

Jack's Nature Journal  
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On our walk this morning, the sky was mostly clear, just blue stretching as far as the eye could see, except where it was broken up by small cirrocumulus and cumulus clouds. These clouds filled only 1 okta of the sky. The wind was blowing so hard that at times it sounded like a car coming up behind us, but I was only able to record 5 mph from the West. The air pressure is 30.21 inHg, the humidity is 35% and the temperatures are 27°F and -2.8°C. It actually started out this morning at 9°F! Brrr. There is a lot of snow around, and the wind makes it drift into interesting shapes.

This morning we saw some very cute robins and some birds that we thought were robins, but turned out to be Cedar Waxwings. Cedar Waxwings sure have big eye-brows (that's what it looks like, anyway)! We also saw some sparrows and what might have been a male Downy Woodpecker.