

# QUARTERLY ISSUES AND PROGRAMS REPORT FOR

WMSC - FM

**First Quarter, 2023** (January 1st through March 31st)

Compiled by Ben Petruk, Station Manager Prepared and filed by Anabella Poland, General Manager

### **Issues of Concern to Montclair**

## Addressed in Responsive Programming in the First Quarter, 2023

#### **ISSUE: Arts & Culture**

STORY: Retired Astronaut Buzz Aldrin Marries 'Longtime Love' on his 93rd Birthday

NAME OF BROADCAST: The Morning Buzz

**DATE OF BROADCAST:** 1/23/2023 **TIME OF BROADCAST:** 7am-9am

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING:** 5 minutes

**PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:** Víctor Muñiz Rosa and Leslie Gallagher report on Edwin "Buzz" Aldrin getting married at 93 years old. Aldrin was born and raised in Montclair, NJ.

STORY: M&M's Spokescandies Change Was Actually a Super Bowl Stunt

**NAME OF BROADCAST:** The Morning Buzz

**DATE OF BROADCAST:** 1/31/23 **TIME OF BROADCAST:** 7am-9am

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING:** 5 minutes

**PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:** Jake Goetz and Aidan Ivers report on M&M's company Mars Wrigley announcing the absence of their spokes-candies in preparation for the Super Bowl.

STORY: Bebe Rexha Announces Release Date for New Album; 'Best F'n Night of My Life'

Tour Set for This Summer

**NAME OF BROADCAST:** Floor of the Forgotten Borough

**DATE OF BROADCAST:** 3/22/2023 **TIME OF BROADCAST:** 9am-10am

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING:** 4 minutes

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION: Silive reports that Staten Island native pop star Bebe Rexha

announced her summer tour and upcoming album set to release April 28.

STORY: Jonathan Majors Arrested in New York After Police Called to Domestic Dispute

NAME OF BROADCAST: The Morning Buzz

**DATE OF BROADCAST:** 3/27/2023 **TIME OF BROADCAST:** 7am-9am

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING:** 5 minutes

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION: Victor Muniz Rosa and Leslie Gallagher talk about actor

Jonathan Majors and his arrest in New York City.

STORY: Brooklyn's Newly Opened Museum of Failure Celebrates Bad Ideas, Silly Designs and

**Overhyped Products** 

NAME OF BROADCAST: The Morning Buzz

**DATE OF BROADCAST:** 3/27/2023 **TIME OF BROADCAST:** 7am-9am

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING:** 5 minutes

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION: Victor Muniz Rosa and Leslie Gallagher talk about the Museum

of Failure that is opening in Brooklyn that celebrates bad ideas.

#### **ISSUE:** Crime

STORY: West Caldwell School Bus Crashes Into Home

NAME OF BROADCAST: Montclair Newsroom

**DATE OF BROADCAST:** 1/27/23 **TIME OF BROADCAST:** 3pm-4pm

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING:** 5 minutes

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION: Hannah Cox and Aidan Ivers report on a school bus that crashed

into a West Caldwell, New Jersey home.

STORY: 29-Year-Old Woman Faces Charges for Posing as Teen at New Jersey High School,

Police Say

**NAME OF BROADCAST:** The Morning Buzz

**DATE OF BROADCAST:** 1/30/23 **TIME OF BROADCAST:** 7am-9am

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING:** 5 minutes

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION: Victor Muniz Rosa and Leslie Gallagher talked about a 29 year

old who enrolled illegally into a New Brunswick high school.

**STORY:** Security Up at NJ Temples After Person in Ski Mask Tries to Burn One Down:

Officials

**NAME OF BROADCAST:** The Morning Buzz

**DATE OF BROADCAST:** 1/30/23 **TIME OF BROADCAST:** 7am-9am

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING:** 5 minutes

**PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:** Victor Muniz Rosa and Leslie Gallagher talked about New Jersey Synagogue in Bloomfield that was almost burned down because of a lit molotov cocktail.

**STORY:** 3 Memphis Emts Fired for Their Response to the Fatal Police Beating of Tyre Nichols

NAME OF BROADCAST: The Morning Buzz

**DATE OF BROADCAST:** 1/31/23 **TIME OF BROADCAST:** 7am-9am

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING: 5 minutes** 

**PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:** Jake Goetz and Aidan Ivers report on Three Memphis EMTs were fired after an investigation found they broke protocols and policies related to emergency medical care during the aftermath of the killing of Tyre Nichols.

STORY: Sayreville Community in Shock Following Fatal Shooting of Councilwoman

NAME OF BROADCAST: Montclair Newsroom

**DATE OF BROADCAST:** 2/3/23 **TIME OF BROADCAST:** 7am-9am

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING: 5 minutes** 

**PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:** Hannah Cox and Aidan Ivers report on reports show the fatal shooting of Councilwoman Eunice Dwumfour in her car left the Sayreville community shocked and saddened.

STORY: Kieran Barrett Discusses Active Shooter Protocol

NAME OF BROADCAST: Montclair Newsroom

**DATE OF BROADCAST:** 2/17/23 **TIME OF BROADCAST:** 3pm-4pm

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING: 15 minutes** 

**PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:** Hannah Cox interviews Montclair State University's Chief Kieran Barrett about the procedures in place in the event of an active shooter on campus. Barrett announced that in the upcoming months the university will be holding a series of lockdown drills.

STORY: Michigan State Student Shares Experience Post Shooting

NAME OF BROADCAST: Montclair Newsroom

**DATE OF BROADCAST:** 2/17/23 **TIME OF BROADCAST:** 3pm-4pm

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING: 15 minutes** 

**PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:** Nino deNino interviews Michigan State student Gray Glasser on his experience after the deadly shooting that occurred. Glasser provided a first hand account of how students are dealing with the situation.

STORY: 2 Kids, 2 Adults Dead in Shooting in N.J. Neighborhood, Official Say

NAME OF BROADCAST: The Morning Buzz

**DATE OF BROADCAST:** 2/20/23 **TIME OF BROADCAST:** 7am-9am

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING:** 5 minutes

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION: Victor Muniz Rosa and Leslie Gallagher talked about a shooting

that occurred in a neighborhood at Linden where four people passed away.

STORY: NYPD: Windows at Staten Island School Struck By Gunfire Monday Afternoon

**NAME OF BROADCAST:** Floor of the Forgotten Borough

**DATE OF BROADCAST:** 2/21/23 **TIME OF BROADCAST:** 9am-10am

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING: 5 minutes** 

**PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:** Aidan Ivers and Nicole Passaro report on the New York Police Department reported that Public School 78 in Stapleton was struck by gunfire damaging two of its windows. No injuries were reported.

**STORY:** Moped-Riding Thieves are Stealing Airpods Max Headphones from People's Ears.

NAME OF BROADCAST: The Morning Buzz

DATE OF BROADCAST: 2/27/23 TIME OF BROADCAST: 7am-9am

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING:** 5 minutes

**PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:** Leslie Gallagher and JT Bethea report about how there have been moped riders stealing AirPod Max headphones off people's heads in New York City.

STORY: Nypd Officer From Staten Island Suspended After Being Accused Of Dodging Tolls

**NAME OF BROADCAST:** Floor of the Forgotten Borough

**DATE OF BROADCAST:** 3/1/23 **TIME OF BROADCAST:** 9am-10am

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING:** 5 minutes

**PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:** Aidan Ivers and Nicole Passaro report on Staten Island Live report on a 42-year-old NYPD officer who has been suspended without pay as he is going through legal disputes regarding him allegedly dodging to pay over \$3,000 in tolls across the New York-New Jersey area.

STORY: NJ Deli Connected to International Fraud Scheme

NAME OF BROADCAST: Montclair Newsroom

**DATE OF BROADCAST:** 3/17/2023 **TIME OF BROADCAST:** 3pm-4pm

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING:** 6 minutes

**PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:** Hannah Cox and the news team report on a local New Jersey deli, whose owners were involved in inflating its stock prices more than 900%, showing earnings of over \$100 million for a hometown deli that made less than \$40,000 in two years.

**ISSUE: Community** 

**STORY:** N.J. Drivers Face the Worst Commutes in the U.S

NAME OF BROADCAST: The Morning Buzz

**DATE OF BROADCAST:** 1/23/2023 **TIME OF BROADCAST:** 7am-9am

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING:** 5 minutes

**PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:** Víctor Muñiz Rosa, Leslie Gallagher, JT Bethea, Tanner Price, and Lana Kalapodakis talk about how New Jersey is the fifth worst commute according to two studies.

STORY: AAPI Montclair Will Joyfully Mark The Lunar New Year this Saturday

NAME OF BROADCAST: The Morning Buzz

**DATE OF BROADCAST:** 1/24/23 **TIME OF BROADCAST:** 7am-9am

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING:** 5 minutes

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION: Jake Goetz and Aidan Ivers report on AAPI Montclair's second

annual Lunar New Year celebration.

**STORY:** Global Center on Human Trafficking partners with Department of Homeland Security

NAME OF BROADCAST: The Morning Buzz

**DATE OF BROADCAST:** 1/27/23 **TIME OF BROADCAST:** 7am-9am

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING:** 5 minutes

**PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:** Amanda Gaudiosi and Kangela Guerrero report on the Global Center on Human Trafficking at Montclair State University and the Department of Homeland Security's Homeland Security Investigations Newark Division signed a memo for the development of a web-based application and website to aid in the fight against human trafficking.

**STORY:** Third Day Of Protests Over Death of Tyre Nichols Held in New York and New Jersey on Sunday

NAME OF BROADCAST: The Morning Buzz

**DATE OF BROADCAST:** 1/30/23

TIME OF BROADCAST: 7am-9am

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING:** 5 minutes

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION: Leslie Gallagher and JT Bethea talked about the protests in New

York and New Jersey over Tyre Nichols death.

STORY: Judge Blocks Enforcement at Some of NJ's 'Sensitive Places' Restricting Guns.

NAME OF BROADCAST: The Morning Buzz

**DATE OF BROADCAST:** 1/31/23 **TIME OF BROADCAST:** 7am-9am

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING:** 5 minutes

**PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:** Jake Goetz and Aidan Ivers report on a judge ruled against the Murphy administration in a concealed carry case which states places such as beaches, casinos, and parks cannot be subject to the state of New Jersey restricting the presence of firearms.

**STORY:** The Morning Buzz Interviews Christabelle Robinson from the Global Center for

**Human Trafficking** 

NAME OF BROADCAST: The Morning Buzz

DATE OF BROADCAST: 2/6/23 TIME OF BROADCAST: 7am-9am

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING: 8 minutes** 

**PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:** Victor Muñiz Rosa and Leslie Gallagher interview Christabelle Robinson from the Global Center for Human Trafficking about the latest partnership with Montclair State University's Center for Human Trafficking and Center and Homeland Security Investigations.

STORY: Trutv's 'Impractical Jokers' Unveil Season 10 Premiere at St. George Theatre After

Borough President Fossella Names Day in Their Honor

NAME OF BROADCAST: Floor of the Forgotten Borough

**DATE OF BROADCAST:** 2/8/23 **TIME OF BROADCAST:** 9am-10am

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING:** 5 minutes

**PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:** Nicole Passaro and Aidan Ivers report on depicts a crowd of 1,000 gathered at St. George Theatre to celebrate the tenth season of Impractical Jokers.

**STORY:** A New Jersey Restaurant is Banning Children Under 10. People Have Feelings.

NAME OF BROADCAST: The Morning Buzz

**DATE OF BROADCAST:** 2/13/23 **TIME OF BROADCAST:** 7am-9am

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING:** 5 minutes

**PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:** Victor Muniz Rosa and JT Bethea talk about a New Jersey restaurant that wants to ban children under 10.

**STORY:** Fossella, Malliotakis Say hTey'll March in St. Patrick's Parade that Rejects LGBTQ+ Staten Islanders

NAME OF BROADCAST: Floor of the Forgotten Borough

**DATE OF BROADCAST:** 2/15/23 **TIME OF BROADCAST:** 9am-10am

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING:** 5 minutes

**PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:** Aidan Ivers and Nicole Passaro report on, Borough President Vito Fossella and Congresswoman Nicole Malliotakis said they will attend the St. Patrick's Day Parade.

STORY: Four Injured When Decorative Helicopter Falls Into Pool at American Dream Mall

NAME OF BROADCAST: The Morning Buzz

**DATE OF BROADCAST:** 2/20/23 **TIME OF BROADCAST:** 7am-9am

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING:** 5 minutes

**PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:** Victor Muniz Rosa and Leslie Gallagher talk about four injured after a decorative helicopter fell from the ceiling at a waterpark in the American Dream.

**STORY:** Fossella, Malliotakis Say They'll March in St. Patrick's Parade that Rejects LGBTQ+ Staten Islanders

**NAME OF BROADCAST:** Floor of the Forgotten Borough

**DATE OF BROADCAST:** 2/21/23 **TIME OF BROADCAST:** 9am-10am

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING:** 5 minutes

**PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:** Aidan Ivers and Nicole Passaro report that despite the exclusion of LGBTQ+ people, criticisms and vows to not attend the St. Patrick's Day Parade, Borough President Vito Fossella and Congresswoman Nicole Malliotakis said they will.

STORY: NJ Educators Demand More Care for Teens Experiencing a Spike In Bullying

NAME OF BROADCAST: The Morning Buzz

**DATE OF BROADCAST:** 2/24//23 **TIME OF BROADCAST:** 7am-9am

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING:** 5 minutes

**PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:** Lara Ziccardi and Nicole Passaro report on principals and school staff being required to report harassment and bullying inside and outside of schools.

**STORY:** Interview with Val Dryhav

NAME OF BROADCAST: The Morning Buzz

**DATE OF BROADCAST:** 2/24/23 **TIME OF BROADCAST:** 7am-9am

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING:** 10 minutes

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION: Lara Ziccardi and Nicole Passaro interview Ukrainian transfer

student, Val Dryhav, about the one year anniversary of Russia invading Ukraine.

STORY: Unraveling the Mystery of Huge Object that Floated Onto Staten Island shoreline

NAME OF BROADCAST: Floor of the Forgotten Borough

**DATE OF BROADCAST:** 3/1/23 **TIME OF BROADCAST:** 9am-10am

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING: 5 minutes** 

**PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:** Aidan Ivers and Nicole Passaro report on a large ship fender spotted on a south-bound shoreline. As time progressed, the fender began floating north until it was not visible anymore.

STORY: Governor Murphy's Budget Plan for New Student Mental Health Service

NAME OF BROADCAST: The Morning Buzz

**DATE OF BROADCAST:** 3/3/23 **TIME OF BROADCAST:** 7am-9am

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING:** 5 minutes

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION: Lara Ziccardi and Nicole Passaro report on Governor Murphy's

budget plan for student mental health services.

**STORY:** Interview with Robyn Platz

NAME OF BROADCAST: The Morning Buzz

**DATE OF BROADCAST:** 3/3/23 **TIME OF BROADCAST:** 7am-9am

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING:** 10 minutes

**PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:** Lara Ziccardi and Nicole Passaro interview Robyn Platz about

their campaign for the Public Relations Student Society, "Touch Grass, Check Facts."

**STORY:** How Coconuts Protect the Jersey Shore, Other Eroding Coasts

NAME OF BROADCAST: The Morning Buzz

**DATE OF BROADCAST:** 3/3/2023 **TIME OF BROADCAST:** 7am-9am

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING:** 5 minutes

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION: Victor Muniz Rosa and JT Bethea talk about how coconuts are

helping protect New Jersey beaches from erosion.

# **ISSUE: Diversity & Equity & Inclusion**

STORY: With Over 100 anti-LGBTQ Bills Before State Legislatures in 2023 so Far, Activists

Say They're "Fired Up"

NAME OF BROADCAST: Montclair Newsroom

**DATE OF BROADCAST:** 1/20/2023 **TIME OF BROADCAST:** 3pm-4pm

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING: 5 minutes** 

**PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:** More than 100 bills have been introduced in states such as Texas, Oklahoma, Missouri, and North Dakota looking to limit the rights of LGBTQ+ people.

#### **ISSUE: Education**

STORY: Rainbow Signs To Be Replaced in N.J. Middle School

NAME OF BROADCAST: Montclair Newsroom

**DATE OF BROADCAST:** 1/20/2023 **TIME OF BROADCAST:** 3pm-4pm

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING:** 5 minutes

**PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:** Long Valley Middle School made the decision to replace rainbow safe zone signs with images of the school's mascot to promote kindness. This comes after parents voiced their complaints about the rainbow colored signs being present in school settings.

STORY: Murphy Says N.J. Public Colleges Need Tougher Laws to Make Sure They Don't

Waste Money

NAME OF BROADCAST: Montclair Newsroom

**DATE OF BROADCAST:** 1/23/2023 **TIME OF BROADCAST:** 3pm-4pm

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING:** 5 minutes

**PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:** Governor Phil Murphy said at a conference that he supports proposed bills that would potentially save New Jersey exponential amounts of money if public colleges report where their money is being spent and how it pertains to their graduation rates and the professors hired.

STORY: Rep. Malliotakis Announces \$500K for Eden II School for Autistic Children

**NAME OF BROADCAST:** Floor of the Forgotten Borough

**DATE OF BROADCAST:** 1/25/2023 **TIME OF BROADCAST:** 9am-10am

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING:** 5 minutes

**PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:** Rep. Nicole Malliotakis who was re-elected in the 2022 midterm elections for New York's 11th congressional district including Staten Island and South Brooklyn, announced she secured \$500,000 dollars in federal funds to support Eden II School in Port Richmond which specializes in providing education for autistic children.

STORY: 29 Year Old Posed as High Shool Student NAME OF BROADCAST: Montclair Newsroom

**DATE OF BROADCAST:** 1/27/2023 **TIME OF BROADCAST:** 3pm-4pm

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING:** 5 minutes

**PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:** Hannah Cox and Aidan Ivers report on Hyejeong Shin, a 29 year old woman who posed as a 15 year old high school student for four days at New Brunswick high school. It sparked controversy and concern for student safety.

STORY: Princeton University Student Makes Software to Detect AI

NAME OF BROADCAST: Montclair Newsroom

**DATE OF BROADCAST:** 1/27/2023 **TIME OF BROADCAST:** 3pm-4pm

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING:** 5 minutes

**PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:** Hannah Cox and Aidan Ivers report on a Princeton University student who designed a software, GPTZero, to detect text written by AI software. His work caught national attention by educators concerned about plagiarism.

STORY: The College Board Strips Down its A.P. Curriculum for African American Studies

NAME OF BROADCAST: Montlelair Newsroom

**DATE OF BROADCAST:** 2/3/2023 **TIME OF BROADCAST:** 3pm-4pm

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING:** 5 minutes

**PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:** Florida Governor Ron DeSantis blocks an A.P. African American Studies college course from being taught over certain topics such as critical race theory and queer theory, and the College Board releases a revised curriculum leaving those topics optional to teach.

**STORY:** Pennsylvania Boy, Nine, Becomes One of the Youngest Ever High School Graduates

NAME OF BROADCAST: The Morning Buzz

**DATE OF BROADCAST:** 2/6/2023 **TIME OF BROADCAST:** 7am-9am

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING:** 5 minutes

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION: Victor Muniz Rosa and Leslie Gallagher talk about a

nine-year-old Pennsylvania boy who graduated from high school

STORY: Video Posted Online Sows Apparent Handgun Slide Across Gym at Staten Island High

School

**NAME OF BROADCAST:** Floor of the Forgotten Borough

**DATE OF BROADCAST:** 2/8/2023 **TIME OF BROADCAST:** 9am-10am

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING: 5 minutes** 

**PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:** A report depicts a surveillance camera at Moore Catholic High School in Staten Island, New which captured when someone in the gymnasium dropped what seemed to be a handgun out of their clothes and onto the floor.

**STORY:** News literacy panelists from NBC 4 New York and Telemundo 47 speak at SCM

NAME OF BROADCAST: The Morning Buzz

**DATE OF BROADCAST:** 2/24/2023 **TIME OF BROADCAST:** 7am-9am

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING: 5 minutes** 

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION: - Lara Ziccardi and Nicole Passaro report on NBC 4 New York,

WNBC and Telemundo 47/WNJU spoke at the School of Communication and Media at

Montclair State.

STORY: Some Staff from Bloomfield College will Lose Jobs Due to the MSU Merge

**NAME OF BROADCAST:** The Morning Buzz

**DATE OF BROADCAST:** 3/3/2023 **TIME OF BROADCAST:** 7am-9am

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING:** 5 minutes

**PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:** Lara Ziccardi and Nicole Passaro report that nearly two dozen employees at Bloomfield College are not getting offered jobs at Montclair State University.

## **ISSUE:** Health

**STORY:** An Underused Covid Treatment

NAME OF BROADCAST: The Morning Buzz

**DATE OF BROADCAST:** 1/31/2023 **TIME OF BROADCAST:** 7am-9am

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING:** 9 minutes

**PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:** A drug called Paxlovid has had a lack of public awareness around its use, but for people who have been vaccinated or have stronger immune systems, it may not fall into the category of great importance.

STORY: U.S. Plans to End Public Health Emergency for Covid in May

**NAME OF BROADCAST:** The Morning Buzz

**DATE OF BROADCAST:** 1/31/2023 **TIME OF BROADCAST:** 7am-9am

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING:** 5 minutes

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION: The Biden Administration announced it will remove all health

emergencies regarding the COVID-19 pandemic in May.

STORY: Montclair State University Strongly Urges its Community to Wear Masks this Semester

NAME OF BROADCAST: The Morning Buzz

**DATE OF BROADCAST:** 1/31/2023 **TIME OF BROADCAST:** 7am-9am

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING: 8 minutes** 

**PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:** Montclair State University is strongly urging the campus community to make the decision to wear masks as COVID cases continue to circulate around campus and after the university changed the masking policy to optional last May.

#### **ISSUE: Politics**

STORY: U.S. Citizens Get Chance to Play Role in Resettling Refugees

NAME OF BROADCAST: Montclair Newsroom

**DATE OF BROADCAST:** 1/23/2023 **TIME OF BROADCAST:** 3pm-4pm

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING:** 7 minutes

**PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:** The United States is looking for 10,000 Americans to volunteer to help support the lives of 5,000 people who leave their home countries due to hardships to find a better life in America.

**STORY:** The Saga of Rep. George Santos: Inside his Many Fabrications, Exaggerations, and Embellishments.

NAME OF BROADCAST: Montclair Newsroom

**DATE OF BROADCAST:** 1/23/2023 **TIME OF BROADCAST:** 3pm-4pm

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING:** 7 minutes

**PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:** George Santos was elected into Congress from New York's 3rd congressional district in Long Island and northern Queens. However, numerous inconsistencies have risen relating to various parts of Santos' life leading up to his election win.

STORY: BP Fossella Implores Locals to 'Stay on Staten Island' in 2023 State of the Borough

**NAME OF BROADCAST:** Floor of the Forgotten Borough

**DATE OF BROADCAST:** 1/25/2023 **TIME OF BROADCAST:** 9am-10am

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING:** 5 minutes

**PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:** Borough President Vito Fossella gave his "State of the Borough" address on Saturday, January 15th at Monsignor Farrell High School where he graduated from in 1983. He urged people to stay on Staten Island for their resources and focused on the education, public safety and quality of life of the borough.

**STORY:** Manhattan Prosecutors Begin Presenting Trump Case to Grand Jury

NAME OF BROADCAST: The Morning Buzz

**DATE OF BROADCAST:** 1/31/2023 **TIME OF BROADCAST:** 7am-9am

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING:** 7 minutes

**PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:** Manhattan District Attorney, Alvin L. Bragg, approved to begin presenting a grand jury evidence of former President Donald Trump paying an adult film star money in 2016 during his presidential campaign.

STORY: 'Now Is Our Opportunity': Officials Say Feds Could Fund 80% of Staten Island

Expressway HOV Lane Extension

NAME OF BROADCAST: Floor of the Forgotten Borough

**DATE OF BROADCAST:** 2/1/2023 **TIME OF BROADCAST:** 9am-10am

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING: 8 minutes** 

**PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:** Local officials on Staten Island implore New York Governor Kathy Hochul to include the extension of the Staten Island Expressway in the upcoming Statewide Transportation Improvement Program which happens once every five years.

STORY: Blinken Postpones his Beijing Trip After a Chinese Balloon is Spotted Over Montana

NAME OF BROADCAST: Montclair Newsroom

**DATE OF BROADCAST:** 2/3/2023 **TIME OF BROADCAST:** 3pm-4pm

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING:** 10 minutes

**PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:** U.S. Secretary of State Anthony Blinken postpones his Beijing trip due to a Chinese balloon flying over the United States.

STORY: Nikki Haley planning Feb. 15 launch for 2024 White House bid

NAME OF BROADCAST: Montclair Newsroom

**DATE OF BROADCAST:** 2/3/2023 **TIME OF BROADCAST:** 3pm-4pm

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING:** 7 minutes

**PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:** Reports predict former South Carolina governor Nikki Haley

will announce her 2024 presidential candidacy on February 15.

STORY: House GOP Votes to Oust Democrat Omar from Major Committee

NAME OF BROADCAST: Montclair Newsroom

**DATE OF BROADCAST:** 2/3/2023 **TIME OF BROADCAST:** 3pm-4pm

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING:** 7 minutes

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION: Minnesota Congresswoman Ilhan Omar was ejected from the

Foreign Affairs Committee over her anti-semitic remarks years prior on Twitter.

STORY: Booker 'Sobered' About Chances for Major Policing Bill, but Hopes Something can

Get Passed

NAME OF BROADCAST: The Morning Buzz

**DATE OF BROADCAST:** 2/6/2023 **TIME OF BROADCAST:** 7am-9am

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING:** 5 minutes

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION: Victor Muniz Rosa talks about New Jersey senator Cory Booker

trying to get a major policing bill passed.

STORY: F.B.I. Found One Classified Document After Searching Pence's Home

NAME OF BROADCAST: Montclair Newsroom

**DATE OF BROADCAST:** 2/10/2023 **TIME OF BROADCAST:** 3pm-4pm

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING:** 6 minutes

**PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:** Reports depict former Vice President Mike Pence's Indiana home was searched by the FBI over concerns of classified documents recovered there weeks earlier

**STORY:** 7 Takeaways from Biden's State of the Union Address

NAME OF BROADCAST: Montclair Newsroom

**DATE OF BROADCAST:** 2/10/2023 **TIME OF BROADCAST:** 3pm-4pm

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING:** 9 minutes

**PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:** After President Biden's State of the Union Address, there were various takeaways regarding the everyday lives of people in the United States such as the economy, gun violence, social security and Medicare.

STORY: Lawsuit Against Former MSU Police Chief NAME OF BROADCAST: Montclair Newsroom

**DATE OF BROADCAST:** 3/17/2023 **TIME OF BROADCAST:** 3pm-4pm

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING: 8 minutes** 

**PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:** Hannah Cox and the news team report on Paul Cell, the former Montclair State University police chief and the lawsuit that has been filed against him for workplace discrimination.

STORY: DA leading Trump Case Says Retoric won't Intimidate Office

NAME OF BROADCAST: The Morning Buzz

**DATE OF BROADCAST:** 3/20/2023 **TIME OF BROADCAST:** 7am-9am

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING:** 5 minutes

**PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:** Victor Muniz Rosa and JT Bethea talk about Manhattan District Attorney Alvin Bragg is not intimidated by Donald Trump comments of being arrested on March 21st.

STORY: Hillary Clinton Speaks At Montclair State, Says Women 'have To Earn It Every Day'

**NAME OF BROADCAST:** The Morning Buzz

**DATE OF BROADCAST:** 3/27/2023 **TIME OF BROADCAST:** 7am-9am

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING:** 5 minutes

**PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:** Victor Muniz Rosa and Leslie Gallagher talked about Hillary Clinton being keynote speaker at Women's History Month event at Montclair State University.

## **ISSUE:** Weather

STORY: N.J. Weather: When will the Snow Start? Latest Winter Storm Frecast, Timing, Rain

and Snow Totals, Wind Alerts

NAME OF BROADCAST: The Morning Buzz

**DATE OF BROADCAST:** 1/24/2023 **TIME OF BROADCAST:** 7am-9am

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING:** 5 minutes

**PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:** Gabi Lutz and Terry Dickerson talked about a winter storm that came on Wednesday, January 24th 2023.

STORY: N.J. Weather: Wind-Chill Alerts Issued Ahead of 'Dangerous' Arctic Blast, Sub-Zero

Cold

NAME OF BROADCAST: Montclair Newsroom

**DATE OF BROADCAST:** 2/3/2023 **TIME OF BROADCAST:** 3pm-4pm

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING:** 5 minutes

**PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:** Weather reports indicate dangerously low temperatures for New

Jersey and the northeast region of the United States.

STORY: N.J. weather: Up To 6 Inches of Snow For Parts Of State In Latest Winter Storm

Forecast

NAME OF BROADCAST: The Morning Buzz

**DATE OF BROADCAST:** 2/27/2023 **TIME OF BROADCAST:** 7am-9am

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING:** 5 minutes

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION: Leslie Gallagher and JT Bethea talked about the incoming

winter storm that is going to hit northern New Jersey on February 27.

STORY: N.J. Weather: Winter Storm Watch Issued for Parts of State, with 6 to 8 Inches of Snow

Possible From Strong Nor'Easter

NAME OF BROADCAST: The Morning Buzz

**DATE OF BROADCAST:** 3/3/2023 **TIME OF BROADCAST:** 7am-9am

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING:** 5 minutes

**PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:** Victor Muniz Rosa and JT Bethea talk about a winter storm that

is going to hit a storm in various parts of northern New Jersey.

## **ISSUE: World and Travel**

**STORY:** Holland Tunnel to Close for Six Nights a Week Until 2025 for Major Repair That

Starts in February

NAME OF BROADCAST: Montclair Newsroom

**DATE OF BROADCAST:** 1/20/2023 **TIME OF BROADCAST:** 3pm-4pm

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING:** 9 minutes

**PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:** The Holland Tunnel which connects New Jersey to Manhattan, New York is undergoing construction beginning February 5 and will not conclude until 2025. This is to initiate work on Jersey-bound pipes and repair them after impacts reaching back to Hurricane Sandy a decade prior.

**STORY:** Auto Insurers Refusing to Cover Certain Vehicle Models Due to High Risk of Theft, Report Says

NAME OF BROADCAST: Floor of the Forgotten Borough

**DATE OF BROADCAST:** 2/1/2023 **TIME OF BROADCAST:** 9am-10am

**DURATION OF PROGRAMMING:** 7 minutes

**PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:** Reports depict more recent Hyundai and Kia models are almost twice as likely to be stolen from the absence of an electronic immobilizer. Some of the most prominent insurance companies in the United States are refusing to pay for these types of vehicles.

# WMSC Programs That Address Community Issues (Regularly Scheduled Public Affairs Programs) 4th Quarter, 2022

Public Affairs	Program Schedule and Description
☐ The Morning Buzz	The Morning Buzz presents a live-daily news show on weekdays delivering the latest national, local, and campus news affecting our community.  (Weekdays 7am to 9am)
☐ MSU Newsroom	MSU Newsroom, hosted by Adain Ivers and Hannah Cox, is a weekly news radio show where they discuss the latest news and current events, from around the globe to in the local community. They talk to guests for their takes on the issues and interview local newsmakers. (Fridays 3pm to 4pm)
☐ Floor of the Forgotten Borough	Floor of the Forgotten Borough, hosted by Nicole Passero and Aidan Ivers, is a weekly talk show about the two Staten Island natives talking about what they know all things Staten Island, New York! (Wednesdays 9am to 10am)

## Public Service Announcements 1st Quarter, 2023 (January 1st - March 31st)

Throughout the quarter the station aired [daily/periodic] PSAs providing information on a variety of local community activities and issues. Representative examples of such PSAs include the following:

- Ad Council:
  - ✓ Guard Dog Foundation 30
  - ✓ Lung Cancer
  - ✓ Empowering Girls Stem
  - ✓ PAWS 60
  - ✓ Migraine
  - **✓** Flu 30
  - ✓ Sound It Out Together
  - ✓ Pre Diabetes 15
  - ✔ WildLife Refuge
- Montclair State School of Communication and Media
  - ✔ Conserve Water
  - ✓ 450 Year Plastic Bottle
  - ✔ Buzz Driving is Drunk Driving
  - ✓ Save Energy
  - ✔ Don't Text and Drive
  - ✔ Drug Prevention
  - ✓ Counseling & Psychological Services
  - ✔ Parking Rules
  - ✓ Student Anxiety

#### COMMUNITY OUTREACH

1sh Quarter (January 1st through March 31st)

TITLE: Girl Scout Entertainment Badge Meeting

**DATE:** 3/23/2023

Hosted a local junior Girl Scout Troop at WMSC studios and led a meeting where they earned their Entertainment Technology Badge.

TITLE: WMSC Valentines Bake Sale

**DATE:** 2/13/2023

Baked and set up a booth to spread cheer for Valentines Day, and raised funds to continue to host events that engage our campus community.

**TITLE:** Pequannock Valley Middle School World Language Presentation

**DATE:** 1/10/2023

"Why Learning a Second Language Matters" presentation to 6th graders of Pequannock Valley Middle School in NJ, to help cultivate their interest in learning Spanish as a second language. The presentation included highlights of how a second language can lead to more and better opportunities in education, workplace and public service, but also how it can foster appreciation and greater tolerance towards other cultures.