



1
00:00:11,830 --> 00:00:08,549
in preparation for liftoff of space

2
00:00:14,070 --> 00:00:11,840
shuttle atlantis on the sts-132 mission

3
00:00:16,870 --> 00:00:14,080
the six-member crew arrived at nasa's

4
00:00:18,790 --> 00:00:16,880
kennedy space center in florida

5
00:00:20,390 --> 00:00:18,800
the astronauts flew to kennedy to

6
00:00:22,550 --> 00:00:20,400
conduct the pre-launch training and

7
00:00:24,150 --> 00:00:22,560
countdown dress rehearsal officially

8
00:00:25,990 --> 00:00:24,160
known as the terminal countdown

9
00:00:27,830 --> 00:00:26,000
demonstration test

10
00:00:30,630 --> 00:00:27,840
the training began with the standard

11
00:00:32,630 --> 00:00:30,640
instruction on driving the m-113 armored

12
00:00:34,870 --> 00:00:32,640
personnel carriers as part of their

13
00:00:37,110 --> 00:00:34,880

emergency escape training

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00:00:39,590 --> 00:00:37,120

they rehearsed evacuation procedures at

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00:00:41,990 --> 00:00:39,600

launch pad 39a where atlantis is

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00:00:44,069 --> 00:00:42,000

undergoing launch preparations

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00:00:46,389 --> 00:00:44,079

crew members had an opportunity for a

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00:00:48,869 --> 00:00:46,399

final fit check of their familiar orange

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00:00:50,310 --> 00:00:48,879

launch and entry suits and a chance to

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00:00:52,310 --> 00:00:50,320

answer questions from media

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00:00:54,150 --> 00:00:52,320

representatives who gathered for a news

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00:00:55,670 --> 00:00:54,160

conference at the launch pad

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00:00:57,270 --> 00:00:55,680

there's an incredible amount of activity

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00:00:59,029 --> 00:00:57,280

going on right now

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00:01:01,510 --> 00:00:59,039

in the space world and we should all be

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00:01:03,029 --> 00:01:01,520

enjoying it i can tell you for sure the

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00:01:04,710 --> 00:01:03,039

six of us are

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00:01:06,710 --> 00:01:04,720

the centerpiece of the crew's most

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00:01:08,870 --> 00:01:06,720

recent training was a launch dress

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00:01:11,670 --> 00:01:08,880

rehearsal and practice countdown with

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00:01:13,510 --> 00:01:11,680

the look and feel of a real launch day

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00:01:15,590 --> 00:01:13,520

this sets the stage for atlantis and

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00:01:17,590 --> 00:01:15,600

crew to fly a 12-day mission to the

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00:01:19,749 --> 00:01:17,600

international space station

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00:01:21,510 --> 00:01:19,759

with the exercises behind them the

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00:01:23,830 --> 00:01:21,520

astronauts will continue training at

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00:01:26,070 --> 00:01:23,840

their home base nasa's johnson space