

A photograph of a rocket launch at night. The rocket is positioned vertically on the left side of the frame, ascending into the dark sky. A massive, bright plume of fire and white smoke billows from the base of the rocket, extending across the lower half of the image. The scene is illuminated by the intense light of the engines, creating a stark contrast with the surrounding darkness. In the background, some ground-level structures and lights are visible, suggesting a launch complex.

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THIS WEEK @ NASA

1
00:00:04,550 --> 00:00:02,710
the launch of our first planetary

2
00:00:06,550 --> 00:00:04,560
defense test mission a new docking

3
00:00:08,629 --> 00:00:06,560
module for the space station and

4
00:00:10,870 --> 00:00:08,639
shielding the orion spacecraft from the

5
00:00:12,789 --> 00:00:10,880
heat a few of the stories to tell you

6
00:00:15,110 --> 00:00:12,799
about this week at nasa

7
00:00:17,510 --> 00:00:15,120
nasa's double asteroid redirection test

8
00:00:19,990 --> 00:00:17,520
or dart mission launched november 24th

9
00:00:22,230 --> 00:00:20,000
eastern standard time on a spacex falcon

10
00:00:23,670 --> 00:00:22,240
9 rocket from california's vanderberg

11
00:00:25,750 --> 00:00:23,680
space force base

12
00:00:28,470 --> 00:00:25,760
the mission will crash a spacecraft into

13
00:00:30,710 --> 00:00:28,480

an asteroid on purpose to see if it is a

14

00:00:32,630 --> 00:00:30,720

viable way to change the trajectory of

15

00:00:34,630 --> 00:00:32,640

an asteroid that might be on a collision

16

00:00:37,430 --> 00:00:34,640

course with earth in the future

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00:00:39,830 --> 00:00:37,440

in fall 2022 the dart spacecraft will

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00:00:42,630 --> 00:00:39,840

impact a small moonlit asteroid within

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00:00:44,950 --> 00:00:42,640

the ditamas binary asteroid system

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00:00:46,069 --> 00:00:44,960

dart's target asteroid is not a threat

21

00:00:48,150 --> 00:00:46,079

to earth

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00:00:49,830 --> 00:00:48,160

in an online video they shot while on

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00:00:51,830 --> 00:00:49,840

board the international space station

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00:00:54,869 --> 00:00:51,840

nasa astronaut shane kimbrough and

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00:00:56,950 --> 00:00:54,879

european space agency astronaut thomas k

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00:00:59,270 --> 00:00:56,960

used what looks like a microgravity

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00:01:01,270 --> 00:00:59,280

pillow fight to demonstrate the kinetic

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00:01:03,590 --> 00:01:01,280

impactor technique the dart mission will

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00:01:05,910 --> 00:01:03,600

use to deflect an asteroid

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00:01:07,510 --> 00:01:05,920

shane is going to be the asteroid

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00:01:09,830 --> 00:01:07,520

and i'm going to be the nasa dart

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00:01:13,990 --> 00:01:09,840

mission you ready

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00:01:17,510 --> 00:01:15,590

you can check out the full video at

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00:01:19,190 --> 00:01:17,520

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00:01:21,590 --> 00:01:19,200

dart on station

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00:01:23,109 --> 00:01:21,600

the 5-ton pre-show docking module was

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00:01:25,910 --> 00:01:23,119

launched to the space station from

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00:01:28,070 --> 00:01:25,920

kazakhstan on november 24th it was

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00:01:30,550 --> 00:01:28,080

delivered by a progress spacecraft two

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00:01:33,030 --> 00:01:30,560

days later pre-shall the russian word

41

00:01:35,109 --> 00:01:33,040

for port or birth has five available

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00:01:36,710 --> 00:01:35,119

docking ports to accommodate multiple

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00:01:38,630 --> 00:01:36,720

russian spacecraft

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00:01:40,630 --> 00:01:38,640

on november 9th our super guppy

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00:01:42,950 --> 00:01:40,640

transport aircraft landed at moffett

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00:01:45,030 --> 00:01:42,960

federal airfield near our ames research

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00:01:47,350 --> 00:01:45,040

center in northern california with the

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00:01:49,749 --> 00:01:47,360

orion spacecraft's heat shield skin for

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00:01:51,749 --> 00:01:49,759

our artemis 4 mission the heat shield

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00:01:53,429 --> 00:01:51,759

skin will undergo heat and pressure

51
00:01:55,670 --> 00:01:53,439
treatment in california to give it the

52
00:01:58,230 --> 00:01:55,680
mechanical strength properties needed

53
00:02:00,469 --> 00:01:58,240
for orion's thermal protection system

54
00:02:02,550 --> 00:02:00,479
the heat shield will protect orion and

55
00:02:04,709 --> 00:02:02,560
astronauts inside the spacecraft from

56
00:02:06,789 --> 00:02:04,719
the intense heat generated on the return

57
00:02:09,190 --> 00:02:06,799
trip through earth's atmosphere near the

58
00:02:11,190 --> 00:02:09,200
end of the mission in their thanksgiving

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00:02:13,589 --> 00:02:11,200
day message members of the international

60
00:02:15,430 --> 00:02:13,599
space station's expedition 66 crew

61
00:02:18,550 --> 00:02:15,440
talked about what the holiday means for

62
00:02:21,190 --> 00:02:18,560
them for us it's the food is a big part

63
00:02:23,270 --> 00:02:21,200

of it both being thankful for the fact

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00:02:25,110 --> 00:02:23,280

that we we have it and we can enjoy it

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00:02:27,190 --> 00:02:25,120

but also is a reason to come together

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00:02:29,270 --> 00:02:27,200

with all of our family and friends

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00:02:31,509 --> 00:02:29,280

okay and i guess you're interested what

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00:02:33,030 --> 00:02:31,519

we are going to eat during thanksgiving

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00:02:35,110 --> 00:02:33,040

i've got some

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00:02:37,830 --> 00:02:35,120

crab bisque here so that looks looking

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00:02:39,830 --> 00:02:37,840

pretty good got the the best case here

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00:02:41,190 --> 00:02:39,840

the the best one everyone's after the

73

00:02:43,430 --> 00:02:41,200

roasted turkey

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00:02:45,589 --> 00:02:43,440

i also have potatoes of gratin

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00:02:47,589 --> 00:02:45,599

yeah i found a dessert

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00:02:50,229 --> 00:02:47,599

cherry blueberry cobbler happy

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00:02:52,470 --> 00:02:50,239

thanksgiving happy thanksgiving that's

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00:02:54,390 --> 00:02:52,480

what's up this week at nasa for more on