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Pecanomics: An Overview of the 2024 Season

SAPPA presents the Pecanomics 2024 statistical report, offering an analysis of the pecan industry and 2024-season. Compiled using data from the South African Revenue Service (SARS) and inputs from processors and nurseries, this report is a resource for understanding industry trends. Divided into two parts, it explores global and South African pecan production in part one, while part two delves into South African exports, covering both in-shell and shelled pecans.

Find the report on our website at: <https://www.sappa.za.org/industry-statistics/>

Register as a Pest Control Officer

As previously communicated, there are certain active ingredients that are now listed as restricted-use chemicals. To be able to continue with the use of these chemicals you need to register as a Pest Control Officer. For more information, please follow the link below:

<https://www.sappa.za.org/crop-protection/>

Corneluis Latha

Corneluis Latha is een van die suksesvolste pekanboere in SAPPA se transformasieprogram. Hy boer in Vaalharts tussen Hartswater en Jan Kempdorp. SAPPA het hom in 2017 ontmoet, en in 2018 is sy eerste bome geplant. In 2019 het hy 'n tweede plaas van ongeveer 100 ha naby Jan Kempdorp aangekoop, waarvan 23 ha reeds met pekanneute gevestig was. SAPPA het hom bygestaan om nog sowat 2 ha op daardie plaas te vestig.

Corneluis sukkel met sy heup en loop met krukke, maar dit keer hom nie om elke dag op te staan en sy passie vir boerdery uit te leef nie. Sy grootste doelwit is om sy pekanboerdery 'n sukses te maak, omdat hy weet dit kan vir sy kinders voorsien wanneer hy eendag aftree. In die 2024-seisoen het hy 28 ton geoes en is baie tevrede met die resultaat. Hy mik elke jaar vir 'n effens groter oes en sy langtermyn doelwit is om tussen 40 en 50 ton te oes.

SAPPA sien uit na die pad vorentoe saam met Corneluis en is oortuig dat daar nog baie goeie dinge wag.

Hier staan Corneluis by een van sy bome. Hy het altyd 'n glimlag op sy gesig want: "daar is nie tyd om ongelukkig te wees wanneer 'n mens boer nie."



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