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KATE: Hi, and welcome to Newsreel. I'm Kate Holland.

- Coming up:

The Australian footballer who's come out as gay.

Clip: I'm Josh Cavallo, I'm a footballer and I'm proud to be gay.

But first...

Black Friday or Buy Nothing Day

Black Friday as a shopping phenomenon took off in the US in the 1980s.

The name Black Friday came from shop-owners reporting that their figures went profitable – turned from red to black – on this day every year.

And during the last 10 years it has become one of the major shopping events in countries like Sweden and the UK. And it's here again on the 26th of November!

Clip: Oh gosh, this is not good. Someone's going to die...

KATE: The sales records are beaten every year and there are no signs of the craze slowing down.

Clip: We are once again spending money we don't have on things we don't need to give to people we don't like.

KATE: That clip was taken from The Late Show with Stephen Colbert.

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As you can hear not everybody is happy with this trend, and in 1992 Canadian Ted Dave started a resistance movement, called “Buy Nothing Day”.

So, why did he do that?

Well, in the last 15 years clothes production has doubled, and it has had a negative effect on the environment. Andrew Morgan director of the film “True Cost” explains on his website what bothers him about the clothing industry:

Andrew Morgan: This is insane. This is a crazy part of our world. And you are a part of something integral just by buying clothes.

KATE: So, what’s it like for you? Black Friday bonanza or Buy Nothing Day?

Josh Cavallo

Now, what happens if a footballer comes out as gay?

Last month, Australian footballer, Josh Cavallo, came out publicly on social media.

JOSH CAVALLO: The response and support I have received is immense. I’m Josh Cavallo, I’m a footballer, and I’m proud to be gay.

I’ve been speaking to 17-year-old Zac, who has played football nearly all his life. He told me what he thought about Josh coming out.

ZAC: I don’t think I saw a single negative response to it. I think everyone was calling him ‘extremely brave’ for coming out and doing it in the public eye.

KATE: Have you ever been aware of prejudice or homophobia in teams that you’ve played in?

ZAC: I haven’t really experienced it that much. You never really notice it on the pitch. Maybe it’s again because no one really no one really comes out if they are gay.

KATE: What do you think the reaction would be if they did?

ZAC: It would be a big deal in a sense that people would support them about it. So if, like, you were playing another team, and another team said something about

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them, then I - 100% guarantee – everyone in their team would back them up and support them against the other person.

KATE: I also spoke to 14-year-old Django who plays for his local team about his experience on and off the pitch.

DJANGO: *I hear the odd joke. But, you know, it's quite harmless, it's not that offensive, it's quite small. Well, I think it's quite harmless, but I'm pretty sure my older sister would disagree with me.*

KATE: *So, do you see it as a big issue?*

DJANGO: *It's not really paid attention to much. No one really is apart from the celebrities.*

KATE: Thank you for listening and speak to you all soon! Goodbye!

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