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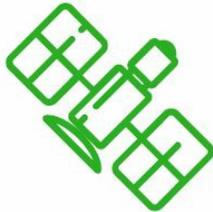
## **WILLIAM SHATNER SAYS SPACE WAS 'UNLIKE ANYTHING I'VE EVER SEEN'**

BY LUCAS MANFREDI

While his peers were busy playing mahjong and thinking about what to order for the early bird special, Captain Kirk was making history aboard a Blue Origin rocket. 90-year-old Star Trek actor William Shatner became the oldest person to fly to space, the final frontier. "I hope I never recover from this," said Shatner of the ten minute flight which reached 65.8 miles in altitude.

Source: [www.foxbusiness.com](http://www.foxbusiness.com)

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## **WHO ARE THE WORLD'S BIGGEST CLIMATE POLLUTERS? SATELLITES SWEEP FOR CULPRITS**

BY TIMOTHY PUKO

A whole new outlook. Satellites are providing more than weather forecasts and GPS these days. Private companies, governments and environmental groups are deploying satellites to identify where greenhouse gases, such as methane, are coming from. The imagery collected is being used to call out the emissions offenders in hopes of fighting climate change.

Source: [www.wsj.com](http://www.wsj.com)

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## **FORGET THE HONDA CIVIC - JAPANESE AUTO GIANT AIMS FOR SPACE INDUSTRY IN GRAND 2030 PLAN**

BY SISSI CAO

Honda is taking its eyes off the road. The Japanese car company intends to enter the commercial space business with the launch of a test vehicle by 2030. Honda wants to lower the cost of satellite launches with the development of small reusable rockets using its autonomous driving technology.

Source: [www.observer.com](http://www.observer.com)

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## **LOCKHEED MARTIN SIGNS UP FOR STARLAB COMMERCIAL SPACE STATION**

BY ALUN WILLIAMS

## **THE FIRST US COMMERCIAL SPACE STATION IS COMING, AND IT LOOKS AWESOME**

BY RAY FERNANDEZ

Whose station is the fairest of them all? NASA is looking to replace the International Space Station, which is predicted to be decommissioned before the end of the decade. Enter the battle of the commercial space stations.

Lockheed Martin\*, along with Nanoracks and Voyager Space, announced plans to develop and launch the Starlab space station by 2027. Not to be outdone, Blue Origin said they were partnering with Boeing\* and Sierra Space to build the Orbital Reef by 2030.

Source: [www.electronicweekly.com](http://www.electronicweekly.com)  
[www.screenrant.com](http://www.screenrant.com)

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## ELON MUSK'S SPACEX HITS \$100 BILLION VALUATION AFTER SECONDARY SHARE SALE

BY MICHAEL SHEETZ

Looks like Elon Musk shouldn't have a problem providing for his family if that little car business of his doesn't work out. Musk's SpaceX became the second most valuable private company in the world after existing investors agreed to sell up to \$755 million in stock at \$560 per share. At a valuation of \$100 billion, SpaceX achieved "centicorn" status, a \$1 billion unicorn 100 times over.

Source: [www.cnn.com](http://www.cnn.com)

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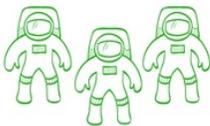
## RUSSIAN SPACE MOVIE DIRECTOR SAYS MOON OR MARS COULD BE NEXT

BY ANGELINA KAZAKOVA

Another star was in the sky. Russian actress Yulia Peresild and Director Klim Shipenko flew to the International Space Station to film the first ever full-length movie in space. Cosmonaut Anton Shkaplerov joined the pair aboard the Soyuz spacecraft for the 12-day mission. The film, called *The Challenge*, follows a surgeon who must perform a life-saving operation on an astronaut in orbit. Lights, camera, looks like space is where the action is.

Source: [www.reuters.com](http://www.reuters.com)

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## CHINA'S HISTORIC CREWED MISSION ARRIVES AT NEW SPACE STATION

BY JESSIE YEUNG AND STEVEN JIANG

China's new space station has a long term booking. Three astronauts reached the Tianhe core module for a historic six month mission. During their stay, the crew will inspect the station's technology and conduct scientific experiments.

Source: [www.cnn.com](http://www.cnn.com)

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## THE MISSION TO BREAK BARRIERS TO SPACE TRAVEL FOR PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES

BY LOREN GRUSH

Come one, come all! 12 individuals with vision, mobility or hearing disabilities were able to experience the feeling of being weightless in space on a parabolic flight hosted by Zero-G Corporation. The



flight was part of Mission: AstroAccess, which seeks to remove limitations and make space travel more inclusive.

NASA currently requires prospective astronauts to meet certain physical specifications. The AstroAccess Ambassadors conducted experiments and provided observations to help make modifications on spacecrafts for future travelers.

Source: [www.theverge.com](http://www.theverge.com)

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### **THIS \$5-BILLION MOON-THEMED RESORT IS COMING TO LAS VEGAS-COMplete WITH AN 'ACTIVE LUNAR COLONY' AND SPACESHIP NIGHTCLUB**

Sin City is taking a gamble on space with a \$5 billion, 5.5-million-square-foot moon shaped hotel set to open in 2027. Built by Moon World Resorts Inc., the hotel will feature a replica of the moon, a nightclub under a spaceship, and a lunar colony which guests can explore via moon buggy.

Source: [www.travelandleisure.com](http://www.travelandleisure.com)

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### **NEIL DEGRASSE TYSON TELLS DEMI LOVATO: 'ALIENS HAVE NO FEELINGS'**

BY ROLLING STONE

We never could have predicted a story involving Demi Lovato, Neil deGrasse Tyson, and aliens, but here we are. While promoting her new *Unidentified* docuseries, in which she searches for answers regarding UFOs, the singer claimed that referring to extraterrestrials as "aliens" is derogatory. The astrophysicist disagreed saying ETs do not in fact have feelings. Aliens have yet to weigh in on this pressing topic.

Source: [www.rollingstone.com](http://www.rollingstone.com)

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