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A customer browses the section of wines at Total Wine & More on Oct. 1 in the Frandor Shopping Center in Lansing. PHOTOS BY NICK KING/LANSING STATE JOURNAL

Total Wine & More, Unicorn Bar open

What new businesses came to Lansing area in September

Rachel Greco Lansing State Journal | USA TODAY NETWORK – MICHIGAN

Two chain restaurants and one national retail store opened new Lansing area locations in September. Chick-Fil-A opened its fourth restaurant in the area near the Eastwood Towne Center, while Hangry Joe’s Hot Chicken & Wings and Total Wine & More opened their first locations in the area. Long-time Old Town watering hole Unicorn Bar reopened and a couple opened their own coffee shop in Williamston. The Lansing area also lost a few eateries. Here’s a closer look at what the Lansing area gained and lost last month.

OPENINGS

Chick-Fil-A, Lansing Township

Where: 2615 Lake Lansing Road
The details: The Lansing area’s

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The patio at the new Chick-fil-A location at the Eastwood Towne Center on Sept. 17 in Lansing Township.

MSP: Nassar never on registry

Officials push back against rumors doctor was removed from list

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The Detroit News
USA TODAY NETWORK – MICHIGAN

LANSING — Michigan law enforcement officials said Oct. 2 serial sexual abuser Larry Nassar was never on Michigan’s public sex offender registry, contrary to viral reports that indicated he had been removed from the list. Only sex offenders living in Michigan are required to comply with and appear on the state’s sex offender registry, state police noted. Nassar has

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ELECTION 2026

Polls have El-Sayed ahead of Rogers

Jenna Prestininzi
USA TODAY NETWORK – MICHIGAN

Democratic candidate Abdul El-Sayed is leading his Republican opponent Mike Rogers, according to several recent polls — including one from Fox News — in the upcoming U.S. Senate election in Michigan, but the race remains close with polling within the margin of error. El-Sayed’s best polling came in a Sept. 24-27 Marist poll, with 51% of registered voters supporting him and 44% choosing Rogers. The margin of error is 3.8 percentage points, so the race could be effectively tied. The closest gap was observed in a Sept. 24-28 Fox News poll, in which El-Sayed led

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