

Botetourt County

- ◆ Approximately 5 miles west-southwest of Fincastle.
- ◆ Time: 6:25 p.m. to 6:31 p.m.
- ◆ Strength: EF-0, 80 to 85 mph.
- ◆ Width: 75 yards.
- ◆ Length: 1.2 miles.
- ◆ No injuries.
- ◆ All damage consisted of uprooted or snapped trees.
- ◆ This was only the third tornado on record in Botetourt County, and the first since April 28, 2011.

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- ◆ Time: 5:40 a.m. to 6 a.m.
- ◆ Strength: EF-2, 130 to 135 mph.

- ◆ Width: 500 yards.
- ◆ Length: 15.6 miles.
- ◆ Five injured.

◆ The tornado began near Windmill Point, then reached its peak width and strength near Antipoison Neck and Poplar Neck, where many homes had significant roof and structural damage. The tornado weakened slightly as it moved north, crossing the eastern side of Kilmarnock. A path of downed trees and damage to siding continued into Northumberland County, but the tornado dissipated before reaching Heathsville.

◆ This was the first tornado since Aug. 7, 2017, for Lancaster County, and the first since April 15, 2019, for Northumberland.

Northumberland County (second)

◆ Fleeton to Buzzards Point, south and west of Reedville.

- ◆ Time: 6:06 a.m. to 6:09 a.m.
- ◆ Strength: EF-1, 100 to 105 mph.

- ◆ Width: 100 yards.
- ◆ Length: 2.2 miles.
- ◆ No reported injuries.
- ◆ Several homes saw roof and siding damage, along with snapped and uprooted trees. The tornado moved onto land from the Chesapeake Bay, and twice crossed the Wicomico River.



Details are also available about an Aug. 1 tornado, unrelated to Tropical Storm Isaias.