



RSG WINS BIG AT ATKV

Johannesburg – Tuesday, 26 May 2020 - The South African Broadcasting Corporation (SABC), is pleased that its Afrikaans language service radio station, **RSG**, won big at the annual ATKV (Afrikaanse Taal en Kultuurvereniging), which this year were held online, over a three day period.

The popular radio station talent won six (6) awards in the LISTEN (radio) category for the following:

- **Joanie Combrink**, producer of *Man van Cirene* – RSG
- **Elize Cawood** for her reading of *Stralejakkars* – RSG
- **Pietie Beyers** for his role in *Blikslim* – RSG
- **Kobus Burger**, executive drama producer – RSG
- **Lynette Francis**, presenter of *Praat Saam* – RSG
- **Frieda van den Heever**, compiler and producer of *Voetsoldaat van die vers* – RSG

The SABC is also delighted that **Nic de Jager** and **Margot Luyt** were recognised through life contribution awards. Mr de Jager's award was in recognition of his 50 years in the industry, displaying exceptional talent through literature presentation, radio dramas, news reading and radio presenting. He was especially recognised for his phenomenal knowledge of Opera, and the programme '*Nic se Goed*' that is aired on RSG on Sundays at 12:00. His elegant and smooth presenting style, language knowledge and being a maestro in his field, inspires many.

Ms Luyt who has been in the radio and TV industry since 1978, has over the years played a definite role in the improvement and enhancement of drama and literature on radio as a producer, but also in the training and development of new talent. Margot's ability to work with people and convey her knowledge in such a manner that continuously improves the end product is exceptional. Her contribution to poetry and short stories on-air was also highlighted.

Ms Magdaleen Kruger RSG's Station Manager stated "I am extremely proud of the work put in by the team and the talent who have been recognised through the awards received. This is truly inspiring and I would also like to extend heartfelt congratulations to all the winners, I'm proud to be a colleague".



Mr Nic deJager



Ms. Margot Luyt

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About RSG

RSG is a contemporary radio station that represents in its programming, content, and presenting the contemporary, all-inclusive Afrikaans audience. With 1,295 million listeners across the country, it's the only exclusive Afrikaans radio station that broadcasts nationally and boasts with a 49% loyalty of exclusive listening. RSG offers a wide variety of content to different groups of people with programming and music that is relevant, interesting and entertaining. Key properties include talk shows, news/actuality programs, lifestyle trends, documentaries, radio drama, entertainment and information. A wide range of music genres is offered, ranging from Afrikaans, classical, popular to country and gospel music. The local music content is on average 70% per month. The station's website, rsg.co.za attracts more than 2.5 million page impressions per month.

Visit RSG online at www.rsg.co.za or follow the station on Twitter @zarsg

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