

MEDIA STATEMENT

THOBELA FM LINE-UP CHANGES

Polokwane - Saturday, 30 March 2019 - Thobela FM will be introducing slight changes to its 2019/20 line-up with the purpose of serving its listeners in line with their needs, looking at the demands and environmental changes within the radio landscape. These changes will take place from 1 April 2019.

The Morning drive show, ***'Ditlalemeso'*** will be co-hosted by **Lenny T** and **Mankoko Baby** between 07h00 and 09h00 from Monday to Friday. **Sebasa Mogale** will present the 12h00 to 14h00 music show, ***'Mosegare wa Sekgalela'***. The youth show, ***'Moswa le Bokamoso'*** which broadcasts between 14h00 and 15h00 Monday to Friday will be presented by **Koketso Motau**.

The **'Top 30'** charts show on Saturdays will be hosted by **Fantastic Sebola** from 10h00-13h00. The African Rhythm Show, ***'Moribo wa Afrika'*** has been given a new name, ***'Afrika ya Dinaledi'*** and it will be presented by **Max Mojapelo** on Saturdays between 18h00 and 21h00.

The station's Sunday music shows ***'A re Tumisheng Morena'***, ***'Melodi ya Boiketlo'*** and ***'Jazz yeo phelago'*** will be delivered by the station's new on-air personalities respectively. ***'A re Tumisehng Morena'*** will be presented by **Ronnie Lesudi** between 08h00 to 11h00, **Kgopotso Sekopa** will follow with ***'Melodi ya Boiketlo'***, between 11h00 to 13h00 and ***'Jazz yeo e phelago'*** will be presented by **Promise Makgoale** from 13h00 to 15h00.

Thobela FM Station Manager, Ms Mosh Matsena stated that "the station finds itself in a position in which it needs an impactful change, looking at the delivery of content, music and the type of personalities that match with the station's identity and its strategy". We believe that these changes will fulfil the objective of increasing the station's listenership".

Thobela FM encourages the public to tune into the station on 87.6 MHz – 92.1 MHz.

The full line-up list for Thobela FM is as follows:

MONDAY TO FRIDAY

| Time | Show name | Team | Genre |
|-------------|-----------------|---|---------------------------|
| 00h00-03h00 | Automation | Automation (Ali Lamola) | Automation |
| 03h00-06h00 | Automation | Automation (Ali Lamola) | Automation |
| 06h00-07h00 | Hlokwa la tsela | Presenter: Karabo Matlala & Mpolaye Molaba | News & Current Affairs |

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| 07h00-09h00 | Ditlalemeso | Presenter: Leonard Legodi Presenter: Mankoko Mokhari Producer: Isaac Mashile | Morning Drive |
| 09h00-12h00 | Sedibeng | Presenter: Broadwin Monyamane Co-presenter: Thomas Masha Producer: Rosetta Sebatu | Health & Lifestyle |
| 12h00-14h00 | Mosegare wa sekgalela (Mid-day breeze) | Presenter: Sebasa Mogale Producer: Mokgadi Matlebajane | Music and features |
| 14h00-15h00 | Moswa le Bokamoso | Presenter: Koketso Motau Producer: Khutso Chuene | Youth Show |
| 15h00-18h00 | Ntshirogele | Presenter: Thabo Mohlatlole Co-presenter: Nkgadimeng Kekana Producer: Andrew Botopela | Afternoon Drive |
| 18h00-19h00 | Hlokwa la tsela | Presenter: Matome Maupi & Maseforo Mathatho | News & Current Affairs |
| 19h00-19h45 | Sport | Presenter: Simon Ramafalo Producer : | Sport talk |
| 19h45-20h00 | Mahlakung | Producer: Moleboge Mokgoebo | Soapie |
| 20h00-21h00 | Tabakgolo | Presenter: Moloko Mashamaite | Talkshow |
| 21h00-21h30 | Death Reports | Presenter: Moleboge Mokgoebo | Death Reports |
| 21h30-22h00 | Education Programme | Presenter: Mpho Moroaswi, Cate Madibana, Mogau Leshilo | Education |
| 22h00-00h00 | Moremogolo | Presenter: Happiness Maake Producer: JJ Menu | Late night talk |

FRIDAY EVENING

| Time | Show name | Team | Genre |
|-------------|--------------|-------------------------------|-------|
| 20h00-20h30 | Death report | Presenter : Moleboge Mokgoebo | PSA |
| 20:30-00:00 | Party Time | Presenter: Kgabo Mokgonyana | Music |

SATURDAY

| Time | Show name | Team | Genre |
|-------------|-------------------|------------------------------|-------------------|
| 00h00-03h00 | Automation (Music | Automation (Music Compilers) | Automation (Music |

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| | Compilers) | | Compilers) |
| 03h00-06h00 | Automation (Music Compilers) | Automation (Music Compilers) | Automation (Music Compilers) |
| 06h00-07h00 | Hlokwa la tsela | Presenters: Eric Mashao & Maseforo Mathatho | Current Affairs |
| 07h00-08h00 | Mofahloshi | Presenter – Mogau Leshilo | Education |
| 08h00-08h30 | State your mind | Presenter – Fentse Mojapelo Producer- Hebert Sello | Education |
| 08h30-09h00 | Teen Zone | Presenter- Laelo Mahlo Producer- Kgopotso Mashego | Education |
| 09h00-10h00 | Tsa manyalo (pre-recorded) | Presenter – Moloko Mashamaite Studio manning- Lorraine Mahlo | Wedding and Tombstone Announcements |
| 10h00-13h00 | Top 30 | Presenter-Fantastic Sebola | Thobela FM charts |
| 13h00-14h00 | Ke kgetho Yaka | Presenter- Karabo Matlala | Listeners' choice |
| 14h00-15h00 | Reggae ke mmino /Re ka kgona | Presenter: Kwetepo Matlakala | Reggae songs & interviews |
| 15h00-18h00 | Mabaleng a dipapadi | Presenter – Seja Morapama/Clifford Choshi Producer: Matome Lebea | Sports |
| 18h00-21h00 | Afrika ya Dinaledi | Presenter- Max Mojapelo | Continental Music: Specialized show |
| 21h00-00h00 | Party Time | Presenter-Kgabob Mokgonyana | Entertainment |

SUNDAY

| Time | Show name | Team | Genre |
|-------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|
| 00h00-03h00 | Automation (Music Compilers) | Automation (Music Compilers) | Automation (Music Compilers) |
| 03h00-06h00 | Automation (Music Compilers) | Automation (Music Compilers) | Automation (Music Compilers) |

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| 06h00-07h00 | Hlokwa la tsela | Presenters: Eric & Maseforo | Current Affairs |
| 07h00-08h00 | Lesang Bana | Presenters: Kgopotso Mashego | Religion – Children's Programme |
| 08h00-11h00 | A re Tumisheng Morena | Presenter :Ronnie Lesudi | Motivational/ Religious Programme |
| 11h00-13h00 | Melodi ya Boiketlo | Presenter: Kgopotso Sekopa | Local & International R&B, Soul and Ballard |
| 13h00-15h00 | Jazz | Presenter : Promise Makgoale | Local & International Jazz |
| 15h00-17h30 | Mabaleng a dipapadi | Presenter: Seja Morapama, Clifford Choshi Producer : Matome Lebea | Sports |
| 17h30-19h00 | Tsa Borena | Presenter: Matome Sekuba | Sepedi Music |
| 19h00-20h00 | Choral music | Presenter : Ally Lamola | Specialized Programme promoting choruses |
| 20h00-21h00 | Ditumelo le Bodumedi/Documentary | Presenter: Max Mojapelo | Documentaries /Culture and religion |
| 21h00-22h00 | Lentsu ke Bophelo | Presenter – Faith Choshi | Various church sermons/Hymns |
| 22h00-23h10 | Mahlakung Omnibus | Presenter- Faith Choshi | Studio manning |
| 23h10-00h00 | Gospel Session | Presenter: Faith Choshi | Gospel music |

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