

Spill the Buzz Podcast script

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Briana T.: Hello and welcome to **Spill the Buzz!** As always, I'm here with Briana, my person. I hope you're all doing great. Like every week, I'm back with new guests ,these little stars who are here to share their **bangers** with us.

So today we're here with Lenna, Joyce, Elsa and Luciane — a group of young, beautiful and very talented girls.

Good morning girls!

Everyone: good morning !

Briana T.: So Lenna, can you tell us a bit about yourself and your project?

Lenna H.: My name is Lenna Harrington, I'm 20 years old and I'm from England.

I did some short movies that got popular on YouTube and Tiktok. I am now directing my first "real" movie and I want it to buzz.

Briana T.: Alright, perfect, thank you. Now let's hear from you, Joyce.

Joyce M.: Im Joyce Mabasa,I'm 23 years old. Im South African,Im an artist I own a small TikTok account where I post about art techniques, how to do anatomy and of course all my drawings. I have a small preference for painting so i paint the most

Elza A.: Hey everyone my **nickname** is purple Tiger but my real name is Elza Amalhe Thandiwe i'm 21 years old , i'm Author Song Performer.I have thirty thousand subscribers on my TikTok account I'm gabonese and south african and i was born in Johannesburg. By appearing on this show, I hope to gain popularity so I can truly pursue my passion for dancing and sign with major publishing houses. But my desire is to represent my country's culture, history, values, and traditions with dignity.

Luciane B. : Thank you so much for having me, it's really a pleasure to be here.My name is Luciane B, I'm 25 years old.

I'm a Senegalese influencer, passionate about sharing.

Through my social media, I show my culture, my daily life, but also real moments of life, without filters. I like to create content where people can recognize themselves, learn something, or simply feel good.

Briana T.: Joyce, you said you're an artist where does that passion come from? And why did you decide to turn it into your career?

Joyce M. : My passion comes from a drawing I saw younger. It was so beautiful, the coloring, the perspective, the proportions ! Everything. Sadly I never found that art again, I searched everywhere for it. I decided to make it my work because I really like drawing. I'm an art student at the university of Pretoria in Pretoria.

Luciane B.: Elza Have you ever written songs in your language ?

Elza A.: Yes, I have songs in my language, I even have three : ukubuyela emsukeni (a return to one's roots), uthando oluqotho (Sincere love) , and ukuzisola (eternal regret) okuphakode ; these three songs are in **Zulu** because I'm Zulu.

Briana T. : oh great! Lenna What made you want to become a movie director ?

Lenna H. : I've always loved watching movies and always dreamed of making my own movies so when I heard the quote of **Alfred Hitchcock** saying "To make a film, you just need something that films and something that gets filmed." I knew that I wanted to become a director.

Elza A. : Oh wow! And what is your movie about ?

Lenna H. : My film is about an apocalyptic world in which wars take place between states because there are no more water reserves due to **global warming**.

Joyce M. : are you ready to address political and cultural themes in your realizations?

Lenna H.: I am because I think art in general need to promote something, to have a message and I want to promote good things in my movie so I'll always give a political message and political themes to my movies.

Joyce M.: Elza you are an Author Song Performer so how did you started making music ? And during the process did you faced a lot of difficulties ?

Elza A. : Ever since I was little I have always loved to sing, in the shower, while playing, at school and while eating all this supported by the great administration I had towards my grandmother who had an angelic voice but was never able to share her talent with the general public and I gave myself this challenge hoping to make her proud.

As I said at the beginning, I used to sing everywhere, and one day I decided to sing in the school choir. Everyone enjoyed it, and my friends told me to sing on social media, especially TikTok, which had just been created. I was between 15 and 16 years old. My first account didn't even reach 200 followers, and then three years later I created a new account, and that's where it all really started.

Lenna H. : How were your debuts as an influencer ?

Luciane B. : Honestly, at the beginning, I was really attracted to influencer drama, so I used to share that kind of content.

I was still new in this environment, and I didn't always have the right reflexes, especially when it came to checking information.

Briana T. : Have you ever faced difficulties?

Luciane B. : Yes, definitely.

Not checking my sources properly led me to share **fake news**, and it caused a **bad buzz**. It was a really difficult moment for me.

Briana T. : Yeah, you really have to be careful with fake news. Being in the media world, and as a journalist, I've already had to deal with it. I even almost shared some at the beginning of my career, and it's really not professional. It can damage your reputation, and you could even lose your job. So you always have to double-check your sources. And as an influencer, you also need to be careful about what you say and who you trust. If you do that, you'll be fine.

So, Thank you all for listening! I invite you to go follow these amazing young women on their different platforms if you're interested in art, culture, and films and most importantly, to support them. They are very committed young women who truly deserve your support. See you next week for a new episode. Byeeeee!

Words and Phrases :

Spill the Buzz: this is a play on the popular expression "spill the tea," which means to share gossip or reveal secrets. Here, the word "tea" is replaced by "buzz" to reflect a modern, social media context. Instead of simply talking about drama, "Spill the Buzz" refers to creating hype, gaining attention, and helping people

go viral online.

Bangers: Very good artistic project.

Nickname: An informal or shortened name given to someone.

Zulu: A member of a South African ethnic group or their language.

Alfred Hitchcock: A famous British film director known for suspense movies.

Global warming: The long-term rise in Earth's temperature due to human activities.

Fake news: False or misleading information presented as real news.

Bad buzz: Negative attention or publicity that harms someone's image.