FRESHWATER CAST · MONDAY CAST

Monday Cast live · Nov 16–18, 2026

Weather
National Weather Service forecast for Alamo area

Alamo

Arizona

Mon Nov 16 – Wed Nov 18, 2026 · Mountain Standard Time · Largemouth

BITE ODDS · THIS CAST

2/10

Stay off the water

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PRESSURE	STORMS	WIND	SKY / RAIN	BASS STAGE	CROWD
~ 11°F swing	– Lightning in forecast	– Up to 15 mph · open-water chop	– Rain up to ~56%	~ Fall transition · turnover	+ Weekday · lighter traffic

WEEK Early-week setup on this water — highs **69–79°F**, lows **45–56°F**, rain chance up to **~56%**. Story is the wet stretch — bite windows ride the rain timing, not the calendar.

THREE-DAY WEATHER

MONDAY NOV 16

79° F high

LOW	56°F
SKY	Partly Sunny
WIND	ESE 3–9 mph
RAIN	~56%
SUN	7:08 AM / 5:29 PM

Frame: Wet day — fish the front side of the rain; slow down and stay close to cover after it passes.

TUESDAY NOV 17

69° F high

LOW	45°F
SKY	Chance Showers And Thunderstorms then Mostly Sunny
WIND	SW 3–15 mph
RAIN	~43%
SUN	7:09 AM / 5:29 PM

Frame: Breeziest day — use ripple on wind-blown banks and points; open-water chop is higher risk.

WEDNESDAY NOV 18

69° F high

LOW	46°F
SKY	Sunny
WIND	ESE 3 mph
RAIN	~0%
SUN	7:10 AM / 5:28 PM

Frame: Stable day — first-light moving bait, then slow down around shade and cover once the sun is up.

Window: Mon–Wed · Air: ESE → SW · Bite window: dawn + last light

HOW TO FISH THIS WEATHER

MORNING

- Shallow cover, points, creek mouths
- **First light (7:08 AM MST) → ~9 AM**
- Use any ripple as cover

MIDDAY

- Shade lines, docks, deeper edges
- Electronics for bait height first
- Slow down once the sun is overhead

EVENING

- Revisit shallow shade as sun drops
- Topwater if the surface lays down
- Weekday traffic is lighter — work quiet pockets

FALL TRANSITION **Largemouth plan: Follow shad into the backs of creeks and flats 1-10 ft; spinnerbait, squarebill and topwater at a fast pace.**

BIOLOGY

BASS STAGE

Largemouth are in the fall transition — following bait into creeks and onto flats as water cools. Possible turnover window on stratified reservoirs — the bite can go off for a few days.

Basis: estimated water ~66°F — 75-day observed air record (NOAA

NATURAL FORAGE

Threadfin shad, bluegill, and crawfish are the main forage at Alamo. Shad move along points and cove mouths at dawn, while bluegill and crawfish live in flooded brush.

ALSO BITING

Crappie are a major draw at Alamo; fish small jigs and minnows around submerged brush at dawn and dusk. Channel catfish bite on cut bait at night.

PRESSURE

Weekday traffic — lighter than the weekend. Fish early, give ramps and swim areas room.

ACIS) lagged for a lake (14-day response); no water-temperature gauge on the lake; air record trending falling

DAM & WATER — GENERATION SCHEDULE

FIXED Dam-controlled water. No generation schedule posted by USACE SPL for Mon Nov 16 – Wed Nov 18 — check the operator page the morning you fish; releases and pool levels change daily. Stay outside buoyed restricted zones.

ITEM	NOTE	SOURCE
Alamo Dam	No generation schedule posted by USACE SPL for Mon Nov 16 – Wed Nov 18 Observed: pool 1,129.61 ft (Mon 4:00 AM CT)	USACE SPL
Permit / regs	The best shore access is inside Alamo Lake State Park, near the main boat ramp and along the day-use and campground shoreline, where flooded brush and rocky points sit within casting distance.	
Clarity	Will be glassy, making stained water and flooded cover your best friends.	

ACCESS — BANK / KAYAK / BOAT

BANK

The best shore access is inside Alamo Lake State Park, near the main boat ramp and along the day-use and campground shoreline, where flooded brush and rocky points sit within casting distance. Pay the park entry fee and follow posted rules.

KAYAK

Launch from the main boat ramp early, before the sun gets high. On breezy, stay in protected coves and work flooded brush with a weedless soft plastic or a small spinnerbait. are calm, making this a good time to paddle into the upper arms toward the Santa Maria or Big Sandy.

BOAT

Launch at first light from the Alamo Lake State Park main boat ramp. Spend the first two hours on points and the edges of flooded brush with topwater, spinnerbaits, and squarebills. Mid-morning, move to deeper brush and creek channel edges and fish Texas rigs and jigs slowly.

LURE BOX

TOP

Walking bait or popper at dawn around flooded brush, best on calm. Buzzbait along wind-blown banks morning.

MID

Chartreuse-white spinnerbait on the points. Squarebill around brush and rock transitions. Swimbait on a weedless hook through flooded cover.

BOTTOM

Green pumpkin or junebug Texas-rigged worm in brush. Jig with a craw trailer on channel edges. Drop shot along deeper brush during the hottest part of the day.