

# DAILY PLANET

ALL THE NEWS THAT FITS

Thursday, November 5

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## Russian rocket engine successfully tested at Marshall Wednesday

Center engineers successfully tested a Russian-built rocket engine Wednesday in the Advanced Engine Facility at Marshall. The test — that began with engine ignition at 6:27 p.m. and lasted 56 seconds, as planned — was designed to measure the performance of the Atlas III propulsion system, which includes avionics and propellant tanks and lines, and how these components interact with the Russian-designed RD-180 engine. Preliminary data indicate the test achieved good results.

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## Open Season Health Fair set Thursday in Bldg. 4203, room 1201

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## Track Glenn's microgravity research activities at: [www.msfc.nasa.gov/news](http://www.msfc.nasa.gov/news)

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## NASA policy on program and project management topic of meeting Monday

A town hall meeting is set for 1-3 p.m., Monday, Nov. 9 in Morris Auditorium for the official rollout of the NASA policy and guidelines on program and project management (7120.5a). A senior management team, led by NASA Acting Deputy Administrator Gen. John Dailey, will describe plans for NASA-wide implementation of the policy and take questions from the audience. The meeting is open to all NASA employees and tickets are available from administrative officers.

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## Emergency Warning System at Center to be tested Thursday

Monthly testing of the Emergency Warning System is scheduled for 3 p.m. Thursday. This is an audio test only and personnel should not evacuate. If severe weather is occurring at this time, testing will be rescheduled. Safety coordinators and monitors should notify the AB/11 Emergency Preparedness Officer at 4-5187, immediately after the test, of malfunctioning speakers.

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## November is National Native American Indian Heritage Month