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00:00:01,920 --> 00:00:06,620

Good day and welcome to Mission Control Houston where the team of flight controllers is watching

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00:00:06,620 --> 00:00:12,090

over the activities of the Expedition 33 crew aboard the International Space Station.

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00:00:12,090 --> 00:00:16,840

Six crew members continuing their work and research aboard the orbiting outpost commanded

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00:00:16,840 --> 00:00:18,380

by Suni Williams.

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00:00:18,380 --> 00:00:26,010

The other American on orbit now, Kevin Ford, after his recent arrival in late October aboard

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00:00:26,010 --> 00:00:28,660

Soyuz TMA-06M spacecraft.

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00:00:28,660 --> 00:00:36,679

Also onboard are Yuri Malenchenko who has been on, with Suni Williams since their arrival

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00:00:36,679 --> 00:00:38,770

at the complex in July.

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00:00:38,770 --> 00:00:45,219

And Akihiko Hoshide of the Japan Aerospace Exploration Agency who rode up to the space

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00:00:45,219 --> 00:00:47,829

station with the other two crew members.

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00:00:47,829 --> 00:00:54,680

Ford rode up with two Russian Federal Space Agency cosmonauts, Oleg Novitskiy and Evgeny

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Tarelkin.

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00:00:55,819 --> 00:01:01,199

And they arrived at the International Space Station on Oct. 25 and will be there through

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00:01:01,199 --> 00:01:03,499

March next year.

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00:01:03,499 --> 00:01:09,630

Today's activities aboard the International Space Station are going to focus primarily

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00:01:09,630 --> 00:01:19,090

on preparations of the new three crew members for their activities aboard the space station,

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00:01:19,090 --> 00:01:26,650

after they depart, after the other three crew members depart and on preparations for the

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00:01:26,650 --> 00:01:33,229

departure of Suni Williams, Yuri Malenchenko and Aki Hoshide, which is scheduled for Sunday,

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00:01:33,229 --> 00:01:34,610

Nov. 18.

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00:01:34,610 --> 00:01:39,969

Today they're working on maintenance of the Waste and Hygiene Compartment which is

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00:01:39,969 --> 00:01:44,850

essentially the toilet system on the US operating segment of the space station.

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00:01:44,850 --> 00:01:49,640

There are two toilets that are basically the same – one in the Russian segment, one in

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00:01:49,640 --> 00:01:50,640  
the US segment.

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00:01:50,640 --> 00:01:56,390  
This is some recorded video of Aki Hoshide as he worked through the final steps in replacing

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00:01:56,390 --> 00:02:03,520  
a dose pump which is used to insert a certain amount of pretreat liquid into the waste that

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00:02:03,520 --> 00:02:08,500  
is collected in the toilet and then that starts the recycling process that eventually results

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00:02:08,500 --> 00:02:15,170  
after a lot of filtering and processing in the water from the crew waste being used once

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00:02:15,170 --> 00:02:21,150  
again as clean drinking water aboard the International Space Station, minimizing the need to send

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00:02:21,150 --> 00:02:28,010  
water up to the space station aboard resupply craft and maximizing the uses of the resources

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00:02:28,010 --> 00:02:30,520  
aboard the space station.

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00:02:30,520 --> 00:02:34,200  
Yesterday the crew had a little bit of a hiccup at the start of their day as the local area

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00:02:34,200 --> 00:02:40,459  
network servers aboard the space station failed, and they have since restored all of those

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00:02:40,459 --> 00:02:44,510  
network servers and they're back to normal  
working conditions with the computer network

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00:02:44,510 --> 00:02:47,140  
of laptops aboard the space station.

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00:02:47,140 --> 00:02:50,230  
Those were never critical to the functioning  
of the space station.

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00:02:50,230 --> 00:02:55,189  
They were just used to share files and programs  
with the laptops the crew uses for their research

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00:02:55,189 --> 00:02:57,080  
and operations throughout the day.

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00:02:57,080 --> 00:03:03,819  
And they were able to replace the hard drives  
yesterday and then reboot the systems with

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00:03:03,819 --> 00:03:09,670  
images of the software that were already aboard  
and then do a little bit of uptake and make

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00:03:09,670 --> 00:03:14,610  
that all work well again.

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00:03:14,610 --> 00:03:20,849  
We do have a lot of activity as Kevin Ford  
gets ready to take command of the International

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00:03:20,849 --> 00:03:21,849  
Space Station.

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00:03:21,849 --> 00:03:26,750  
He'll be taking over for Suni Williams and

we have a lot of NASA TV coverage planned

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00:03:26,750 --> 00:03:33,299  
in the coming weeks of the departure of Suni Williams, Expedition 33 commander, and Yuri

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00:03:33,299 --> 00:03:38,739  
Malenchenko, the flight engineer and the Soyuz commander and Aki Hoshide of the Japan Aerospace

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00:03:38,739 --> 00:03:41,349  
Exploration Agency.

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00:03:41,349 --> 00:03:46,890  
That change of command ceremony is scheduled to be televised live.

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00:03:46,890 --> 00:04:07,950  
And we'll be bringing that to you at 1:15 p.m. central time on Saturday, Nov. 17.

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00:04:07,950 --> 00:04:14,640  
And then that ceremony Kevin Ford will officially take the reins of the International Space

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00:04:14,640 --> 00:04:22,120  
Station and then after Williams, Malenchenko and Hoshide depart, he and Oleg Novitskiy

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00:04:22,120 --> 00:04:28,070  
and Evgeny Tarelkin will be aboard the space station by themselves, and that will be until

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00:04:28,070 --> 00:04:32,390  
the arrival of the next three crew members going up to the space station, arrive there

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00:04:32,390 --> 00:04:35,600  
after a launch December the 19th.

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00:04:35,600 --> 00:04:40,250  
Tom Marshburn of NASA, Chris Hadfield of the  
Canadian Space Agency and Roman Romanenko

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00:04:40,250 --> 00:04:44,520  
of the Russian Federal Space Agency will be  
launching about 6:12 a.m. central time on

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00:04:44,520 --> 00:04:51,390  
December 19, and arriving at the space station  
on Dec. 21, just a few days before Christmas

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00:04:51,390 --> 00:04:53,260  
about 7:30 a.m.

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00:04:53,260 --> 00:04:54,260  
Central time.

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00:04:54,260 --> 00:04:59,200  
Back to the rundown of all the coverage that's  
coming up regarding the change of command

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00:04:59,200 --> 00:05:05,581  
ceremony and the departure, of course the  
change of command ceremony at 1:15 p.m. Central

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00:05:05,581 --> 00:05:09,060  
time on Nov. 17, on Saturday.

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00:05:09,060 --> 00:05:14,070  
The following day on Sunday at 12:45 we'll  
have farewell and hatch closure coverage.

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00:05:14,070 --> 00:05:17,320  
At 1:10 p.m. we'll have the hatch closure.

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00:05:17,320 --> 00:05:20,380  
And then at 4 p.m. we'll begin our undocking  
coverage.

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00:05:20,380 --> 00:05:25,550  
That'll be followed by the planned undocking  
from the space station of the Soyuz TMA-05M

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00:05:25,550 --> 00:05:28,040  
at 4:26 p.m.

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00:05:28,040 --> 00:05:31,970  
And then we'll have a slight break until  
our landing coverage begins at 6:30 p.m. and

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00:05:31,970 --> 00:05:37,810  
then landing is set for 7:53 p.m. central  
time as the Soyuz touches down on the steppe

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00:05:37,810 --> 00:05:38,810  
of Kazakhstan.

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00:05:38,810 --> 00:05:44,250  
We'll have post-landing video file at 9  
a.m. the following day on Monday.

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00:05:44,250 --> 00:05:47,430  
We'll include available interviews with  
the crew.

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00:05:47,430 --> 00:05:52,770  
Again all that coming up as we look for a  
change of command and a change in crew and

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00:05:52,770 --> 00:05:57,580  
look forward to the arrival of the next crew  
which will include what will eventually become

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00:05:57,580 --> 00:06:01,300  
the first Canadian commander of the International  
Space Station.

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00:06:01,300 --> 00:06:08,940

Here in Mission Control Houston Tomas Gonzales-Torres is in charge of the team, working with Clay

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00:06:08,940 --> 00:06:13,510

Anderson as the spacecraft communicator talking with the crew about the activities going on

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00:06:13,510 --> 00:06:17,870

aboard the space station, and they're working with control centers around the world to make

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sure operations aboard the space station continue smoothly.

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00:06:21,960 --> 00:06:29,410

Those command centers in Moscow, Munich and Tsukuba, Japan helping to make sure that all

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00:06:29,410 --> 00:06:34,630

the important research going on aboard the space station continues pace and that the