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Hi, and welcome to Newsreel Easy. I'm Carrie Morrison. Coming up:

- Why women's football is becoming more popular

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But first...

### Unwanted Messages

How would you feel if you suddenly started getting texts from an unknown number asking to meet you? And then you find out they've been sent by someone who works for a company you've given your contact details to.

A recent survey showed that around a third of young people in the UK have received texts like this. The Information Commissioner's office, which sets the rules for how people's data is used, says these messages are against the law and should be stopped.

Here's Emily Keany from the Information Commission talking to the BBC:

*"The number of people who this has happened to is really concerning."*

### The Women's World Cup

Now, did you watch the Women's World Cup?

Women's football has been getting more and more popular across the world. This year's final – in which Spain beat England - was watched by over 12 million people on TV in the UK.

*Football sfx*

I've been speaking to young footballers in England about how they feel about the sport's growing popularity. First, I spoke to Maddie, who plays for the Deptford Ravens in South London.

**Maddie:** *I think there've always been people who were really into women's football. I think I've started to realise in the Euros where we went quite far in the Euros, it started to be, you know, on the back page of the papers.*

Maddie says that some people have always liked women's football, but it is now covered more in newspapers - after England won the European championships last year.

And this is Sorrel, who used to play in high school and is a big football fan.

**Sorrel:** *I remember going to watch them when I was about 13 and there was like nobody in the stadium. But last- last year was the first year where I was like, 'Oh! There's male football pundits suddenly talking about the women's game'.*

**unwanted messages**  
*oönskade sms*

**contact details**  
*kontaktdata*

**survey**  
*enkät, undersökning*

**Information Commissioner's Office**  
*motsvarighet till Sveriges integritetsmyndighet*

**concerning**  
*oroväckande*

**growing popularity**  
*växande popularitet*

**to be into something**  
*att gilla någonting*  
**to realise**  
*att inse*  
**the Euros**  
*Europamästerskapet i fotboll för damer*  
**the papers**  
*tidningarna*  
**to be covered in newspapers**  
*att bevakas i tidningarna*

**pundit**  
*fotbollsexpert, förståsigpåare*

Sorrel remembers that, in the past, not a lot of people watched women's football. Now, even men are talking about women's football on TV.

**Carrie:** *So, Sorrel, why do you think they're only doing it now?*

**Sorrel:** *I just kind of think it's something new. It's something exciting. The women's game is a different kind of football from the men's in terms of the, you know, the tactics and the differences of physical size obviously that you know, are unavoidable.*

**in terms of**  
*vad som gäller, gällande*  
**unavoidable**  
oundviklig

Sorrel thinks that people like women's football because it is new and different to men's football. And what about you, Maddie?

**Maddie:** *I worry that maybe it's a trend or it's a fashionable thing. When the team is doing well and maybe if they start doing less well, people would be less interested.*

Maddie worries that although women's football is popular at the moment it might not be in the future, if the English football team isn't successful.

Thank you, Sorrel and Maddie.

### **Meghan Trainor wins Streamys**

*Music: Made You Look by Meghan Trainor*

Lastly, Meghan Trainor won a big award at the Streamy Awards this year.

She won for her song, Made You Look, which has more than 142 million views on YouTube.

The Streamys are an awards ceremony for streamers on places like YouTube and Twitch.

Other winners on the night were MrBeast, Dylan Mulvaney, and Kai Cenet.

That's all for this week.

I'll be back on the 23rd of September.

Goodbye!