



Cockroach Interrupts Live TV Report, Reporter Reacts

Description

Rachel Menitoff, a reporter from KTLA in Los Angeles, had a surprising moment during a live weather report on Tuesday. A cockroach flew and landed on her dress while she was speaking to viewers. Menitoff did not show any signs of worry. She continued her report as if nothing was wrong.

After the report, she shared the video on social media. She wrote that it was hard to stay calm. She joked about the cockroach trying to take attention away from her. Menitoff's colleagues praised her for staying cool during the incident.

They joked that she might not have known what was on her. Menitoff later said that she felt the cockroach but did not look at it. She focused on her report instead. She said that the cockroach was attracted to the heat during a heat wave. This made it a perfect time for roaches to come out.

Menitoff also said it was not easy to act normal while the bug was on her.

Vocabulary List:

1. **cockroach** //ˈkɒkrəʊtʃ// (noun): a large brown insect often found in buildings
2. **colleagues** //ˈkɒlɪɡz// (noun): people who work together in the same job
3. **incident** //ˈɪnsɪdənt// (noun): an event that was not planned
4. **praised** //preɪzd// (verb): said something good about someone or something
5. **shared** //ʃɛrd// (verb): put something on the internet for others
6. **attracted** //əˈtræktɪd// (verb): moved toward someone or something with interest

Comprehension Questions

Multiple Choice

1. Where did Rachel Menitoff work?

- Option: KTLA
- Option: CNN
- Option: NBC
- Option: CBS



2. What unusual event occurred during Rachel's live weather report?

- Option: A bird flew by
- Option: A cockroach landed on her dress
- Option: A camera malfunctioned
- Option: A viewer called in

3. How did Rachel Menitoff react to the cockroach landing on her?

- Option: She panicked
- Option: She continued her report
- Option: She stopped talking
- Option: She screamed

4. What did Menitoff joke about on social media?

- Option: The weather
- Option: The cockroach trying to take attention away from her
- Option: Her dress
- Option: The viewers

5. What did Menitoff's colleagues think of her reaction to the incident?

- Option: They were critical
- Option: They praised her
- Option: They ignored it
- Option: They found it funny

6. What did Menitoff say attracted the cockroach to her?

- Option: Food
- Option: Light
- Option: Heat
- Option: Water

True-False

7. Rachel Menitoff was visibly worried during the report.

8. Menitoff shared the incident on social media after the report.

9. The incident occurred during a snowstorm.



10. Rachel Menitoff felt the cockroach but chose not to look at it.
11. Menitoff thought it was easy to act normal during the incident.
12. Menitoff works as a weather reporter.

Gap-Fill

13. Rachel Menitoff is a reporter from KTLA in _____.
14. A _____ flew and landed on her dress during the live report.
15. Menitoff's colleagues praised her for staying _____ during the incident.
16. She said that the cockroach was attracted to the heat during a heat _____.
17. Menitoff later said it was not easy to act _____ while the bug was on her.
18. Menitoff joked about the cockroach trying to take _____ away from her.

Answer

Multiple Choice: 1. KTLA 2. A cockroach landed on her dress 3. She continued her report 4. The cockroach trying to take attention away from her 5. They praised her 6. Heat

True-False: 7. False 8. True 9. False 10. True 11. False 12. True

Gap-Fill: 13. Los Angeles 14. cockroach 15. cool 16. wave 17. normal 18. attention

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