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Counting down to the return of human spaceflight  
from Florida ...

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A successful space station resupply mission

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And a virtual tool to help develop lunar landers  
... a few of the stories to tell you about

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- This Week at NASA!

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We recently conducted a full launch to docking  
simulation with SpaceX in preparation for

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the upcoming flight to the International Space  
Station of our Doug Hurley and Bob Behnken

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aboard the company's Crew Dragon spacecraft.

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The mission, known as Demo-2, will mark the  
first launch of NASA astronauts from America

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since we retired the space shuttle.

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NASA and SpaceX are targeting May 27 for the  
launch of the mission, from historic Launch

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Complex 39A at our Kennedy Space Center in

Florida.

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On May 11 Northrop Grumman's unpiloted Cygnus cargo spacecraft left the International Space

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Station - nearly three months after delivering about 7,500 pounds of supplies and scientific

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experiments to support dozens of new and existing investigations on the orbital outpost.

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This was Northrop Grumman's 13th cargo flight to the space station.

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A new simulator called the Lunar Flight Deck at our Langley Research Center in Hampton,

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Virginia is being used to help develop the Human Landing System for our Artemis program

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that will land the first woman and the next man on the Moon.

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Astronauts brought in to "fly" detailed simulations with various lunar landers provide feedback

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that helps researchers advance the technologies used in the cockpits.

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The Lunar Flight Deck can also be reconfigured

to help analyze landing human missions on

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Mars.

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Natural disasters, like wildfires and hurricanes,  
can lead to many lives lost and billions of

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dollars in costs.

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But a new project called Scalable Traffic  
Management for Emergency Response Operations,

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or STEReO is looking at how drones might be  
used to help emergency responders more safely

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and efficiently carry out operations.

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While STEReO is led by our Ames Research Center  
in California's Silicon Valley, other federal,

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state and local government agencies, first  
responders, and private companies are also

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involved in the project.

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That's what's up this week @NASA ...