

## CHANNEL ONE NEWS SHOW SCRIPT 1/29/08

### TOPICS COVERED:

- Spy Satellite
- Mock Debate
- News of the Day

CHRIS: HEY GUYS, IT'S TUESDAY, JANUARY 29TH. I'M CHRIS BROWNE AND TODAY WE'LL INTRODUCE YOU TO SOME TEENS WHO ARE GETTING INTO CHARACTER TAKING ON THE ROLE OF PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATES. BUT FIRST, CHANNEL ONE NEWS STARTS RIGHT NOW.

CHRIS: YESTERDAY, PRESIDENT BUSH GAVE HIS LAST STATE OF THE UNION ADDRESS TO CONGRESS. THE PRESIDENT FOCUSED HEAVILY ON THE WAR IN IRAQ AND THE AILING ECONOMY.

CHRIS: IN A SPEECH MANY SAID COULD BE HIS LAST CHANCE AT ESTABLISHING A LEGACY. HERE ARE SOME KEY MOMENTS FROM THE PRESIDENT'S SPEECH.

(SOT: President Bush) "Our economy is undergoing a period of uncertainty. At kitchen tables across our country there is a concern about our economic future. In the long run Americans can be confident about our economic growth.

(SOT: President Bush) "We must trust students to learn if given the chance and empower parents to demand results from our schools.

(SOT: President Bush) "Our security, our prosperity, and our environment all require reducing our dependence on oil."

(SOT: President Bush) "Let us create a new international clean technology fund, which will help developing nations like India and China make greater use of clean energy sources. And let us complete an international agreement that has the potential to slow, stop, and eventually reverse the growth of greenhouse gases."

(SOT: President Bush) "Illegal immigration is complicated, but it can be resolved. And it must be resolved in a way that upholds both our laws and our highest ideals."

(SOT: President Bush) "Our enemies in Iraq have been hit hard. They are not yet defeated, and we can still expect tough fighting ahead. American troops are shifting from leading operations, to partnering with Iraqi forces, and, eventually, to a protective over watch mission."

(SOT: ) "Over the last year, the democratic majority in Congress has begun to move us in the right direction. With bipartisan action to strengthen our security, raise the minimum wage and reduce the costs of college loans. These are encouraging first steps, but there is still

more to be done. So we ask you Mr. President will you join us, let's get to work."

CHRIS: FOR HIGHLIGHTS FROM LAST NIGHT'S STATE OF THE UNION HEAD TO CHANNEL ONE DOT COM AND CLICK ON ADDRESSING AMERICA.

CHRIS: U.S. INTELLIGENCE AGENCIES HAVE A PROBLEM ON THEIR HANDS. APPARENTLY THEY'VE LOST CONTROL OF WHAT'S BEING CALLED A LARGE SPY SATELLITE.

CHRIS: AND WHILE THEY DON'T WANT TO SAY TOO MUCH ABOUT IT, THEY'RE WARNING THE SATELLITE COULD CRASH BACK TO EARTH IN THE NEXT FOUR TO SIX WEEKS. TONY ANDERSON HAS THE STORY.

TONY: IT'S ON A COLLISION COURSE WITH THE EARTH. WHAT SOME CALL A U.S. SPY SATELLITE IS OUT OF CONTROL AFTER ITS COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEMS STARTED FAILING.

TONY: THE SATELLITE IS ABOUT THE SIZE OF A SCHOOL BUS. EXCEPT INSTEAD OF A STEERING WHEEL AND SEATS, IT'S REPORTEDLY TRICKED OUT WITH THE LATEST GREATEST SPY EQUIPMENT.

TONY: AND SECURITY EXPERTS ARE WORRIED THAT WHEN THE SATELLITE FALLS, TOP SECRET INFORMATION OR TECHNOLOGY COULD END UP IN THE WRONG HANDS.

(SOT: John Pike) "One concern, the U.S. intelligence community would have is that parts of this satellite will fall into the hands of the Russians or Chinese or somebody else."

TONY: THE SATELLITE WILL LIKELY RE-ENTER THE EARTH'S ATMOSPHERE IN LATE FEBRUARY OR EARLY MARCH. SPACE DEBRIS LIKE THIS FALLS TO EARTH ALL THE TIME.

(SOT: Jim Oberg) "Pieces are falling down, they're being picked up all around the world and offered for sale. No ones been hurt by a falling satellite fragment in 50 yrs."

TONY: USUALLY THE DEBRIS BURNS UP IN THE ATMOSPHERE OR LANDS IN REMOTE AREAS. SO THERE'S NO NEED TO RUN FOR COVER JUST YET.

TONY: TONY ANDERSON, CHANNEL ONE NEWS.

CHRIS: HERE'S ONE FACT YOU MAY NOT KNOW THE LARGEST PIECE OF SPACE DEBRIS TO FALL TO THE EARTH WEIGHED 78 TONS. THAT'S ABOUT THE WEIGHT OF 7 SCHOOL BUSES!

COMMERCIAL

CHRIS: HEY GUYS, AS WE TOLD YOU YESTERDAY, JESSICA KUMARI IS IN FLORIDA COVERING THE PRIMARIES; AND SHE HAS A STORY ABOUT SOME TEENS WHO ARE WATCHING THIS ELECTION VERY CLOSELY.

JESSICA: HEY GUYS I'M IN FLORIDA WHICH IS HOLDING ITS PRIMARY TODAY. FLORIDA HAS PLAYED AN IMPORTANT ROLE IN THE LAST TWO PRESIDENTIAL ELECTIONS SO YOUNG PEOPLE HERE ARE WATCHING THIS ELECTION CLOSELY.

JESSICA: HERE AT MATER ACADEMY CHARTER HIGH SCHOOL IN HIALEAH GARDENS STUDENTS HAVE OPINIONS ON BOTH SIDES OF THE POLITICAL AISLES AND THEY'RE NOT AFRAID TO BATTLE IT OUT.

JESSICA: THEY SOUND LIKE THE REAL CANDIDATES

(SOT: ) "I want my children, I want your children, I want America to be successful."

JESSICA: TALKING TOUGH ON SECURITY

(SOT: ) "War must be won in order to ensure the security of the Iraqi people along with ours."

JESSICA: EDUCATION

(SOT: ) "And I completely disagree with no child left behind."

JESSICA: AND HEALTHCARE

(SOT: ) "We need to bring down costs of prescription drugs and make them something more accessible."

JESSICA: BUT THE REAL MIKE HUCKABEE ISNT A WOMAN AND ISN'T SEVENTEEN. YET FOR ONE DAY THESE STUDENTS AT MATER ACADEMY CHARTER HIGH TOOK PART IN A MOCK DEBATE, ACTING AND DEFENDING THE VIEWS OF EACH PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE.

(SOT: ) "You really have to get into the mind of this candidate."

JESSICA: THERE WAS ONE DEBATE FOR THE DEMOCRATS AND ONE FOR THE REPUBLICANS.

JESSICA: STUDENTS FIELDDED QUESTIONS FROM FLORIDA POLITICIANS, DREW THE ATTENTION OF THE LOCAL PRESS AND LIKE ANY GOOD CANDIDATE HAD PLENTY OF HELP.

(SOT: ) "This is my speechwriter and campaign manager, he's talking me through opening remarks and he's getting me ready with index cards to go over certain points."

JESSICA: FOR ONE CANDIDATE, NOTES NOT ONLY INCLUDED TALKING POINTS BUT ALSO THIS "RELAX, YOU'LL BE FINE, DON'T BARF" AND ONCE ON STAGE THE CANDIDATES PROVED THEY CAN DEBATE.

(SOT: ) "I never once stated that we are going to give illegal immigrants work in the agricultural field."

(SOT: ) "So what you're saying is that if we bring an illegal immigrant, we give them positions and then give it to somebody else, that jobs not there anymore."

JESSICA: IMMIGRATION, A HOT TOPIC HERE AND NO SURPRISE. THE PRINCIPAL SAYS 93 PERCENT OF THE STUDENTS IN THIS SCHOOL ARE HISPANIC AND HAVE A PERSONAL CONNECTION TO THE ISSUE.

(SOT: ) "Here in Hialeah gardens there are lot of illegal and immigrants, I have loved ones without papers and I wouldn't want them to leave."

JESSICA: BUT PLAYING MITT ROMNEY, JESSICA DEFENDED THE OTHER SIDE

(SOT: ) "Having amnesty is saying to individuals if you come here and you're willing to work here and pay taxes will sign you up, that's not the right message."

JESSICA: IT WAS THE OPPOSITE FOR 18-YEAR-OLD EVAN CASTILLO, WHO AGREED WITH HIS CANDIDATE RUDY GUILIANI'S POSITION.

(SOT: ) "He believes we all should learn to speak, all immigrants should learn to speak English. My mom is an immigrant."

JESSICA: SOME OF THESE STUDENTS WILL HEAD TO THE POLLS TODAY. MORE PREPARED TO PICK A CANDIDATE AFTER PLAYING ONE.

JESSICA: OF COURSE, IN THE DAYS LEADING UP TO TODAY'S PRIMARY, I'VE BEEN TRYING TO CHASE DOWN THE CANDIDATES AND GET A QUESTION IN. HERE'S WHAT IT WAS LIKE AT ONE EVENT FOR REPUBLICAN MITT ROMNEY.

(SOT: ) "Mitt Romney"

JESSICA: IN OUR QUEST TO GET AN INTERVIEW WITH MITT ROMNEY WE'VE ARRIVED AT ONE OF HIS EVENTS.

(SOT: ) "Are we going to win on Tuesday?"

JESSICA: CAN WE ASK JUST A COUPLE QUESTIONS? WHY SHOULD YOUNG PEOPLE VOTE FOR YOU?

(SOT: ) "They want someone who can grow the economy and bring good jobs for young people and everybody else."

JESSICA: WHAT WOULD YOU DO TO MAKE COLLEGE AFFORDABLE?

(SOT: ) "I have a great plan about that, you can take a look at it."

JESSICA: WELL, WE DIDN'T GET OUR ONE ON WITH GOVERNOR ROMNEY.

JESSICA: WE'VE REQUESTED TIME WITH ALL OF THE MAJOR CANDIDATES FROM BOTH THE REPUBLICAN AND DEMOCRATIC SIDES, BUT IN THE MEANTIME YOU CAN HEAD TO CHANNEL ONE DOT COM TO LEARN MORE ABOUT THE CONTENDERS. TOMORROW I'LL BE BACK HERE WITH THE PRIMARY RESULTS AND WE'LL HAVE MORE ON HOW FLORIDA'S PRIMARY IS DIFFERENT.

ANNOUNCER: GET TO KNOW ALL THE CANDIDATES HEAD TO ONE VOTE 2008 AND LOOK FOR THE CANDIDATES.

COMMERCIAL

CHRIS: ALRIGHT, THE DEADLINE FOR THE TAKE ACTION ONE CUP IS ALMOST HERE! AS WE'VE ALREADY TOLD YOU, THE CONTEST IS PRETTY EASY. IF YOU SOLVE A PROBLEM IN YOUR COMMUNITY, MAKE A VIDEO TO TELL US ABOUT IT.

CHRIS: BUT YOU HAVE TO HURRY, YOU ONLY HAVE UNTIL JANUARY 31ST TO GET US YOUR VIDEO.

CHRIS: WE'VE ALREADY RECEIVED SOME GREAT ENTRIES, BUT THERE IS STILL TIME FOR YOU TO GET YOUR VIDEO TO US.

CHRIS: JUST GO TO CHANNEL ONE DOT COM AND CLICK ON TAKE ACTION ONE CUP. WE EVEN HAVE SOME TIPS ON SHOOTING THE PERFECT VIDEO.

CHRIS: AND DON'T FORGET, CHANNEL ONE WILL MAKE A SPECIAL VISIT TO THE WINNING TEAM'S SCHOOL. SO GO TO CHANNEL ONE DOT COM AND ENTER THE TAKE ACTION ONE CUP COMPETITION.

CHRIS: NOW, HERE'S A LOOK AT THE REST OF THE HEADLINES FROM CHANNEL ONE NEWS

ANNOUNCER: THE VIOLENCE IN KENYA CONTINUES TO ESCALATE.

ANNOUNCER: YESTERDAY, RIVAL ETHNIC GROUPS CONFRONTED EACH OTHER IN THE STREETS OUTSIDE OF NAIROBI, THE COUNTRY'S CAPITAL, CAUSING THOUSANDS TO FLEE FROM THEIR HOMES. THE CHAOS STEMS FROM THE DISPUTED RE-ELECTION OF KENYAN PRESIDENT MWAI KIBAKI.

ANNOUNCER: AND ON MONDAY, FORMER UNITED NATIONS SECRETARY GENERAL, KOFI ANNAN MET WITH KENYAN HUMAN RIGHTS OFFICIALS TO TALK ABOUT THE ONGOING CRISIS.

ANNOUNCER: AN ESTIMATED 800 PEOPLE HAVE BEEN KILLED IN THE POST ELECTION VIOLENCE.

TONY: THE WORLD LEADER OF THE CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS PASSED AWAY ON SUNDAY.

TONY: GORDON B. HINCKLEY HAD BEEN PRESIDENT OF THE MORMON CHURCH SINCE 1995, AND MANY YOUNG FOLLOWERS SAY THEY CAN'T REMEMBER A TIME WHEN HE WASN'T THE LEADER OF THEIR CHURCH.

(SOT: Cassandra Bear) "The only prophet I know is president Hinckley and I know that he's a wonderful man and I appreciate everything that he's done."

TONY: HINCKLEY DIED FROM COMPLICATIONS OF OLD AGE. HE WAS 97.

ANNOUNCER: DOWNLOADING MUSIC FOR FREE AND IT'S LEGAL? SOUNDS LIKE A DREAM COME TRUE, RIGHT? WELL, THAT'S EXACTLY WHAT ONE WEBSITE SAYS IT'S GOING TO DO.

ANNOUNCER: MUSIC DOWNLOADING SITE Q-TRAX RELAUNCHED YESTERDAY, WITH THE PROMISE TO PROVIDE UNLIMITED, FREE MUSIC DOWNLOADS.

ANNOUNCER: BASICALLY, THE SITE WORKS BY PAYING RECORD LABELS FOR THE RIGHT TO DISTRIBUTE THEIR SONGS. Q-TRAX PLANS TO PAY WITH MONEY FROM ADVERTISERS INSTEAD OF CHARGING THE SITE'S USERS.

ANNOUNCER: QTRAX SAYS IT WILL CARRY UP TO 30 MILLION SONGS FROM ALL OF THE MAJOR RECORD LABELS. BUT SEVERAL COMPANIES, INCLUDING WARNER MUSIC

AND UNIVERSAL MUSIC GROUP, SAY THEY HAVEN'T REACHED LICENSING DEALS WITH QTRAX.

TONY: YOU COULD CALL IT A 'MCDIPLOMA.' THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT ANNOUNCED YESTERDAY IT WILL AWARD HIGH SCHOOL CREDITS TO MCDONALD'S EMPLOYEES TRAINED TO RUN STORES.

TONY: MCDONALD'S WILL DEVELOP COURSES AND TESTS THAT CAN COUNT TOWARDS A HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA. YOUNG BRITONS SAY IT'S A GOOD WAY TO LEARN TO ABOUT BUSINESS.

(SOT: ) "You would get to know a bit about the business industry, you see a bit inside of things, most companies work like McDonald's."

TONY: IT'S UP TO COLLEGES TO DECIDE IF THEY WANT TO ACCEPT THE MCDONALD'S CREDITS.

CHRIS: THAT DOES IT FOR CHANNEL ONE NEWS. I'M CHRIS BROWNE, HOPE YOU GUYS HAVE A GREAT DAY.