



MEDIA STATEMENT

5FM LINE-UP SHUFFLE FOR 2020

Johannesburg – Thursday 30 April 2020 - [5FM](#) today announced their changes to the presenter line-up for 2020. The station will continue to focus on a strong music offering in addition to nurturing all current on-air talent listeners have grown accustomed to. The changes reflect the [5FM](#) teams' tenacity to maintain the station as an entertainment powerhouse and multimedia brand through incredibly talented presenters, carefully curated on-air and digital content. All while remaining on trend and with its' finger on the pulse.

The Roger Goode Show (Monday – Friday, 06:00 – 09:00) has already introduced **Zanele Potelwa**, (a.k.a. Young Boomerang) to listeners. Zanele, who's been the digital expert within the team, will take on a permanent role as the show's traffic reporter as well as continue as one of the station's digital producers.

Afternoon drive listeners will hear familiar voices - **Nick Hamman** along with **Nadia Romanos** on News, **Jude van Wyk** on Sport, and newcomer **Bibi Mbangula** on Traffic – who has been part of the station's digital team - will accompany listeners home on **5 Drive, weekdays 15:00 – 18:00**.

Taking over from Nick (**weekdays, 09:00 – 12:00**) is **Stephanie B** and **Msizi James**. This means that **Justin Toerien** will continue to host **Music Capital (Monday - Thursday, 22:00 – 01:00)** on his own.

Smash Afrika gets an additional hour to his show [5FM Nights](#), as he takes over from **18:00 – 22:00**. The ever popular and now legendary **Ultimix at 6** will get the Smash treatment and have new life breathed into it. Programme Manager Siyanda Fikelephi says that this decision was taken because as a youthful brand [5FM](#) wants to continue being trend-setters in both current and relevant content to young adults.

When the **5Squad** was announced last year, the station introduced listeners to a host of young people from various parts of the country who each held down one day of the week on the **01:00 – 04:00** slot. "We are proud that a year later we have identified potential in young radio broadcasters, absorbing them into our line-up to address other regional strategies," says Siyanda.

Tulani Madala was one of those talented five and will be taking over the slot for the whole week, while his Cape Town counterpart **Marilize du Plessis** takes over **All Night Music (01:00 – 04:00)** on the weekends. Durban-based 5Squad member **Leah Jazz** takes over **The Recovery Zone** on weekends **04:00 – 07:00**.

Seasoned Sport reporter **Duran Collett** finds a new home on the weekends alongside host **Nicole da Silva** and newsreader **Sibs Matiyela** on **5FM XL Mornings, 07:00 – 10:00**.

The **5FM Weekender5** who maintain the strong and cutting-edge music offering will see some minor show changes which include a new show for **Ms Cosmo**. She gets an additional show on Saturdays from **17:00 – 19:00**, which means that **Ryan the DJ's** show **Starting from Scratch** moves up an hour from 19:00 – 22:00. **The Kyle Cassim Show** then follows on **from 22:00 – 01:00**.

For all the updates and changes to the line-up, please refer to [5FM's](#) website.

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About [5FM](#)

[5FM](#) is not just a radio station. As a premium commercial platform of the SABC (South African Broadcasting Corporation), [5FM](#) is a multimedia brand that builds and shares content across digital and on-air media channels informed by a youthful community. [5FM's](#) purpose is to bring together youthful South Africans through the power of music. As an entertainment powerhouse [5FM](#) features some of the most well-known media personalities and music DJs in South Africa. The station embraces content that is relevant, youthful and co-created with the [5FM](#) community while proudly supporting the South African music industry. [5FM](#) has won numerous awards, including seven consecutive Generation Next awards for Coolest Radio Station, 2012 Commercial Station of the Year at the MTN Radio Awards and the Most Influential International Station at the Worldwide Radio Summit in Los Angeles. [5FM](#) lives loud!

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