

DAILY PLANET

ALL THE NEWS THAT FITS

Thursday, July 22

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Weather delays Columbia, Chandra; launch reset Friday

The Space Shuttle launch team was unable to clear Shuttle Columbia and its Chandra X-ray Observatory payload early Thursday morning because of local weather in the Kennedy Space Center, Fla., area. After postponement of the launch, a decision was made to prepare for a third launch opportunity on a 24-hour turnaround basis. The launch window is tentatively set to open on Friday at 12:24 a.m. EDT.

**MESA meets
Thurs. at
11:30 a.m., Bldg.
4471, room C-105**

**Charlie's Grill,
basement, Bldg.
4200, will be
closed Fri., Mon.
for renovation**

Center blood drive Friday

The American Red Cross will hold a blood drive from 8 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Friday at Bldg. 4752. Those whose last names begin with A-B should donate at 8 a.m.; C-F, 8:30 a.m.; G-H, 9 a.m.; I-L, 9:30 a.m.; M-O, 10 a.m.; P-S, 10:30 a.m.; and T-Z, 11 a.m. Representatives will be available until 1:30 p.m.

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- NASA, Boeing enter X-37 agreement
- Marshall picnic, Apollo 11 anniversary
- Meet Mike Altice, safety consultant
- Live shots help tell Marshall story

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