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FLOODS IN TOMELLOSO

On 5th April 2021, a very strange event, probably related to climate change, happened. It started with heavy rain at about 3pm, when we were all eating. In my case, I was having a pizza while we were listening to the sound of heavy rain through the windows, as is usually the case, so we didn't pay any attention.

But suddenly we got a call from my uncle, water was leaking under his garage door and it was getting flooded

We hadn't even noticed, it had been raining for an hour and the whole town was flooded, so my dad ran to my uncle's house to help him drain the water out of the house. But it wasn't just his house that was flooded, it was also my friend's. He lives in a residential area and all the neighbours had to come out of their houses to help each other. It took them over two hours to get the water out of the house and a lot of furniture was damaged. My uncle's sofa was damaged and he had to buy a new one because it was completely destroyed.

In the last three years, these events have become more and more frequent and it is obvious that most of them are caused by global warming.

We now have more extreme weather. We have some droughts that last over two months and all the rain that should fall in one year comes in just a few days.

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