

# De Meulder Visit October 2012

## 1. Overview of activities

The party around Ms. De Meulder, which included the organist Ad van Sleuwen, his wife, Fien van Dingenen, and the couple Jef and Lieve Ongena, arrived on Thursday afternoon 25 October, and was welcomed by myself at the Miederpark Dutch Reformed Church, where the concert in Potchefstroom was scheduled to take place at 19h30 in the evening. The musicians prepared for the concert and then retired to the facilities provided for on the church grounds to relax. The concert was attended by a small but enthusiastic audience, which included lecturers at the Conservatory of the North West University in Potchefstroom. The mixed programme included works for soprano and organ, recorder and organ, and organ solo, performed by Cristel de Meulder, Fien van Dingenen and Ad van Sleuwen.

After the concert, the group was escorted to the Dome Arts Retreat in the Vredefort Dome World Heritage Site, which lies about 45km from Potchefstroom. On Friday, 26 October, the musicians and their guests were given a guided tour of the facilities and the surroundings, using the opportunity to practice and discuss future collaboration. Due to the lack of interest in the master classes, which were scheduled to take place on Saturday morning 27 October, these were cancelled, and the party decided to proceed with their journey in order to arrive at their next destination in time. The fact that the visit fell inside the university examination time is the main reason for this lack of interest.

## 2. Music Programme

### **Jacques-Nicolas Lemmens (1823-1881)**

Laudate Dominum de coelis - Psalm 148  
vir sopraan en orrel

### **Arturo Benedetto Marcello (1686-1739)**

Sonate in d - opus 2 nr.11  
vir blokfluit en orrel

### **Antonio Vivaldi (1678-1741)**

Concerto in a  
vir orrel solo, verwerk deur Ad van Sleuwen  
*Moderato*  
*Largo*  
*Allegro*

### **Gian Francesco de Majo (1732-1770)**

Cantate : Sicut cerva, quae per valles  
vir sopraan en orrel  
*Allegro : Sicut cerva*  
*Recitativo : Sic inter lacrimarum rivulos*  
*Andante Cantabile : Ama et spera, sponsa bella*  
*Recitativo : His consolata vocibus*  
*Spiritoso : Alleluia*

### **Guiseppe Sammartini (1695-1750)**

Siciliano in a  
vir blokfluit en orrel

### **Giuseppe Giordani (1551-1798)**

Exaltabo te  
Lauda anima mea Dominum  
vir sopraan en orrel

### **Jan Nieland (1903-1963)**

Toccata vir orrel solo

### **Lodewijk Mortelmans (1868-1937)**

Kindje, wat ben je toch zacht

## Lodewijk De Vocht (1887-1977)

Jesu, allerliefste kind  
vir sopraan en orrel

### 3. Financial report

#### Income:

Concert revenue Potchefstroom	980
<b>Total</b>	<b>980</b>

#### Expenses:

Church rental Miederpark	1 350
Printing costs	55
Accommodation 5 persons @ R250 (Dome Arts Retreat)	1 250
Administrative expenses	150
Transport 90km at R1,61/km	145
Flight ticket Ms de Meulder	6 590
Local transport and accommodation Ms de Meulder	3 440
<b>Total</b>	<b>12 980</b>

<b>Nett deficit</b>	<b>12 000</b>
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