VERIZON UP TO SPEED LIVE July 15, 2022 12:00 PM ET

>> HEY, V TEAM, WE MADE IT TO FRIDAY.

THANK YOU FOR JOINING ME TODAY AS WE RUN DOWN THE NEWS FROM ACROSS THE BUSINESS STARTING WITH A QUICK RECAP OF THE WEEK. ON MONDAY, WE SHARED HOW PHASE 2 OF THE TALENT GPS IS HELPING V TEAMERS LIKE JENNIFER TAYLOR PREPARE FOR MIDYEAR REVIEWS AND MOVE TOWARDS CAREER DEVELOPMENT.

PLUS HOW WE'RE KEEPING FRAZIL CUSTOMERS REFRESHED WITH A SUMMERTIME FAVORITE WITH OUR IOT SOLUTIONS.

AND TUESDAY WE WELCOMED YOU TO WELCOME UNLIMITED.

OUR NEWEST PLAN STARTS AT \$30 FOR FOUR LINES MAKING IT OUR BEST UNLIMITED PRICE EVER.

AND ON THURSDAY WE HEARD FROM OUR RETAIL V TEAMERS AND TRAVEL STARS ADAM RICHMAN AND KELLE EDWARDS ON WHY THE VERIZON VISA CARD IS YOUR TICKET TO OUR DREAM VACATION, REWARDS, AND MORE. AND THIS WEEK WE EXTENDED A WARM WELCOME TO NEW CUSTOMERS WHO WANT TO TAKE ADVANTAGE OF AMERICA'S MOST RELIABLE NETWORK AT THE BEST UNLIMITED PRICE WITH OUR WELCOME UNLIMITED PLAN. THE NEWS IS SPREADING AND IT'S GETTING THE ATTENTION OF TECH PUBLICATIONS LIKE CNET, THE RESEARCH AND DIGITAL TRENDS. THE PLAN STARTS AT JUST \$30 PER LINE PER MONTH FOR FOUR LINES AND TO SWEETEN THE DALE, WE'LL GIVE YOU UP TO \$240 FOR EVERY DEVICE YOU BRING TO VERIZON ON THE WELCOME UNLIMITED PLAN.

WE'RE WELCOMING CUSTOMERS LIKE JEFF HILL WHO SWITCHED TO VERIZON AFTER REALIZING HOW MUCH HE NEEDED TO RELY ON HIS PERSONAL HOTSPOT WHILE TRAVELING TO WORK.

WITH HOTSPOT SPEEDS MAXING OUT WITH 1 MEGABIT PER SECOND WITH XFINITY MOBILE, JEFF DECIDED TO CHECK OUT VERIZON WHERE HE COULD ENJOY TEN MEGABITS PER SECOND MAKING SWITCHING A NO- BRAINER. CONGRATS JEFF FOR MAKING A DECISION YOU WON'T REGRET.

AND NOW THAT WE'RE EXPANDING OUR 5G ULTRA WIDEBAND TO NEARLY 1 MILLION PEOPLE IN ATLANTA, GEORGIA, EVEN MORE CUSTOMERS CAN ENJOY OUR NETWORK.

BUT DON'T TAKE IT FOR ME, AS YOU CAN SEE ON THIS SLIDE, OUR VERIZON ENGINEERS DESI BACARON, DAN WRIGHT, AND OSCAR MARTINEZ ARE HARD AT WORK ON THE GROUND BUILDING THE NETWORKS TO MAKE THIS POSSIBLE.

AND ATLANTA WAS RECENTLY AWARDED THE BEST OVERALL NETWORK IN ATLANTA BY ONE OF THE LEADING TESTING AGENCIES.

THANK YOU, DESI, DAN, AND OSCAR IT'S BECAUSE OF TECHNICIANS LIKE YOU THAT WE CAN BUILD AND EXPAND A NETWORK WE'RE PROUD OF.

WHICH IS WHY IT'S NO SURPRISE THAT ON THURSDAY WE ANNOUNCED THAT VERIZON WAS NAMED THE MOST AWARDED BRAND FOR WIRELESS NETWORK QUALITY FOR THE 29TH CONSECUTIVE TIME.

AND DID YOU KNOW THAT JD POWER AWARDS ARE BASED ON THE VOICE OF CONSUMERS?

THIS MEANS OUR CUSTOMERS CONTINUE TO RECOGNIZE THE PERFORMANCE AND VALUE VERIZON OFFERS.

AND SPEAKING OF AWARDS, CONGRATULATIONS ARE IN STORE FOR OUR CHIEF HUMAN RESOURCE OFFICER SAM HAMMOCK WHO WAS RECENTLY NAMED ONE OF ADWEEK WOMEN TRAILBLAZERS.

THIS YEAR ADWEEK RECOGNIZED WOMEN IN MEDIA, TECH, ADVERTISING WHO ARE USING THEIR VOICES AND UNIQUE POSITIONS TO DRIVE EQUALITY. SAM WAS RECOGNIZED FOR STRIVING TO EMPOWER WITH WORK FORWARD, WOMEN'S COLAB, AND VERIZON'S THRIVE APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAM. TODAY IS NATIONAL GIVE SOMETHING AWAY DAY WHICH MEANS IT'S THE PERFECT TIME TO SHARE OUR ABUNDANCE WITH OTHERS, EXPRESS GRATITUDE FOR ALL THAT WILL WE HAVE AND IT CAN ALL START WITH SOMETHING AS SIMPLE AS CLEANING OUT OUR CLOSETS.

WITH OUR VOLUNTEER PARTNER, SOLE4SOULS, YOU CAN GIVE AWAY GENTLY WORN SHOES WITHOUT HOMES REGARDLESS OF SIZE OR STYLE, EVERY PAIR OF SHOES YOU DONATE KEEPS 1.25 POUNDS OF TEXTILES OUT OF THE LANDFILLS AND PROVIDES FOOD, SHELTER REASONED EDUCATION FOR AN ENTIRE FAMILY EACH DAY.

CHECK OUT THE LINK IN OUR STORY TO REGISTER FOR THE EVENT ON OUR CITIZEN VERIZON VOLUNTEERS PORTAL.

BEFORE WE CLOSE THE SHOW AND RACE TOWARDS THE WEEKEND, WE WANT TO GIVE A BIG SHOUT- OUT TO THE 1200 V TEAMERS AND THEIR FAMILIES WHO RACED ACROSS THE FINISH LINE AT OUR ANNUAL VERIZON CORPORATE CLASSIC LAST NIGHT.

HERE'S ANDY WITH HIGHLIGHTS FROM THE RACE.

>> HI, EVERYBODY, WE'RE HERE AT

THE VERIZON CORPORATE CLASSIC

5K.

- >> POWER ON.
- >> ANY TIME PREDICTIONS?
- >> FOR YOU?
- >> YEAH.
- >> I THINK YOU'VE GOT A SUB 10- MINUTE MILE IN YOU.
- >> SUB TEN.
- >> IT'S MY GREAT HONOR TO

PRESENT A CHECK FOR \$10,000 TO JBWS.

>> I'M A LITTLE MORE NERVOUS

ABOUT THE PRE RACE FESTIVITIES. I AM NOW SINGING THE ANTHEM.

- >> I SEE YOU'VE GOT THE WATER SO YOU'RE ALL SET.
- >> THAT'S RIGHT, I'VE GOT MY WATER.
- >> STAY HYDRATED.

>> LA, LA, LA, LA, LA.

O'ER THE LAND OF THE FREE AND THE HOME OF THE BRAVE [APPLAUSE]

>> OKAY, THIS YEAR I'M LEGIT

RUNNING THIS, I'M NOT GOING TO WALK IT.

I'M NOT GOING TO TAKE A SHORTCUT.

THE COURSE IS A LITTLE MORE

UPHILL THAN I THOUGHT. WE DOING ALL RIGHT?

WE BREAKING RECORDS HERE?

>> I THINK WE'RE BREAKING

RECORDS BUT I THINK I HAVE TO BE ASHAMED OF MYSELF.

I SAW A MOM WITH A STROLLER WITH

TWO KIDS.

>> AND SHE PASSED YOU BY?

>> SHE PASSED ME BY ABOUT MAYBE A MILE AGO.

>> OUR TOP FINISHERS HERE

ALREADY GETTING TO THE FINISH LINE.

YOU HAVEN'T SEEN HANS, HAVE YOU?

>> I HAVEN'T SEEN HANS YET.

>> HE COULD BE COMING UP WITH

THE FAST RUNNERS.

I GOT TO GET TO HANS. HERE WE GO.

THANK YOU VERY MUCH. HOW WAS MY STRIDE?

>> IT WAS REALLY GRACEFUL.

I THINK YOU'VE BEEN TAKING LESSONS.

>> LIKE A GAZELLE, RIGHT?

>> YEAH, YEAH, ABSOLUTELY.

>> I HAVE TO WALK, BECAUSE I

HAVE TO SHOOT VERY STABLE VIDEO.

I MEAN. YOU TRY FILMING AN EVENT

AND RUNNING AT THE SAME TIME.

I CAN'T DO BOTH. I CAN BARELY WALK AND CHEW GUM.

>> GET ONE OF THOSE GO PROS

STRAPPED TO YOUR CHEST.

>> GO PRO STRAPPED TO YOUR CHEST.

HOW DOES ONE MAKE SURE YOUR

RUNNING SPEED IS 5G FAST?

>> 5G FAST?

PRACTICE. PRACTICE MAKES PERFECT.

>> OKAY.

DOES THAT MEAN WE NEEDED TO PRACTICE MORE FOR TODAY?

>> WE NEED TO PRACTICE MORE.

>> LOOK AT THIS. THIS IS A SKI SLOPE FOR CRYING OUT LOUD.

YOU CAN'T RUN THIS.

YOU CANNOT RUN THIS.

>> I JUST HEARD LAST TURN, NO MORE HILLS, WE'RE RUNNING.

>> WE'RE FINISHING VERIZON

STRONG.

>> WE'RE FINISHING VERIZON

STRONG, BABY.

>> ALL RIGHT.

IT WAS 44 MINUTES BUT I LEGIT

DID IT THIS TIME. FINALLY DID IT. WE DID IT.

>> WA.

>> WE DID IT.

44 STINKING MINUTES, WE DID IT.

ALL RIGHT. SO I WAS SO SLOW THAT I MISSED HANS.

I WAS SUPPOSED TO GET THE POSTGAME INTERVIEW.

BUT THE GOOD NEWS IS, WE GOT ICE CREAM.

IT WAS A GREAT RACE.

TOOK ME A LITTLE LONGER THAN I WANTED TO.

I'M TOLD HANS FINISHED SEVERAL MINUTES BEFORE ME.

BUT CONGRATULATIONS TO HANS, TO

EVERYONE INVOLVED IN THE CORPORATE CLASSIC.

WE'VE RAISED SOME GREAT MONEY

FOR JBWS, AND WHAT A GREAT WAY

TO REPRESENT THE V TEAM HERE

WITH EVERYONE ENJOYING

THEMSELVES TONIGHT HERE IN

MORRISTOWN.

SO THERE IS REALLY ONLY ONE

THING LEFT TO DO.

>> UNTIL NEXT TIME, YOU'RE UP TO

SPEED!

WOO!