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The Voice of South Africa

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11900

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MAGOEBASKLOOF North-Eastern Transvaal
Scenic countryside between Pietersburg and Tzaneen – towns
immortalised in the literary works of John Buchan and Rider
Haggard.

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Die Stem van Suid Afrika

RADIO RSA





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THE VOICE OF SOUTH AFRICA

P. O. BOX 6, HONEYDEW 2040, TRANSVAAL, SOUTH AFRICA

MONITORING PANEL

our identification signal

Proudly perched on some conspicuous branch in a patch of bush on the South African veld, or in a tree in a domestic garden in our towns and cities, the Bokmakierie sings his duet with his inseparable mate. Heard until recently only in South Africa and South West Africa, his ringing call now resounds far beyond our borders to wherever Radio RSA is heard, as the call of the Bokmakierie combines with the strains of an old South African folksong strummed on the guitar, to form Radio RSA's identification signal.

The Bokmakierie (*Telephorus zeylonus* - to give him his full scientific name) is a member of the Shrike family, first described by the celebrated Swedish botanist, Linneaus, during a visit to South Africa in 1776. It is a grey-green bird, approximately 9 inches long, easily recognised by the bright yellow plumage of the underpart and throat. The yellow throat is ringed by a black gorget and the black tailfeathers are also tipped with yellow.

Somewhat terrestrial in its habits, the Bokmakierie is often seen running about on the ground in its search for food - mainly caterpillars, spiders, insects, small lizards and frogs. The nest is well hidden in closely matted bush or reeds and is usually placed fairly close to the ground. The large but compact basin-shaped nest of dry grass, twigs and roots, often with green asparagus leaves on the outside, usually contains three or four eggs of a greenish blue tint with scattered speckles and spots of reddish brown.

As indigenous to South Africa as the Bokmakierie is the folksong that accompanies his call on Radio RSA. Most of our folksongs were brought to this country from other parts of the world by our forebears; a very limited number originated in South Africa and "Ver in die Wêreld, Kittie" (Far far away in the wide, wide world, Kitty), the one heard by listeners to Radio RSA, is one of these. Like so many other folksongs, "Ver in die Wêreld, Kittie", is associated with dancing, being the accompaniment to a lively dance for young and old on informal occasions such as picnics and barbecues. The words, usually sung by the dancers themselves, don't amount to much; it is the rhythm that counts.

Radio RSA's identification signal is as typically South African as the Service itself and a popular guest in many homes throughout the world.

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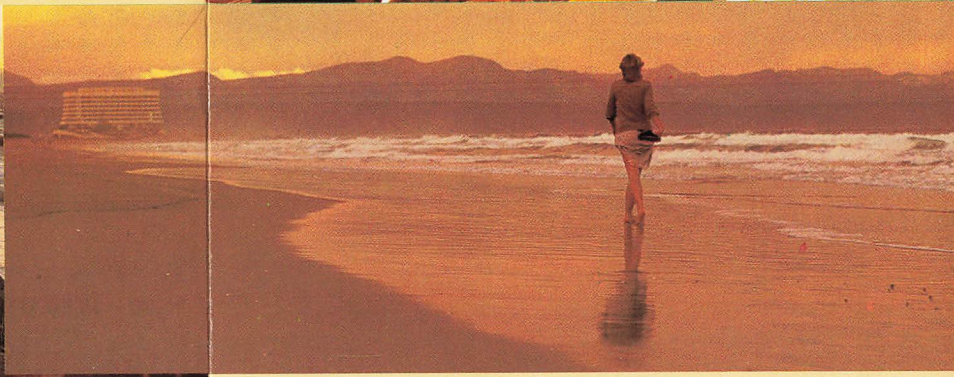
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*Bask in the warmth of hospitality
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where the law of the jungle prevails
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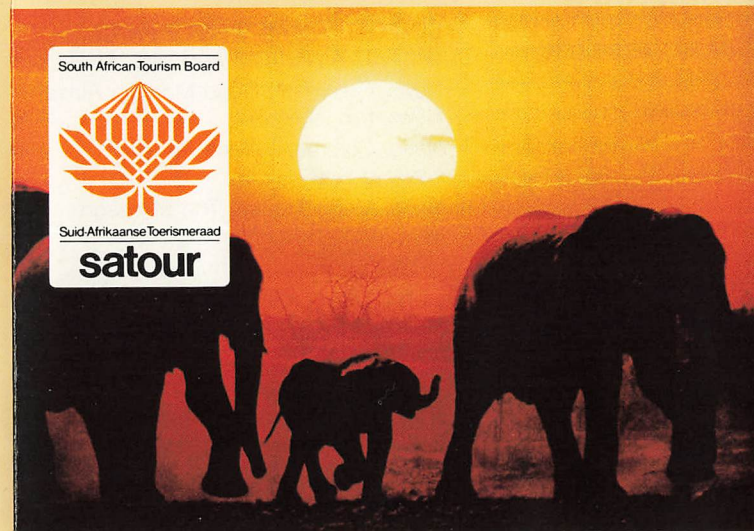


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**RADIO
RSA**



ENGLISH SERVICE
P.O. Box 4559
Johannesburg 2000
South Africa





RSA — ENGLISH SERVICE

(Left to right) Front row: Kelly Ngwira, Kathy Fitch, Archie Bhengu, Clive Ravenscroft, John Mutonga, Joe Salani.

Back row: Bernhard Leemann, Sandra Pretorius, Virginia Haas, Colin Houston, June Palmer, Shirley Veal, Peter Finn, Thelma Mbhalati, Dave Holt-Biddle, Wallace Baird, Colin Jackson.

CELEBRATE WITH US

South Africa, with a history dating back to 1652, is this year celebrating several important anniversaries which will be reflected in our programmes - Johannesburg (100 years), South African Broadcasting Corporation (50 years), South Africa as a Republic (25 years) and Radio RSA (20 years).

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PROGRAMME SCHEDULE

02.00 - 02.56 UTC

MONDAY
(SUNDAY in target area)

TUESDAY - SATURDAY
(MONDAY to FRIDAY in target area)

SUNDAY
(SATURDAY in target area)

03.00 - 04.26 UTC

MONDAY

TUESDAY - SATURDAY

SUNDAY

U.S.A. and Canada

News, Under the Southern Cross,
This is South Africa, Our Wild Heritage,
News in Brief

News, Comment, Africa today,
News in Brief

News, Saturday Night RSA. P.O. Box
4559, News in Brief

**SOUTHERN, CENTRAL and EAST
AFRICA and MIDDLE EAST**

News, Comment, Good Morning Africa,
News in Brief

News Comment, Africa Review,
News in Brief

News, The Message, DX Corner,
Good Morning Africa, News in Brief

06.30 - 07.30 UTC

MONDAY

TUESDAY - SATURDAY

SUNDAY

11.00 - 11.56 UTC

MONDAY - FRIDAY
SATURDAY

SUNDAY

**SOUTHERN and WEST AFRICA,
UNITED KINGDOM and IRELAND**

News, Comment, Good Morning Africa,
News in Brief

News, Comment, Africa Review,
News in Brief

News, Media Review, The Message,
DX Corner, Good Morning Africa,
News in Brief

**CENTRAL, EAST and WEST AFRICA,
MIDDLE EAST, UNITED KINGDOM
and IRELAND**

News, Comment, Africa Today

News, Let's Talk, South African Hit
Parade, The Week in Review

News, P.O. Box 4559, The Message,
Our Wild Heritage

13.00 - 14.00 UTC

MONDAY

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

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SUNDAY

14.00 - 15.00 UTC

MONDAY - FRIDAY

SATURDAY

SUNDAY

15.00 - 15.56 UTC

MONDAY - FRIDAY

SATURDAY

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21.00 - 21.56 UTC

MONDAY - FRIDAY

SATURDAY

SUNDAY

**CENTRAL, EAST and WEST AFRICA,
MIDDLE EAST, UNITED KINGDOM
and IRELAND**

News in Brief, Peoples of South Africa,
Yours and Mine

News in Brief, Media Review, Forest and
Veld, Yours and Mine

News in Brief, Let's Talk, Yours and Mine

News in Brief, DX Corner, Yours and mine

News in Brief, Our Wild Heritage, Yours
and Mine

News in Brief, The Week in Review, Yours
and Mine, P.O. Box 4559, Down our Way

News in Brief, Sunday Magazine

**CENTRAL, EAST and WEST AFRICA,
MIDDLE EAST, UNITED KINGDOM
and IRELAND**

News in Brief, Africa Today

News in Brief, Down our Way

News in Brief, Sunday Magazine

**CENTRAL, EAST and WEST AFRICA,
MIDDLE EAST, UNITED KINGDOM
and IRELAND**

News, Comment, Africa Today, News in
Brief

News, Down our Way

News, Sunday Magazine, News in Brief

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WEST AFRICA**

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Brief

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News in Brief

ENGLISH FREQUENCY SCHEDULE

4 May 1985 — 1 November 1986

TIME UTC	TARGET AREA	FREQUENCIES
02h00-02h56	USA & Canada	9615 kHz (31m) 5980 kHz (49m) 6010 kHz (49m)
03h00-04h26	East, Central & Southern Africa	9585 kHz (31m) 4990 kHz (60m) 7270 kHz (41m) 3230 kHz (90m) 5980 kHz (49m)
06h30-07h30	West, East, Southern Africa, UK & Ireland	11900 kHz (25m) 7270 kHz (41m) 9585 kHz (31m) 5980 kHz (49m)
11h00-11h56	Central, East, West Africa, UK, Ireland & Middle East	17780 kHz (16m) 11900 kHz (25m) 15220 kHz (19m)
13h00-15h56	Central, East, West, Southern Africa, UK, Ireland & Middle East	17780 kHz (16m) 7270 kHz (41m) 15220 kHz (19m)
21h00-21h56	West Africa & Ireland	9685 kHz (31m) 5980 kHz (49m) 7270 kHz (41m)

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