

# Maties get in Matt for Varsity Cup campaign

Proudfoot to lead coaching staff

By **Liam Del Carme**

Former Springbok and England assistant coach Matt Proudfoot will join Maties as a consulting head coach for this year's Varsity Cup.

It is a significant boost to their coaching staff after coach Norman Jordaan joined Western Province.

Jordaan, a former Springbok scrumhalf, left Matatafter just one year in the job.

"Matthew Proudfoot, ex-Springbok and England assistant coach, will take up the role of consultant head coach of the Maties team for the duration of the Varsity Cup competition," the club said.

Proudfoot became a free agent amid sweeping changes in the England set-up that saw Eddie Jones depart and Steve Borthwick arrive as head coach. Proudfoot, who received a World Cup winner's medal as an assistant coach in the Springbok set-up in 2019, joined Jones at England after that tournament.

When Jones was shown the door after a poor run last year, Proudfoot opted to move on.

Matt Proudfoot agreed to step down after three years under former England senior men's head coach Eddie Jones, according to RFU executive director of performance rugby Conor O'Shea.

"We are very grateful to Matt for all he has done for England and wish him every success in his next career move," he said.

Proudfoot added: "It has been a privilege to be part of the team for the last three years."

The former Scotland international won't have time to ease into the job as Maties start their Varsity Cup campaign with a home clash against old foes Ikeys on February 20.



Captain Siya Kolisi is set to move base to Europe after leading Springboks in the World Cup to be hosted in France later this year. /PIER MARCO TACCA/GETTY IMAGES

# Kolisi's move to France will allow Boks skipper 'more family time'

SA captain to join Racing 92 after World Cup

By **Athenkosi Tsotsi**

Springbok captain Siya Kolisi has confirmed he will join French side Racing 92 after this year's Rugby World Cup hosted by France.

Kolisi, who has been in sublime form recently for the Boks and his franchise the Sharks, is set to be given an early release from his contract with the Durban-based side, allowing the move overseas to happen.

At Racing 92, Kolisi will link up with fellow countrymen Trevor Nyakane and Warrick Gelant and will likely grow his brand in Europe.

In a statement released via his social media, Kolisi said the prospect of spending more time with his family is what made the transfer to Racing 92 more appealing.

"The move to Racing 92 will enable me to spend more time with my family, which is something I have longed for, and this prospect certainly played a significant part in my decision-making," read the statement by Kolisi.

"Not many athletes get the chance to write the chapters of the respective stories, and I view this challenge in France as an opportunity to do this.

"Indeed, it has been an incredible collaborative effort between The Sharks and Racing 92 that has enabled me to start a new chapter in my career af-

ter the 2023 World Cup," he said.

Kolisi joined the Sharks in 2021 from the Stormers, and took time for him to settle down at the Durban-based side.

The Sharks eased him into their system and are now seeing the best of him in the United Rugby Championship (URC) and Champions Cup.

Although they are losing a world class player and a huge influencer in Kolisi, the Sharks are happy to let him go.

"His well-documented and commendable leadership qualities extend far beyond the playing field and this is none more so evident than his involvement with the launch of the Players First programme, as well as his commitment in the expansion of the Sharks brand to a global market," Sharks CEO Eduard Coetzee told the union's media department.

"His move to France is a new and exciting opportunity and we could not be happier for him.

"We are blessed to have him don the black and white jersey, and we know that over the next few months, he will continue to give back to the team and our fans," he said.

Kolisi and the Sharks will be in URC action on Saturday when they take on the Irish province Galway Greyhound Stadium (7.15pm).

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Tenders are hereby invited from suitably qualified Service Providers to render the following services for Nkangala District Municipality:

Project No.	Project Description	Points	CIDB Grading	Compulsory Briefing Session	Technical Enquiries	Closing Date & Time
N/A	Appointment of a suitably qualified and accredited service provider for the repairs and maintenance of NDM audio visual equipment for the period of 36 months (Re-advert).	80/20	None	Nkangala District Municipality 10 <sup>th</sup> January 2023 @ 10:00	Mr NM Motshwene Tel: 013 249 2070 Email: motshwenenm@nkangaladm.gov.za	3 <sup>rd</sup> February 2023 @ 12:00
N/A	Rendering of cleaning services for Nkangala district municipality offices/buildings for a period of 36 months	80/20	None	N/A	Mr NM Motshwene Tel: 013 249 2070 Email: motshwenenm@nkangaladm.gov.za	3 <sup>rd</sup> February 2023 @ 12:00
7014/16	Appointment of a service provider for the routine horticultural and gardening maintenance services for NDM building for a period of thirty-six (36) months (Re-advert).	80/20	5SH or Higher	N/A	Mr NM Motshwene Tel: 013 249 2070 Email: motshwenenm@nkangaladm.gov.za	3 <sup>rd</sup> February 2023 @ 12:00
N/A	Project no: 23253316 appointment of the service provider for provision of web-based performance management and risk management system for a period of 36 (thirty – six) months for Nkangala district municipality.	80/20	None	N/A	Ms. G Mogorosi Tel: 013 249 2086 Email: mogorosiGD@nkangaladm.gov.za	3 <sup>rd</sup> February 2023 @ 12:00
101848	Supply, Delivery and Registration of 2 (two) response vehicle for Thembisile Hani & Dr JS Moroka fire station	80/20	None	N/A	Ms. M Machete Tel: 013 945 9013 Email: machetemmm@nkangaladm.gov.za	18 <sup>th</sup> January 2023 @ 12:00

Documents will be available from our the National Treasury e-tenders Website from the 4<sup>th</sup> January 2023 and can be downloaded free from [www.etenders.gov.za](http://www.etenders.gov.za)

NB:

- Tenders will be evaluated according to the Stipulated Minimum Threshold for Local Production and Content for the Goods and Services to be provided in the Projects.
- The Exchange Rate to be used for the Calculation of Local Production and Content must be the Exchange Rate Published by the South African Reserve Bank (SARB) at 12:00, on the date of Advertisement of the Bid.
- Compulsory tender briefing meetings are for the related projects, and prospective bidders are also welcome to contact the provided personnel in case of any enquiries.
- Service Providers are requested to contact the Municipality's Anti-fraud and Corruption Hotline Number on 0800 014 816 or go to <https://alert-us.co.za> for known Instances in Relation to the Soliciting of Bribes or Fraudulent Activities with regards to Procurement.

Tenders are to be completed in black ink and completed in accordance with the conditions and rules contained in the tender documents. The Tenders and relevant documents must be sealed in an envelope and externally endorsed with the relevant project and be deposited in the Tender Box, Ground Floor, Nkangala District Municipality, 2A Walter Sisulu Street, Middelburg, Mpumalanga. The tenders will immediately be opened in public on specified closing date. The Tenders shall remain valid for a period of a minimum of 90 to a maximum of 120 days from the closing date. Telegraphic, telephonic, fax, telex e-mail or late tenders will not be accepted.

Tenders will be evaluated in terms of the Supply Chain Management Policy of Nkangala District Municipality. The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted, and Nkangala District Municipality reserves the right not to consider any tender not suitably endorsed or comprehensively completed, as well as the right to accept the tender in whole or part. Suppliers and/ or Service Providers need to be registered on CSD.

Administration Queries may be directed to the Supply Chain Office from Nkangala District Municipality at 013 249 2103/ 04/ 05/ 06/ 07/ 2096.

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