



# Quarterly Programs & Issues Report

July 1, 2022 - September 30, 2022

East Lansing Insider, Exposure, The Sci-Files, The State and The Undercurrent are shows that focus on events, issues, and programs that affect the greater Lansing area and Michigan State University. All shows are archived and are available as podcasts on our website, [www.impact89fm.org](http://www.impact89fm.org), and popular podcast services such as iTunes and Spotify.

**East Lansing Insider: 9-9:30 A.M.**

**Exposure: Sundays 8:30-9 A.M.**

**The Sci-Files: Sundays 9:30-10 A.M.**

**The Roundup & The Undercurrent: Sundays 10:30-11 A.M.**

**The State: Monday-Friday 9 A.M.**

These programs are designed to allow student and community groups a broadcast outlet. WDBM-FM provides the facilities, an engineer and a host.

**Topics this quarter included:**

## July 10, 2022

**The Sci-Files:** On this week's episode of The Sci-Files, your hosts Chelsie and Daniel interview Alissa Ball. Alissa is an undergraduate researcher in the Plant, Soil and Microbial Science Department looking at using fungi to clean up heavy metals. Alissa's work aims to investigate how effectively fungi can accumulate heavy metals, thus giving an environmentally friendly solution.

## July 31, 2022

**The Sci-Files:** On this week's episode of The Sci-Files, your hosts Chelsie and Daniel interview Zahra Ahmad. Zahra is a senior studying Comparative Cultures and Politics with Minors in Global Public Health and Epidemiology and Computational Math, Science, and Engineering. Zahra's research focuses on the impact police administrative policy can have on police behavior, especially regarding police use of force.

## **September 6, 2022**

**The State:** In the news today: We are back with a brand new season of The State! Our first headline focuses on move-in weekend here at Michigan State, record number of freshmen move to campus. Our second headline focuses on city news, MSUFCU debit card blocking glitch resolved. Our last headline of the day, FINAL: MSU 35, WMU 13; Michigan State fends off Western Michigan in an uncomfortable win.

## **September 7, 2022**

**The State:** In the news today: Our first headline focuses on state news, the ultimate cost of the war in Ukraine: "It's never just about that one place," U.S Rep. Elissa Slotkin speaks out. Our second headline focuses on city news, Lansing-area Chipotle becomes first in nation to unionize. Our last headline of the day, IM Sports: What's available, how to play.

## **September 8, 2022**

**The State:** In the news today: For our first headline focusing on campus news, New MSU orthopedic surgeons hope to help students on and off the field. For our second headline focusing on city news, 'Dana Nessel lied to the community': Community leaders speak out against charges filed against DeAnthony VanAtten. For our last headline of the day, MSU students share their favorite on-campus study spots.

## **September 9, 2022**

**The State:** In the news today: For our first headline focusing on county news, questions about monkeypox answered by the Ingham County Health Department. For our second headline focusing on city news, two suspects were arrested by ELPD following an armed robbery. For our last headline focusing on campus and city news, Vegan, vegetarian dining options to check out in East Lansing.

## **September 12, 2022**

**The State:** In the news today: Welcome back to the first full week here at Michigan State! Starting off our week with the first headline, FINAL: Michigan State utilizes turnovers, rushing attack to breeze past Akron. For our second headline, several police units respond to gunshots near M.A.C. Avenue. For our last headline of the day, updates to student life follow the Board of Trustees meeting.

## **September 13, 2022**

**The State:** In the news today: For our first headline focusing on campus news, MSU Board of Trustees chair said she is against Stanley's removal. For our second headline focusing on yesterday's story reporting the gunshots near M.A.C. Avenue, 31 bullet casings found at scene of M.A.C. Avenue. For our final headline of the day focusing on club life here on campus, "Pitch Perfect" but better: the Acafellas.

## **September 14, 2022**

**The State:** In the news today: For our first headline of the day, East Lansing-area farmer's markets: Finding community on a budget. For our second headline focusing on campus news, MSU announces Rebecca Barber, VP of financial planning and analysis. For our final headline of the day focusing on student life, MSU students reflect on their mental health upon returning to school.

## **September 15, 2022**

**The State:** In the news today: For our first headline of the day focusing on campus news, the Faculty Senate passes resolutions urging the Board of Trustees for more transparency. For our second headline, ASMSU releases mental health resources for students, recognizing National Suicide Prevention Month. For our final headline of the day, Meet the candidates: Lisa Babcock talks criminal justice and overcoming imposter syndrome.

## **September 16, 2022**

**The State:** In the news today: For our first headline of the day, MSU student goes viral after finding unidentified substance in Subway sandwich. For our second headline focusing on city news, witnesses recount the scene of Sunday's M.A.C. Avenue shooting, panic at downtown bars. For our final headline of the week, the truth behind the past business college dean's resignation.

## **September 19, 2022**

**The State:** In the news today: For our first headline of the day focusing on Michigan State Football, big games from Thorne, Coleman overshadowed by struggling defense. For our second headline focusing on campus news, Stanley: Trustees to blame for failure in Title IX certification. For our final headline of the day, ASMSU Academic Committee passes a bill advocating for renaming of the Broad College lab.

## **September 20, 2022**

**The State:** In the news today: For our first headline of the day focusing on city news, Sparrow Emergency Center Okemos hopes to bridge the gap on greater Lansing's east side. For our second headline of the day focusing on Michigan State sports, Ali Easley's road from Crown Boxing Club head coach to MSU professor. For our final headline of the day focusing on city news, where to find Lansing's many LGBTQ-owned businesses.

## **September 21, 2022**

**The State:** In the news today: For our first headline focusing on campus living, staffing shortages in MSU dining halls results in use of disposables, student frustration. For our second headline focusing on city news, Of Virtue band: Lansing locals turned rising stars. For our final headline of the day focusing on Michigan State history to present, bleeding green and white: Black MSU alumnus and daughter achieve success.

## **September 22, 2022**

**The State:** In the news today: For our first headline focusing on campus news, 94 distinguished professors support Stanley. For our second headline of the day focusing on greek life, frat house shuffle: 5 MSU fraternities find new location this year. For our final headline of the day focusing on student experience, 'you will never not be able to work out': exploring east Lansing gym options.

## **September 23, 2022**

**The State:** In the news today: For our first headline of the day focusing on city news, East Lansing City Council demands AG drop charges against DeAnthony VanAtten. For our second headline focusing on Title IX, court grants MSU extension to submit Title IX compliance plan. For our final headline of the week focusing on fall fashion around campus, fall fashion: students talk about what's stylish this season.

## **September 25, 2022**

**The Sci-Files:** On this week's episode of The Sci-Files, your hosts Chelsie and Danny interview Sam Barans. Sam researches patient histories of trauma in populations at Clinical High Risk for psychosis at the University of New Mexico. Then, they talk with Anna Kim and Roksana Riddle. Anna and Roxy discuss their iGem project about using bacteriophage as a plant control for pseudomonads.

## **September 26, 2022**

**The State:** In the news today: Welcome to a new week! For our first headline of the week highlighting MSU Football, FINAL: MSU suffers embarrassing 34-7 loss at home to Minnesota. For our second headline focusing on campus news, the Broad Art Museum holds an annual drawing marathon. For our final headline of the day focusing on city news, Nothing Bundt Cakes of Okemos fundraises for mental health awareness.

## **September 27, 2022**

**The State:** In the news today: For our first headline of the day focusing on city news, what makes Horrocks so popular? The history of Lansing's favorite market. For our second headline focusing on MSU Athletics, 'A new era of Spartan hockey': Munn Arena renovations complete. For our final headline of the day focusing on non-MSU sports, where to watch non-MSU sports in the Lansing area.

## **September 28, 2022**

**The State:** In the news today: For our first headline of the day focusing on city news, protestors clash with Ryan Kelley at MSU Turning Point meeting. For our second headline focusing on campus news, Pi Alpha Phi fraternity member's charges dropped, witnesses react. For our final headline of the day focusing on off-campus opportunities, your guide to the best East Lansing-area public libraries.

**September 29, 2022**

**The State:** In the news today: For our first headline of the day focusing on Michigan State Soccer, MSU takes home Big Bear Trophy for the first time since 2017. For our second headline focusing on the Capital Area Transportation Authority, CATA no longer stops at Frandor Shopping Center over the owner's 'safety concerns'. For our final headline of the day focusing on student highlights, best of both worlds: STEM majors balance artistic passions and academic pressures.

**September 30, 2022**

**The State:** In the news today: For our first headline of the day focusing on Michigan State University professors, MSU professor involved in NASA's DART mission explains the science behind the historic event. For our second headline focusing on events at the Wharton Center, Wharton to host Nat Geo Live, bringing the Spinosaurus to East Lansing. For our final headline of the week focusing on the STEM program here at Michigan State University, STEM students share their thoughts on stereotypes of themselves, other majors.