Newsreader – Rick O’Shay: Sophie/ Evie

Reporter – Sandy Beech: Alix/Eilidh

Usain Bolt: James/ Ewan

Andy Murray: Adam/ Ryan

David Beckham: Jack W/ Sam

Chris Hoy: Jack Mc/ Emma

Kelly Holmes : Kelsey/ Kate

Kirkhill kids x2 : Erin/ Jay & Leah/ Paige

Technician (PowerPoint): Peter & Charlie/ Rachael/ Morgan

Youtube news piece

Rick: Good morning and welcome to the morning news with me, Rick O’Shay. We are running a bit behind schedule today as we have been experiencing a few technical difficulties with our anchor-person Sandy Beech who is on location in Broxburn, West Lothian, investigating some strange goings on today. If we can, we will now cut straight to Sandy who can give us a little more information. Sandy, are you there?

Sandy: Good morning Rick and good morning viewers. Yes, well, there have been some very strange things happening in this local town of Broxburn. It seems that there have been some extremely odd sightings. Locals have been calling up the RSPSP in their hundreds today with sightings of famous sports people.

Rick: The RSPSP?

Sandy: Yes, that’s right Rick. The Royal Society of the Preservation of Sports People. It has been reported that usually, this quiet town may have the occasional long queue at Candyland but really, that’s about the extent of the excitement around here. However, the people of Broxburn have been keeping the RSPSP on their toes this morning with hundreds of calls to the Society. Some have seen Rondalo doing keepie uppies along the High Street, other claim to have seen Koby Bryant shooting hoops at Broxburn Academy. The phone calls have been non-stop since sunrise this morning.

Rick: and does anyone know why this is happening Sandy?

Sandy: not really Rick. It all seems a bit of a mystery. The RSPSP are keeping a very tight lid on it. They have been able to divulge that last night, there was a break out of many of the top sportspeople living at the RSPSP headquarters but other than that, they are keeping very tight lipped.

Rick: and as you have been having a look around Broxburn today, have you come across anything Sandy?

Sandy: not as yet, but sources have directed us to this very spot for the best chance at a find. I think if we keep quiet for a minute, we may just see something…

Rick: OK Sandy, all quiet back at the studio as well…

Usain Bolt runs across the stage

Sandy: whoa! What was that?

Usain Bolt runs across the stage

Sandy: c…co…could it possibly be? I think that may have been Mr Usain Bolt, one of the world’s fastest runners. But he was running so fast, I couldn’t really make him out…

Rick: perhaps you could try to stop him Sandy?

Sandy: yes, let’s give it a go…

Usain Bolt runs across the stage. Sandy steps out in front of him and holds had up to Usain’s body

Sandy: stop! In the name of news!

Usain: Sorry, places to go, people to see, can’t stop

Usain Bolt runs across the stage

Rick: Well, what great news reporting this is! Keep looking Sandy, you may be able to find some others…

Andy Murray walks across the stage with his tennis racquet and ball, looking frazzled

Sandy: Andy Murray, excuse me sir…

Andy ignores Sandy

Sandy: sir… if I could just have a minute of your time

Andy huffs and turns to Sandy

Andy: I’m sorry but I just don’t have time. I’m due to meet David Beckham any minute and I still have to go and get nappies for the new baby, Kim is really getting in my ear at the moment! No time to talk.

Andy walks off stage

Sandy: so… there goes another sporting great. I would imagine he is tired and gearing up for Wimbledon soon too. But meeting David Beckham, I wonder why…?

Rick: see if you can get the scoop Sandy

Sandy: I’ll see what I can do…

David Beckham runs onto the stage with his football and bumps into Sandy

David: Oh, I’m so sorry. I’m on the lookout for a tennis player, so high, dark, curly hair… not too bad with the aces… we were supposed to meet here but I can’t for the life of me find him. We’re late too and have got so much to do today…

Sandy: busy schedule today hey David? Anything you would like to tell the viewers about? You’re on live TV right now.

David: hi viewers! If you don’t know what today is, then you need to get out more! That’s all I can say right now, gotta dash!

David runs off stage

Rick: well, that was hardly the headline of the century, was it? What is going on out there?

Sandy: I’m just as confused as you are Rick. Let’s see if anyone else can shed some light on the situation.

Chris Hoy and Kelly Holmes walk onto the stage

Chris: …so I think if we do about 37 laps then…

Sandy: good morning Chris Hoy and Kelly Holmes, fancy meeting you here! My name is Sandy Beech and I am reporting for morning news. The viewers back home are wondering why there are so many sports people in Broxburn today. Can you share with us?

Chris: Is this some kind of joke?

Sandy: n..n..no, no joke. Are you here to do some cycling Chris, or a spot of running perhaps Kelly?

Kelly: surely, you’re pulling our legs!

Sandy: No, no leg pulling here, the viewers and I genuinely want to know what you’re all doing here.

Kelly: running…?

Chris: sports…?

Kelly & Chris: YOU KNOW!!!

Sandy: no… we really DON’T know!

Kelly: charity…?

Sandy: nope… still don’t know

Chris: oh…forget it! Perhaps you could ask the kids…

Kelly and Chris leave

Sandy: The kids? What kids? Well, I give up! I think it’s time to go back to the studio and talk about developments in the Middle East or something don’t you Rick. Who ever said that reporting was easy… Just stand in front of the camera and talk they said…Just pretend like no-ones watching, they said…

Rick: OK, well thanks for that …report Sandy… so let’s get back to some REAL news here…

Kirkhill students walk onto the stage

Sandy: KIDS!!! Oh, hang on Rick, we may have some breaking news here… Hi there, just wondering if you have any idea why there are so many sports people in Broxburn today? There seems to be a real turn out of celebs.

Kirkhill student 1: Don’t you know what today is?

Sandy: oh! More questions with questions! No, that’s what we’re TRYING to find out!

Kirkhill student 2: Sport Relief? Ring any bells?

slide 1 – Are you ready to do yourselves proud?

Sandy: Sports Relief? No? What’s that?

Kirkhill Student 1: It’s when we raise money for people across the world who are less fortunate than us. Sports people all over Britain are getting involved so that may be why there are so many sports people out and about today

Sandy:Ahhhh, I see! But why are they raising money for Sport Relief? What’s happened to them?

Kirkhill student 2: a whole different range of things, but they need our help

Kirkhill Student 1: haven’t you seen the video?

Sandy: no…

Student 2: well, have a look at this…

PLAY VIDEO – slide 2

slide 3 –how will our money make a difference

Student 1: so you see, it’s really important to raise money to help others. It can really change their lives and it’s so easy to do. It’s not just for children in other countries but money raised also goes to kids right here in the UK as well. We are getting involved today

Sandy: Oh yeah? What are you doing?

Slide 4 – So What Shall we do this Sports Relief?

Student 2: Our school are holding sponsored fun run. We get to run around the playground, dressed up and have fun

Student 1: Yeah, and all the while, we know we are helping other people

Slide 5 – Sports Relief 2016

Student 2: We have also sold some wrist bands like these (hold up bands on wrists) to help raise money as well

Sandy: great job kids! You must be feeling pretty good

Student 1: we are really proud that we know we have made a difference to the lives of others

Sandy: well, I’d better let you go so you can get limbered up for the Big Run. Good luck, well done and HAVE FUN!!!

slide 6 – Get Involved!

Students run off stage

Sandy: well, there you have it. Today is Sports Relief day where you too can get out, get fit and help change the lives of others. My names Sandy Beech, good morning Broxburn and it’s back to the studio with you Rick.

Rick: Thanks Sandy, what a ground-breaking piece of reporting there – how does she make it look so easy?! So there we have it, Sports Relief 2016, coming to a school near you today. We have also just had a report in that the students in P6/5 at Kirkhill primary School would like to end their assembly today with a song to get everyone ready for their fun run. So may I have the pleasure in introducing the Students of Song with Step it Up for Sports Relief. Thank you for listening. My name is Rick O’Shay and that was the morning news.

Slide 7 – Step it up!