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Moscow Greets First Summer Night With Sub-Zero Temperatures

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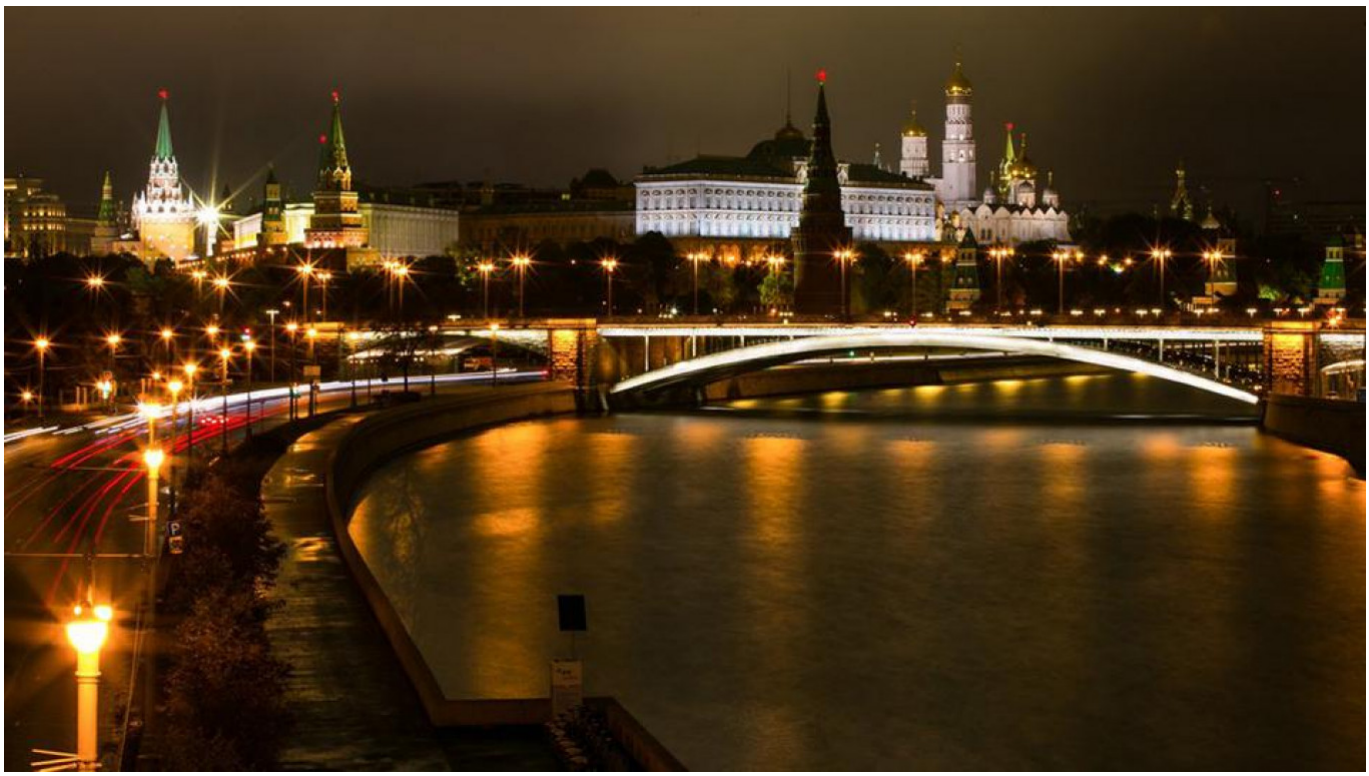

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Just as Muscovites thought they could put away their winter clothes for the season, the weather brought in a cold front to remind folks of what it was like to be in the city just a few months ago.

Certain parts of Moscow saw temperatures dip below zero degrees Celsius overnight on the first day of the summer, the Fobos meteorological center reported Friday.

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The negative 1.7 degrees Celsius recorded in the Moscow region was not seen on the night of June 1 since the historic low of minus 1.8 degrees in 1881, the Meteonovosti weather portal reported.

Despite this false start to the summer, forecasters expect the weekend in Moscow to be a

warm 24 degrees and free of rain.

The rest of the week, however, looks to be on the cloudy side with temperatures expected in the high-teens.

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