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00:00:00,506 --> 00:00:12,556  
[ Music ]

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00:00:13,056 --> 00:00:16,046  
>> It's Wednesday,  
May 29th, 2013.

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00:00:16,046 --> 00:00:16,496  
You're looking

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00:00:16,496 --> 00:00:19,256  
at the International Space  
Station Flight Control Room.

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00:00:19,716 --> 00:00:21,586  
Welcome to Mission  
Control Houston.

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00:00:22,046 --> 00:00:24,206  
This team is on consoles,

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00:00:24,206 --> 00:00:27,026  
while the crew aboard the  
International Space Station is

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00:00:27,266 --> 00:00:30,566  
sleeping after a busy  
Tuesday afternoon

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00:00:30,566 --> 00:00:33,966  
and evening aboard the complex,  
and of course on the ground.

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00:00:34,346 --> 00:00:36,416  
The team throughout  
the day is being led

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00:00:36,466 --> 00:00:38,696  
by veteran Flight

Director Brian Smith.

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00:00:38,696 --> 00:00:40,986

He's in a dual role today,

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00:00:40,986 --> 00:00:43,886

serving as not only the Flight Director, but also serving

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00:00:43,886 --> 00:00:46,096

as the communications link

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00:00:46,096 --> 00:00:48,206

between the flight control team here in Houston,

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00:00:48,666 --> 00:00:51,286

and the crew aboard the International Space Station,

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00:00:51,286 --> 00:00:54,076

since the crew primarily is off duty today,

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00:00:54,426 --> 00:00:57,816

although there is some troubleshooting work that's

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00:00:57,816 --> 00:01:01,776

going on with some video equipment onboard the station.

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00:01:02,226 --> 00:01:05,416

We now have a 6-member crew again aboard the International

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00:01:05,416 --> 00:01:06,336

Space Station.

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00:01:06,696 --> 00:01:14,066  
On the left side of the view,  
we have Pavel Vinogradov seated,

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00:01:14,136 --> 00:01:16,926  
who is the commander  
of Expedition 36,

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00:01:16,926 --> 00:01:22,216  
standing behind him on the  
far left is Russian cosmonaut

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00:01:22,216 --> 00:01:28,846  
Alexander Misurkin, and standing  
just off his left shoulder is

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00:01:29,496 --> 00:01:30,996  
astronaut Chris Cassidy.

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00:01:31,386 --> 00:01:35,286  
Those three gentlemen are  
in their 62nd day in space

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00:01:35,286 --> 00:01:37,476  
and aboard the International  
Space Station.

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00:01:37,886 --> 00:01:40,496  
The three newest crew  
members that arrived

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00:01:40,496 --> 00:01:41,906  
after a single day launch

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00:01:41,906 --> 00:01:46,046  
to docking profile aboard  
their Soyuz spacecraft,

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00:01:46,256 --> 00:01:49,046  
seated is Soyuz commander

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00:01:49,046 --> 00:01:53,576  
for the TMA09M spacecraft,  
[inaudible].

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00:01:54,106 --> 00:01:57,486  
He'll also serve as the  
Expedition 37 commander once

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00:01:57,486 --> 00:01:59,996  
that transition occurs  
in mid-September.

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00:01:59,996 --> 00:02:03,566  
He's also joined standing, the  
tallest member of the crew,

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00:02:03,566 --> 00:02:08,036  
from the European Space Agency  
and the Italian Space Agency,

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00:02:08,036 --> 00:02:10,376  
Luca Parmitano, he's serving

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00:02:10,376 --> 00:02:12,636  
as a Flight Engineer  
throughout the expedition,

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00:02:13,036 --> 00:02:17,706  
and also Karen Nyberg,  
US astronaut serving

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00:02:17,706 --> 00:02:21,026  
on her second flight into space,  
first long duration mission.

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00:02:21,536 --> 00:02:25,646  
Those three crew members  
launched aboard a Soyuz rocket

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00:02:26,276 --> 00:02:28,156

Tuesday afternoon at 3:31.

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00:02:29,086 --> 00:02:33,966

Just under 6 hours later at 9:10  
p.m. they docked their Soyuz

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00:02:33,966 --> 00:02:37,936

spacecraft to the Rassvet  
mini research module

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00:02:37,936 --> 00:02:41,586

on the Russian segment of the  
station, and then just a couple

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00:02:41,586 --> 00:02:45,516

of hours later, after their  
pressure checks were completed

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00:02:45,796 --> 00:02:48,426

between the hatch seals  
of the two spacecraft --

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00:02:48,426 --> 00:02:50,876

the International Space  
Station and the Soyuz,

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00:02:51,306 --> 00:02:56,336

the three crew members joined  
the Expedition 36 crew,

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00:02:56,336 --> 00:03:03,086

combining now as a 6-member crew  
for the next several months.

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00:03:03,226 --> 00:03:05,606

Today marks the first  
day of course --

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00:03:05,606 --> 00:03:09,166

full day for that crew,  
essentially an off-duty day

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00:03:09,166 --> 00:03:10,996

for the crews aboard  
the station.

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00:03:11,446 --> 00:03:16,036

They will get back to work  
in earnest on Thursday,

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00:03:16,036 --> 00:03:20,416

with their sleep schedules  
pretty much reset back

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00:03:20,416 --> 00:03:21,966

to where they normally  
are, with a --

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00:03:21,966 --> 00:03:27,016

an 0600 GMT wakeup  
call on Thursday,

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00:03:27,016 --> 00:03:31,096

that's 1:00 a.m. US central  
time for a normal routine day.

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00:03:31,496 --> 00:03:35,576

So the International Space  
Station back to a 6-person crew

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00:03:36,666 --> 00:03:40,336

after a couple of weeks of  
3 crew members on board,

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00:03:40,636 --> 00:03:43,286

ready to get started  
with Expedition 36