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The Panama Papers & An Ice Cream Crisis

This goes out to Valley Center High School in Valley Center, CA

The early bird gets the worm, if you snooze, you lose,
"But the early worm gets eaten!" eh... Here's the news:
First up, something that's too hot to handle,
The Panama Papers caused a big scandal.
Published after an unnamed source leaked them,
The Panama Papers exposed powerful people.
Business leaders, celebrities and politicians
May have avoided taxes by hiding millions
In offshore banks. Now this major shakedown
Is forcing some major players to step down.
Yo, you ever heard the quote, "one person, one vote?"
I'll explain it to you, you can take notes.
It means when states make an election district,
They count all the people living in it.
But some folks think only voters should carry weight,
The Supreme Court rejected that challenge the other day.
Next up, the separation of church and state
Is about religious freedom in the USA.
Right now, a Tennessee lawmaker
Sponsored a bill some say is a lawbreaker.
Under this bill, the Bible would be
The official state book of the state of Tennessee.
Some say the Bible is a history book,
And some say the bill is just not a good look.
Cruz and Sanders won Wisconsin's primary.
How important is this for their campaigns? Very!
The SAT and the ACT
Are not as popular as they used to be.
So now they're hoping that they can replace
Common Core tests in the United States.

March Madness ended, the Final Four is over,
Big shout out to UConn and Villanova!
That's four in a row for UConn women's fame,
While a crazy buzzer beater won the men's game.
Last up, a lil lesson in supply and demand,
Get your vanilla ice cream while you still can.
A bad harvest of vanilla in Madagascar
Means supplies of the spice are a disaster.
Before prices increase, I'm gonna stock up,
And then put the pints in my freezer on lock up.