



MEDIA CREDENTIALS

- Media credentials will be single-game access for both men's and women's basketball.
- Media are advised to follow all credential deadlines and asked to apply for the credentials at the site linked: <https://hailst.at/MBKWBKCredentials>
- Media will receive an email regarding credential status following the deadline at the latest.
- Priority will be given to those media members who meet the deadline.
- **Initial media credential deadline for MBK/WBK games from Nov. 6-Dec. 31 was Wednesday, November 1st at 5 p.m. CT as indicated in initial email from mid October.**
- If you missed the deadline, we are still accepting credential requests. Future SEC single game credential request deadline dates will be communicated in early December.

PARKING

- New for 2023-24, a driving route for media to enter the Leo Seal Parking lot by the football complex is attached on page 2 of this packet.
- Parking passes will be distributed on a game-by-game basis and will be digital via text. Matt and Nate will provide your parking pass via text from our electronic system
- There is a limited number of media parking spots available. If your plans change and you're not to attend a game, please reject the parking pass so another media member can utilize.
- Additional paid parking can be found in the North Garage, McArthur Hall and at the MSU Soccer Complex lot. A full parking lot map is attached on page 3 of this packet.

MEDIA CHECK-IN/ENTRANCE/WILL CALL

- Media Will Call is located inside the double glass doors at the bottom of the hill between Humphrey Coliseum and Dudy Noble Field, next to press conference room.
- Media can pick up credentials starting 90 minutes prior to tipoff.
- Please be prepared to show valid ID when picking up credentials.

MEDIA SEATING

- Media seating will be located by assigned seat in sections 222.
- Media are asked to read the seating chart to find seat location which are located on the railings of sections 222.
- Media can access their seats by entering through Portal H.

MEDIA FOOD

- Media food will be a voucher system for the 2023-24 season. Your food and drink vouchers will be included in your credential envelope upon pickup.
- The concession stands will open approximately 75 minutes before tipoff.
- Media members are asked to return to your assigned seat in sections 222 after picking up meal and beverage.
- If possible, arrive early for food as fans enter the arena 60 minutes before tipoff.
- A map of concession and restroom locations is on page 4 of this packet.

GAMEDAY INFORMATION • GOING GREEN

- MSU athletics communications **WILL NOT** provide printed materials such as game notes or statistics in-game.
- Media are encouraged to read such **DIGITAL** information online at the men's and women's basketball media portal at www.HailState.com
- Only flipcards will be available for pickup at media will call.
- In-game stats will be available courtesy of Stat Broadcast.
- Full stat books will be provided postgame in the press conference room.

BAG CHECK

- All bags will be searched and tagged at media will call.
- The clear bag policy does **NOT** apply to credentialed media but your bags will be searched and tagged.

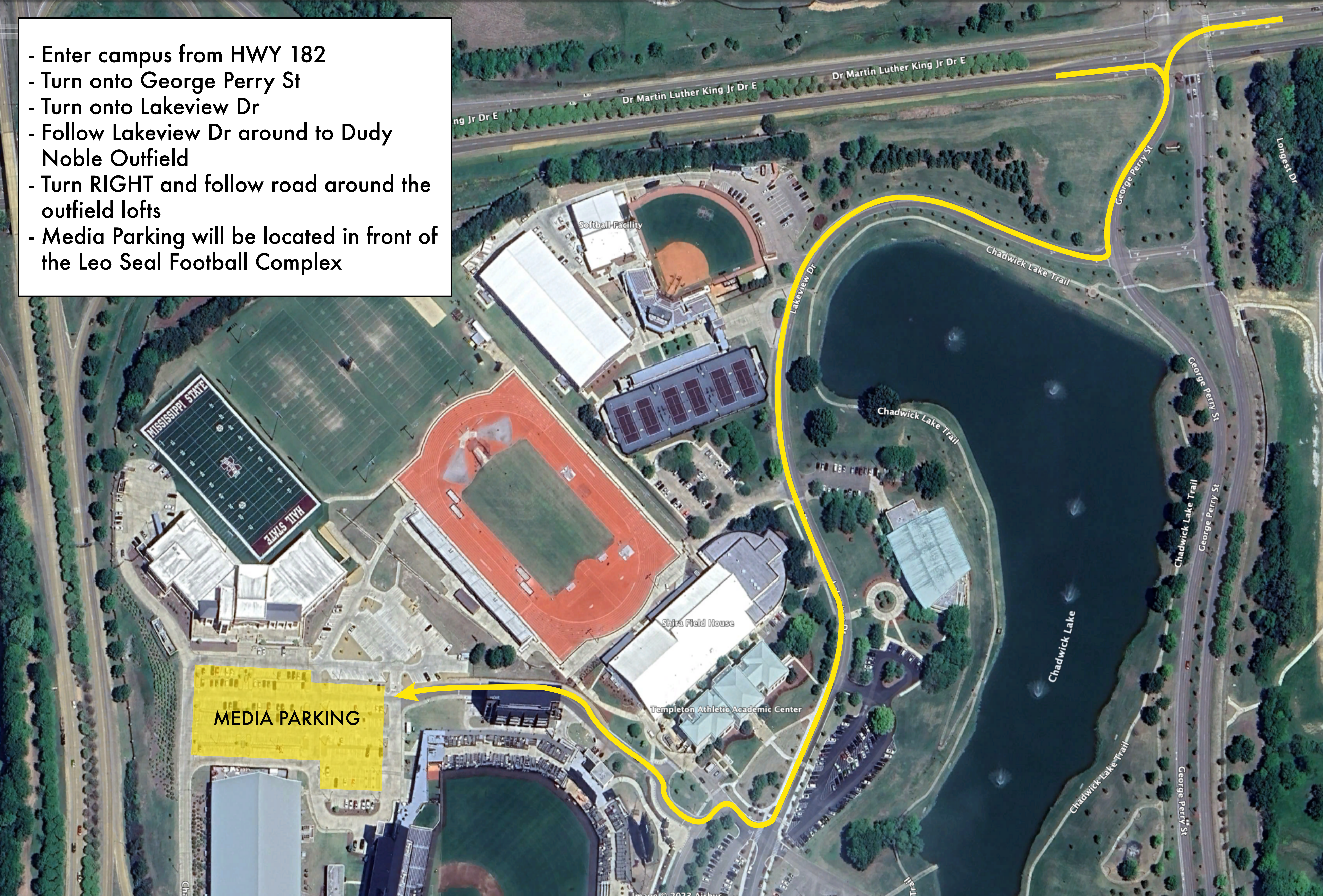
POSTGAME INTERVIEWS

- To access the postgame press conference room from Section 222, media are asked to walk down the stairs through the concourse and access the stairwell/elevator through Portal I. Please **DO NOT** walk down through the stands and attempt to access the media room through the Green Room or visiting team hallway like previous seasons.
- Mississippi State's postgame press conference format includes bringing one or two selected student-athletes followed by head coaches.
- A member of our student staff will record the visiting team. In non-conference, expect the coaches radio interview. In SEC play, most teams elect to conduct their own press conference across from the training room.
- Postgame quotes will be available on the media portal at www.HailState.com

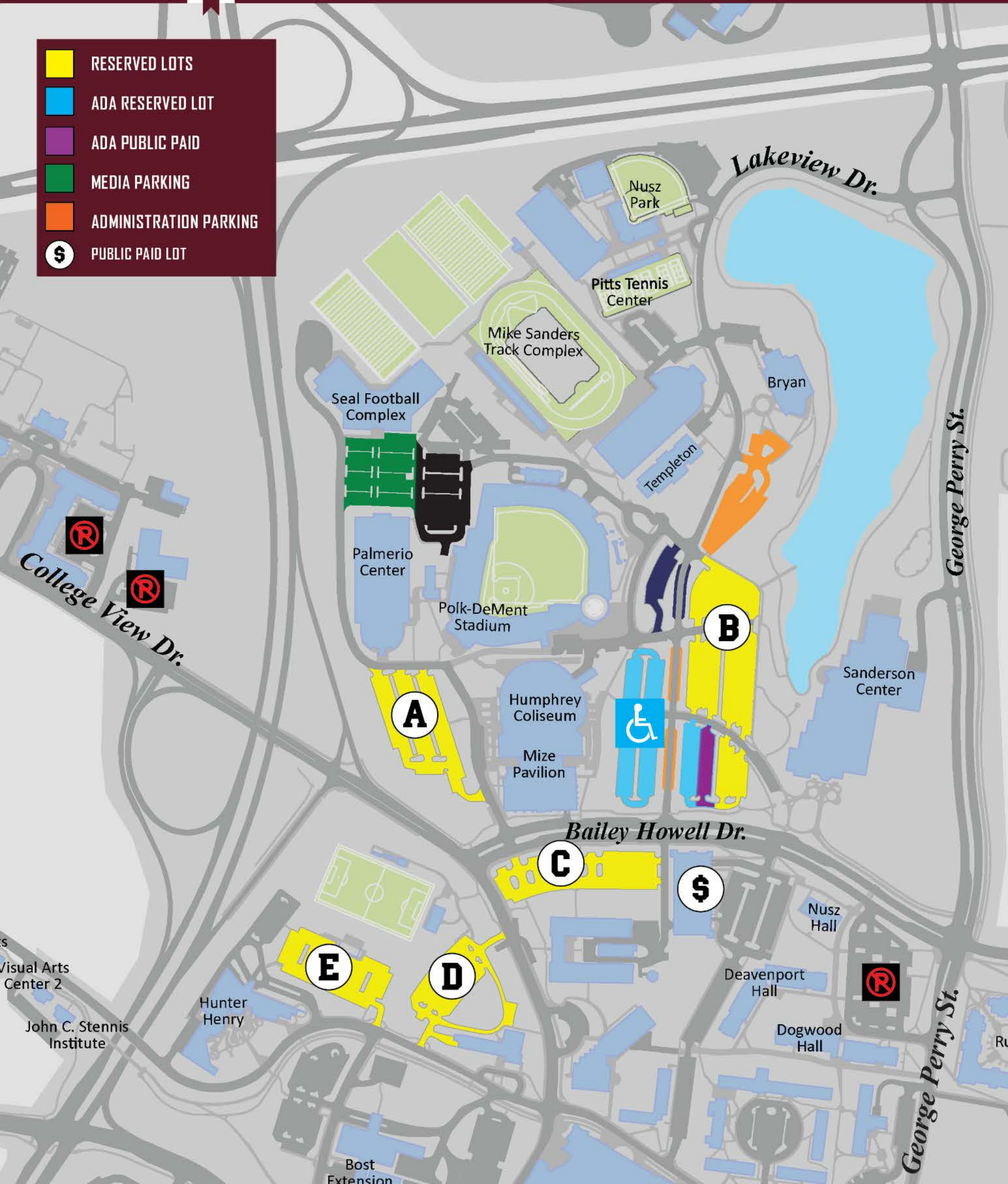
PHOTOGRAPHERS AND VIDEOGRAPHERS • COURT ACCESS

- Outside of the reserved spots for MSU Creative Photo, MSU Creative Video, Hail State+ and the Visiting Team Creative Photo/Video, courtside spots for media shooting is available on a **FIRST-COME, FIRST-SERVE basis** inside the marked boxes.
- Media is **NOT ALLOWED** to shoot by the team bench areas at any time.
- Media is **ASKED TO WAIT UNTIL MEDIA TIMEOUTS** to change sides of the floor and are asked to walk **BEHIND** the Television/Radio Row side in-front of the courtside student section **NOT** the team bench side.
- To access postgame press conference room, media is asked to walk up the stairs to the concourse and access the stairwell/elevator through Portal I. Please **DO NOT** attempt to access the media room through the Green Room or visiting team hallway like previous seasons.
- Matt Dunaway is the contact on the men's side at (727) 215-3857 or mdunaway@athletics.msstate.edu whereas Nate Jarrett is the contact on the women's side at (850) 499-7586 or njarrett@athletics.msstate.edu.

- Enter campus from HWY 182
- Turn onto George Perry St
- Turn onto Lakeview Dr
- Follow Lakeview Dr around to Dudy Noble Outfield
- Turn RIGHT and follow road around the outfield lofts
- Media Parking will be located in front of the Leo Seal Football Complex



- RESERVED LOTS
- ADA RESERVED LOT
- ADA PUBLIC PAID
- MEDIA PARKING
- ADMINISTRATION PARKING
- \$ PUBLIC PAID LOT





ENTRANCE KEY

	EAST ENTRANCE - STUDENT
	SOUTHEAST ENTRANCE
	SOUTHWEST ENTRANCE
	WEST ENTRANCE - PREMIUM

IN-VENUE KEY

	CONCESSIONS		FIRST AID
	MEN'S RESTROOMS		TICKET OFFICE
	WOMEN'S RESTROOMS		STAIRS
	FAMILY RESTROOMS		