broken causing many delays.

Storm Eva was the Christmas storm, raging from the 22nd to the 24th of December in Ireland and the North West of England at 84mph. It caused lots of flooding in Cumbria, mainly in the towns of Appleby, Keswick and Kendal.

Storm Jake is the most recent storm, hitting the UK on the 2nd of March. It mainly affected Ireland but also hit parts of the UK. In Ireland it reached gusts of 81mph.

The names of all the recent storms are:

Abigail

Barney

Clodagh (Clo-da)

Desmond

Eva

Frank

Gertrude

Henry

Imogen

Jake



Does today's sunny weather signal the end of this seasons' storms? Or is it just the calm before yet another storm?