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TC BONNEVOIE EUROPEAN CLUB CHAMPION FOR WOMEN

It was the third time that the final round of the European Club Campionships for Women took place at the TC Bonnevoie. a beautiful Club outside Luxembourg City. In spite of the bad weather, the winners of the National Interclub different



Anne Kremer (TC Bonnevoie)

Championships, showed their best from 5th – 9th July the second week of Wimbledon. Players like Anne Kremer (WTA 34), Denisa Chladkova (WTA 37), Anna Smashnova (WTA 59), and Rita Grande (WTA 61) were fighting to become the European Club Champions.

The Final between TC Bonnevoie and TC Napoli was played on a high standard, which provided excellent tennis. The local team won the Final 4:2 and became for the first time in their history European Club Champions.

If you would like to receive the detailed results contact Magnus Grönvold at the ETA office in Basel (Tel. +41 61 331 76 75, Fax +41 61 331 72 53 magnusg@etatennis.com).

CZECH JUNIORS WIN NATIONS RANKING

The 2000 European Junior Individual Championships took place from 24th – 30th July 2000. They were hosted by the Italian Tennis Federation, The Lawn Tennis Association and Swiss Tennis, according to the three age categories. This year 43 Nations took part in the competition, which once more was very well organized by the following clubs: TC Solaro & CT San Remo in San Remo/ITA (14&U), Queenswood LTA Centre in Hatfield/GBR (16U), Tennis Club Klosters in Klosters/SUI (18&U).

The Czech Republic was the most successful Nation, followed by the Slovak Republic and Great Britain.

ANNE KREMER IN THE SPOT

A. Kremer (LUX) is 24 years old and has already been four times the "sports woman of the year" in her country. She turned pro in September 1998 and since then she has been moving up to position 34 in the Sanex WTA Ranking. In 1999 she had some promising results like 3rd round in Wimbledon and Miami, Winner of ITF/Midland Mich. USA and Finalist in Pattaya.

Congratulations for great victory in the 2000 European Club Championships for Women.

What does it mean to you and the TC Bonnevoie to win the European Club Championships Women?

It is a great title for the Club and its President especially as the Real Club Tenis Barce-Iona won (Matches 3-3 Sets 8:7) by a narrow margin against us last year. Furthermore it is the 30th Anniversary of the Club so what could be a better birthday present? For me it is also a big satisfaction as we players have been trying hard for three years to win the title.

It seems that you enjoy playing team competitions. You regularly play the FED CUP, European Women's Team Championships and the European Club Championships for Women. Could you give a comment to this statement?

Tennis is an individual sport and to play in a team competition gives me a change to the daily tennis routine. As it is not possible to win points in such competitions the pressure is not so big for the players, which guarantees good tennis. The environment in such championships is always quite relaxed and that is also connected to the fact that no points can be won.

As the number one player of Luxembourg you will be playing the Olympics. What does it mean to you to be part of the Games and what are your expectations?

I participated already 4 years ago in the Olympic Games and it was very special. It is important to me to represent Luxembourg in Sydney and I would say it is the highlight of this tennis season. I expect from myself to play good tennis and to win some rounds but to be honest it also depends on the draw.

Your tennis has been very stable in the last 12 months, which is visible from the WTA Ranking. What are your goals for the future concerning the ranking?

I have been a pro for two years and it was my first aim to stabilise my ranking, which I managed very well. The next step would be to enter the top 30 and I might be able to do this during this summer, as I have not many points to defend. In a long run I hope that I can reach the top 20.

You live in a small country and you are the Luxembourg sports woman of the year. Can you feel the publicity around you? Has it somehow changed your life?

I receive a lot of attention in the Luxembourg media and the interest of the people is rather big which is an honour for me but still my fellow citizens are very discrete people so I have a lot of privacy.

Thank you Anne for answering those questions. We wish you all the best in Sydney and we hope to see you also in the future playing all our events.

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FINAL STANDING

1. TC Bonnvoie (LUX)

2. TC Napoli (ITA)

3. TED CLUB (TUR)

Filothei TC (GRE)

5. TC Arquebusiers (LUX)

6. TC Red Star (YUG)

7. TK Split (CRO)

TK Ridze (LAT)

BARCELONA WELCOMES EUROPEAN INTERCLUB CHAMPIONS

The National Men's Interclub Champions from fourteen European countries will fight from $20^{th}-23^{rd}$ September in Barcelona for the trophy of the European Club Champion for Men. The host club will be the Real Club de Tenis Barcelona-1899 where also the ATP TOUR stops every year for their 1'000'000 US\$ Tournament (Open Seat Godo).

The Real Club de Tenis Barcelona-1899 and the Club de Tenis Barcino are the big favourites to win the trophy. In their Pre-Nominations you can find players such as Berasategui (RCTB), Blanco (RCTB), Alonso (RCTB), Portas (Barcino), Sanchez (Barcino) and Alvarez (Barcino).

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Participants

- 1. Stade Toulousain (FRA)
- 2. Frinton LTC (GBR)
- 3. Thessaloniki TC (GRE)
- 4. Ventspils Tennis Club (LAT)
- 5. TC Bonnevoie (LUX)
- 6. Nordstrand TK (NOR)
- 7. GTT Lechia Gdansk (POL)
- 8. Club Desportivo Nacional (POR)
- 9. Clubul Sportiv Dinamo Bucuresti (ROM)
- 10. Club de Tenis Barcino (ESP)
- 11. Real Club de Tenis Barcelona-1899 (ESP)
- 12. TED Club (TUR)
- 13. Tennis Club Red Star (YUG)
- 14. Zurovski Tennis Club (RUS)

ETA REGIONAL MEETING IN TURKEY

The traditional meetings of Regional Associations taking place during the ITF AGM were hold this year in Antalya (TUR) on Wednesday 14th June.

Delegates from 30 nations attended the ETA meeting chaired by President A. Pujol.

The President gave some information about upcoming meetings and announced that the ITF President called for the first time a meeting with the Presidents of all Regional Associations for the following day, where he would like to tackle two important matters: decentralization (more self determination to the regions) and membership (regional membership to be a condition for ITF membership).

A. Pujol asked for the opinion of the delegates about applying the "preelections" procedure again next year for the elections of the ITF Board of Directors. The meeting was in favour of it and the deadlines will be checked.

Ellen de Lange, Manager of Wheelchair Tennis at the ITF, made a short presentation and asked the delegates to support wheelchair tennis in their country as much as possible, by integrating it in their Associations or having close relationship with existing wheelchair associations.

When the ITF President F. Ricci Bitti and Executive Vice-President J. Margets joined the meeting, several items on the agenda of the ITF AGM, especially the proposals for changes in the Davis Cup/ Fed Cup Rules and Rules of Tennis were discussed.

COACHES EDUCATION IN EASTERN EUROPE

Following the very successful project funded by Olympic Solidarity, which allowed the Macedonian Tennis Association to set up their own Coaches Education System early this year, several initiatives with regard to coaches education have been held so far in Eastern Europe by the ITF/ETA in co-operation with theirs member nations.

LEVEL II COACHES COURSE

The Latvian Tennis Union played host to the 1st Regional Level II Coaches Course in Eastern Europe. The course was held in the beautiful resort of Jurmala at the national tennis centre from 17-28 July, with 23 high profile coaches taking part that were nominated by the National Associations from the following countries:

Azerbaijan, Belarus, Bulgaria, Bosnia-Herzegovina, Estonia, Lithuania, Latvia, Moldova and Yugoslavia.

The course experts were Frank Couraud,

course director and ITF Development Projects Administrator; Luca Santilli, ITF/ETA Development Officer for Europe, who worked very closely with the LTU to make the event possible; and Frank Zlesak, the very experienced coach from Czech Republic.

The project is part of the Coach Education programme in Eastern Europe and the purpose of the course was to train the coaches in coaching advanced level players by using the ITF recommended coaching syllabus and to assist these top coaches with the Coaches Education programmes in their own nations.

LEVEL I COACHES COURSE

Following a successful application to their National Olympic Committee for an Olympic Solidarity Grant, the Lithuanian Tennis Union was able to hold a Level 1 Coaches Course as the first part of their Coach Education Programme established with the assistance of the ITF/ETA.

The nine days course was conducted by Luca Santilli the ITF/ETA Development Officer with 22 coaches in attendance from 29 May – 7 June at the School Tennis Centre in Siauliai.

A group of experts is now supposed to revise and study the content of the ITF Level 1 syllabus and adapt it to the necessities of the Lithuanian Tennis Union while the next Level I will be conducted by local tutors with the ITF/ETA supervision in the year 2001. It is hoped that in two years time the Lithuanian Tennis Union will be able to set up a complete programme in order to be able to educate the future generations of tennis coaches.

OBITUARY

ISTAN GULYAS

Former President of the Hungarian Tennis Association and friend of ETA, Istvan Gulyas has died aged 69. We remember him of course first as an outstanding tennis champion, but also as big supporter of tennis in Hungary and Europe. As President of the Hungarian Tennis

Association during nearly ten years he was a real ambassador for tennis in Hungary. Under his leadership the Hungarian Tennis Association joined the European Tennis Association in 1977 and entertained since that date close and fruitful co-operation with the ETA.

2000 EUROPEAN INDIVIDUAL JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIPS

In 1976, the European Tennis Association created this competition, where the best junior European players have been given the opportunity to show their excellent level of play and commitment combined with a cheerful and friendly atmosphere. Also this year the competition was the meeting point where the "Stars of the Future" got to-

gether and offered a marvellous spectacle.

The Czech Republic won this time the Nation's Ranking, followed by the Slovak Republic and Great Britain.

2000 NATIONS RANKING (14/16/18 &UNDER)						
	NATION	POINTS		NATION	POINTS	
1.	Czech Republic	426	6.	Belarus	125	
2.	Slovak Republic	296	7.	Sweden	120	
3.	Great Britain	246	8.	Russia	110	
4.	Italy	140	9.	Germany	109	
5.	Ukraine	135	10.	Estonia	100	

RESULTS (14/16/18 &Under)

VENUE	AGE/CAT		WINNER('S)	RUNNER('S)-UP	SCORE
Sanremo,	14&U	Boys S	Capkovic K. (SVK)	Müller D. (GER)	16 61 63
(ITA)		Girls S	Strikova B. (CZE)	Klepac A. (SLO)	64 63
		Boys D	Capkovic/Miklusicac (SVK)	Müller/Weber (GER)	75 64
		Girls D	Kustova/Yakimava (BLR)	Safarova/Stricova (CZE)	57 64 75
Hatfield,	16&U	Boys S	Ansaldo P. (ITA)	Minar I. (CZE)	63 16 63
(GBR)		Girls S	Kanepi K. (EST)	Bartoli M. (FRA)	63 36 63
		Boys D	Johannson/Söderling (SWE)	Anastov/Kanev (BUL)	62 67(3) 60
		Girls D	Cetkovska/Janaskova (CZE)	Nociarova/Zemenova (SVK)	64 75
Klosters,	18&U	Boys S	Childs L. (GBR)	Beck K. (SVK)	36 61 64
(SUI)		Girls S	Beygelzimmer Y. (UKR)	Mikaelian M. (ARM)	26 63 64
		Boys D	Childs/Nelson (GBR)	Karol/Kokta (CZE)	63 76(4)
		Girls D	Plackova/Voracova (CZE)	Daniilidou/Kaplani (GRE)	64 75

The latest results of the ETA TOUR are available from page 15/16

RACE TO PRATO - ETA JUNIORS MASTERS

The ETA Junior Masters was started in 1996 to reward the players who compete in the ETA Junior Circuit. It is supposed to be the end of the season highlight for the eight best-ranked boys and girls of the 14 and 16 & under age categories. The competition came to life thanks to the initiative of the Italian Tennis Federation and the Tennis Club Prato, where it was played since its creation.

BOYS 14 &UNDER

GIRLS 14 &UNDER

	Name	Surname	Nation		Name	Surname	Nation
1	CAPKOVIC	KAMIL	SVK	1	KLEPAC	ANDREJA	SLO
2	MULLER	DANIEL	GER	2	YAKIMAVA	ANASTASIA	BLR
3	SKRYPKO	ALEXANDER	BLR	3	LINETSKAYA	YEVGENA	RUS
4	STEC	PRZEMYSLAW	POL	4	GAJDOSOVA	JARMILLA	SVK
5	GRANOLLERS	MARCEL	ESP	5	DOMACHOWSKA	MARTA	POL
6	RIESCHIK	SEBASTIAN	GER	6	DOUSHEVINA	VERA	RUS
7	KUSETA	DAVOR	CRO	7	SESCIOREANU	DELIA	ROM
8	NADAL	RAFAEL	ESP	8	LISJAK	IVANA	CRO
Ra	nking as per 16/08/2	2000		Ra	nking as per 16/08/	2000	

BOYS 16 &UNDER

GIRLS 16 &UNDER

	Name	Surname	Nation		Name	Surname	Nation
1	AGER	JOHANNES	AUT	1	MONDANI	GIORGIA	ITA
2	ANSALDO	PIETRO	ITA	2	PAVIC	NADIA	CRO
3	BOLANU	TEODOR	ROM	3	KUREC	MIA	CRO
4	GAVRILA	ADRIAN	ROM	2	CASANOVA	DANIELA	SUI
5	PRZYSIENZNY	MICHAEL	POL	5	TOGNETTI	LISA	ITA
6	TSONGA	JO WILFRIED	FRA	6	BARTOLI	MARION	FRA
7	CHADAJ	ADAM	POL	7	' KANEPI	KAIA	EST
8	PUCHKARYOV	IVAN	UKR	8	3 ARVIDSSON	SOFIA	SWE
Ra	Ranking as per 16/08/2000				Ranking as per 16/08	3/2000	

EUROPEAN VETERANS CHAMPIONSHIPS

June and July are two important months for European Veterans Tennis. The best players from the whole world meet the same week in Baden-Baden (Germany) and Pörtschach (Austria) to compete for the European Champion titles in all different age categories from 40 to 85.

205 players from 20 different countries played in Baden-Baden and 325 from 21 countries in Pörtschach from 12-18 June.

Some 1999 European Champions managed to defend their title like Regina Marsikova (CZE) who defeated Gerda

Preissing (GER) in the W40 category, Werner Mertins (GER) against John O'Brien (AUS) in the M65 category. Elisabeth Perusch (AUT) (W65) and Monique Kyburz (SWI) (W70) achieved to become double European Championships this year, having already obtained the title at the European Indoor Championships in Seefeld in January. The same for Peter Pokorny (AUT) (M60), Werner Mertins (GER) (M65), and Bernard Kempa (GER) (M80).

They are certainly in the good way to become Play-

ers of the Year, award given to all players positioned at the first place of the ETA Rankings at the end of the year.

The European Championships for players aged 35 was hold on July 12-16 for the first time at the beautiful site of the TC Noris Nürnberg in Germany and the victory went to Olga Shaposhnikova and Goran Prpic.

The finals' results listed below and details are available on request from the ETA Office.

RESULTS BADEN BADEN (GER)

	Cat	vvinner		Runner up	Score
Singles	W 40	Marskiova Regina (CZE)	Vs	Preissing Gerda (GER)	6/0 6/1
Singles	W 45	Birukova Evgenia (ITA)	Vs	Tomanova Renata (GER)	5/77/66/2
Doubles	W40/45	Eisterlehner/Tomanova (GER)	Vs	Fagyas/Pinterova (HUN)	3/66/47/6
Singles	W 50	Orth Heide (GER)	Vs	Pinterova Marie (HUN)	6/3 7/6
Doubles	W 50	Schröder/Orth (GER)	Vs	Medhammer/Nagai (SWE/JPN)	6/3 6/1
Singles	M 40	Henn Norbert (GER)	Vs	Rothe Thomas (GER)	6/3 6/2
Singles	M 45	Seuss Heiner (GER)	Vs	French Paul (GBR)	7/5 6/3
Doubles	M40/45	Henn/Seuss (GER)	Vs	Bouma/van Eykern (NED)	6/4 6/4
Singles	M 50	Staguhn Rolf (GER)	Vs	Mijuca Michael (GER)	6/4 6/2
Doubles	M 50	Vaarties/De Jel (NED)	Vs	Eving/Gurban (EST/ROM)	7/6 6/2
Singles	M 55	Adrigan Peter (GER)	Vs	Peczely Peter (HUN)	7/6 6/1
Doubles	M 55	Nitsche/Müller (GER)	Vs	Andersson/Viegl (SWE)	3/66/46/0

RESULTS PÖRTSCHACH (AUT)

	Cat	Winner		Runner up	Score
Singles	W 55	Karolyi Mariana (HUN)	Vs	Wilson-McLean Mary (USA)	3/66/36/3
Doubles	W 55	Hoffmann/Bauwens (GER)	Vs	Sidak/Müller (AUT/GER)	6/2 6/3
Singles	W 60	Beltrame Roberta (ITA)	Vs	Mayer-Zdralek Renate (GER)	5/76/46/4
Doubles	W 60	Castelluci/Beltrame (ITA)	Vs	Mayer-Zdralek/Hauck (GER)	6/1 6/1
Singles	W 65	Perusch Elisabeth (AUT)	Vs	Jung Brigitte (GER)	6/1 6/0

RESULTS PÖRTSCHACH (AUT)

	Cat	Winner		Runner up	Score
Singles	W 70	Kyburz Monique (SWI)	Vs	Szentirmay Ersebeth (HUN)	7/6 6/3
Singles	W 75	Mason Elaine (USA)	Vs	Harbula Eleanor (USA)	6/1 6/1
Singles	M 60	Pokorny Peter (AUT)	Vs	Madlsperger Eberhard (AUT)	7/5 4/6 6/1
Doubles	M 60	Pokorny/Gradischnig (AUT)	Vs	Löffler/Hamm (GER)	6/3 6/4
Singles	M 65	Mertins Werner (GER)	Vs	O'Brien John (AUS)	6/05/76/2
Doubles	M 65	Mertins/Schneiders (GER)	Vs	Jell/Ryjevski (AUT/RUS)	6/4 3/1 ret
Singles	M 70	De Voe Chuck (USA)	Vs	Legenstein Laci (AUT)	6/3 6/3
Doubles	M 70	De Voe/Schultz (USA)	Vs	Drane/Draper (GBR)	6/4 6/7 6/2
Singles	M 75	Nichols Graydon (USA)	Vs	Lenart Laszlo (HUN)	6/4 6/3
Doubles	M 75	Kizlink/Nichols (GBR)	Vs	Erlemann/Häfner (SWI/GER)	wo
Singles	M 80	Kempa Bernhard (GER)	Vs	Nordvik Ola (NOR)	6/4 7/6
Doubles	M 80	Kempa/Bruno (GER)	Vs	Henley/Kornfeld (AUS)	3/6 6/2 6/1
Singles	M 85	Carey David (USA)	Vs	Mulloy Gardnar (USA)	2/6 6/3 6/1
Doubles	M 85	Rogers/De Grad (AUS/Rom)	Vs	Carey/Reid (USA)	6/4 0/6 6/4

RESULTS NÜRNBERG (GER)

	Cat	Winner		Runner up	Score
Singles	W 35	Shaposhnikova Olga	Vs	Masur Elena	2/6 6/4 6/0
Doubles	W 35	Masur/Shaposhnikova	Vs	Kubsch-Larrad/Prechtel	6/2 6/2
Singles	M 35	Prpic Goran	Vs	Dzelde Girts	6/1 7/5
Doubles	M 35	Fasthoff/Heckmanns	Vs	Prpic/Humar	6/3 6/2

EUROPEAN VETERANS CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS

Ladies first: the Championships for Ladies 40/50 were played again this year in Le Touquet (France). Nine teams entered the category 40 while eleven teams competed in the category 50, which is the highest number of entries ever in this competition. Italy was back after an interval of three years and a Russian team, the TC Sarov, participated for the first time. It was a good comeback for Italy as the TC Lombardo won against the Chandos LTC 3-0 (W40) from Great Britain.

There was a British Final in the W50 Championships: the 45 Club (GBR) defeated the Warwick Boat Club 2-0.

The European Veterans Clubs Championships for Men will take place as follows:

Men 45: August 29 – September 3 in Feldkirch (Austria): 18 teams entered.

Men 55: September 19-23 in Velden (Austria): 15 teams

Men 60: September 5-10 in Birmingham (Great Britain): 7 teams.

THE 2000 SPECIAL OLYMPICS EUROPEAN GAMES – "LET'S WIN TOGETHER"

The 2000 Special Olympics European Games, the largest sports event in Europe for people with mental handicaps. were held May 27-June 4, 2000 in Groningen, the Netherlands. Approximately 2,000 athletes with mental handicaps from more than 50 countries throughout Europe and Eurasia participated. Athletes competed in aquatics, athletics, basketball, bowling, cycling, equestrian, football, gymnastics, sailing, table tennis and tennis. Judo and korfball were offered as demonstration sports. In addition to the athletes, approximately 750 coaches, 1,000 family members and 1,500 volunparticipated in the teers Games.

"The 2000 Special Olympics European Games is a unique sporting event that highlights the positive and lifetransforming role sport plays in the lives of athletes with mental handicaps," said Michael Smith, director of Special Olympics Europe/Eurasia.

Approximately 35 Special Olympics tennis players competed in Doubles, Mixed Doubles and Singles. The athletes represented six Special Olympics programs in Europe: Monaco, Netherlands, Poland, Spain, Switzerland and the United Kingdom. Tennis players from programs in Alabama, New York and Rhode Island represented a guest delegation from the United States.

Unique to Special Olympics is its system of divisioning, a process whereby athletes or teams are placed into groups in which they compete against other individuals or teams of approximately the same age and ability. Divisioning allows athletes of all abilities to compete in Special Olympics events at a fair and challenging level.

"For people with mental handicaps, tennis and other sports can improve their physical abilities, social skills and sense of individual worth," said Jose Javier Suarez, a coach with the tennis team representing Special Olympics Spain. Javier said he likes training but the best moments for him are seeing the expression on his athletes' faces when they are presented with their medals. "The happiness on their faces is unforgettable," he said.

Special Olympics, founded in the United States in 1968 by Eunice Kennedy Shriver, is the world's largest year-round program of sports training and competitions for individuals with mental handicaps. One million athletes in nearly 150 countries train and compete in Olympic-style summer and winter games at local, national and international events. Through its sports programs, Special Olympics strives to provide long-term benefits to individuals' health, selfesteem and social integration.

The Brussels-based Special Olympics Europe/Eurasia works to expand Special Olympics programs in 53 countries from Iceland to the Russia-China border. Special Olympics national program staff and volunteers in the Europe/Eurasia region currently bring sports opportunities to around 300,000 athletes in 5,000 communities

In 2003, Ireland will be the site of the XI Special Olympics World Summer Games. This will be the first time that World Summer Games will be held outside of the United States. Approximately 7,000 athletes from 150 countries are expected to participate in the Summer Games that will run from June 20-29.

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EUROPEAN TENNIS WEBSITES

ETA MEMBER NATIONS

Albania http://tentirana.tripod.com

Austriawww.oetv.atBelgiumwww.vtv.beDenmarkwww.dtftennis.dkFinlandwww.infopiste.fi/tennis

France www.fft.fr

Germany www.dtb-tennis.de
Great Britain www.lta.org.uk
Ireland www.tennisireland.ie
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Sweden www.tennis.se

Switzerland www.swisstennis.com

Turkey www.ttf.org.tr
Ukraine www.tennis.com.ua

ETA JUNIOR TOURNAMENTS

18&U European Junior Championships www.junior-championships.com

BMW Junior Open www.junioropen.de
Tennis News Cup - Roussalka www.tennisbg.com
Kaunas Open 2000 www.tennis.lt

Sporting Under 16 www.sporting-to.com

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European Club Championships for Women tcb.online.lu/tcb2000/startex.html

European Club Championships for Men www.rctb1899.es/htmang/i-capacida.htm

If you have a website related to European Tennis we would be very happy to announce it on this site. Please send the link to magnusg@etatennis.com

THE IMPACT OF INTERNET ON THE WOMEN'S CIRCUIT

ETA website www.etatennis.com was launched in March 2000. It provides valuable information for women players such as Acceptance lists, tournament fact sheets, calendar and calendar change information. The site is automatically updated from the Women's Department database every two hours.

Do players use this new service? A survey has been recently carried out at several women's events. It showed women players know and very much appreciate this new service. It allows them to find the information they need 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

Most often they are looking for their positions at various Acceptance lists and fact sheet information. More and more tournament organisers provide internet access for players directly in the club nowadays. The survey also brought some interesting ideas for future improvement of the site: providing links to tournament organiser's websites, publishing final tournament cut offs and results.

The results of the ITF Women's Circuit US\$ 10'000 - US\$ 75'0000 are available from page 17 to 21.

SHORT SETS ALTERNATIVE SCORING SYSTEM EXPERIMENT

The ITF, ATP Tour and WTA Tour are constantly searching for potential improvements that will make the game of tennis more and more fanfriendly. In the course of these efforts, we have all been considering the merits of a new match format based on shorter sets and we have devised a plan for testing this alternative scoring system.

The Concept

It is the combination of two attractive ideas, designed to increase the number of exciting moments and points during a match:

- Shortening each set in order to get more quickly to its most exciting part (the end);
- Playing more sets, providing more opportunities for fresh starts, momentum changes and exciting moments.

Short sets are not meant to change the average length of

matches. Nor have they been devised to address a TV issue or fix a problem.

Short sets are simply viewed as a potential improvement for our sport which is at least worth an experiment.

The Testing Plan

Following the ITF AGM's decision to include short sets in the Rules of Tennis as an alternative scoring system on an experimental basis for the years 2000 and 2001, the ITF, ATP Tour and WTA Tour have agreed on a testing plan for professional tennis:

- This will start with some ITF Men's Circuit tournaments from 24 July 2000;
- ITF Women's Circuit tournaments will follow after the Olympics;
- There will then be testing in 2001 in Men's Challenger and ATP and WTA Tour level events if analysis of feedback

from the initial stages of testing is positive.

Technical analysis of the matches will be conducted in detail as well as surveys among players, coaches spectators, media and organisers. Material to aid in this process will be provided to each event and National Association.

The Format

- Matches will be best of five sets
- The first player/team who wins 4 games wins that set, provided there is a margin of two games over the opponent(s). If the score reaches 4 games all, a tiebreak shall be played.
- Possible scores in a set: 4-0, 4-1, 4-2, 5-3, 5-4
- Example of a score in a completed match: 4-1, 3-5, 4-2, 4-5, 4-1

DÉJÀ VU IN PARIS AS THE NETHERLANDS - Israel and Australia reign again

The 2000 Invacare World Team Cup was held at one of Europe's most pristine private clubs. Cercle du Bois de Boulogne in Paris from 17-23 July. On court however, the 2000 World Team Cup took on a distinct "been there, done that" feel, where, with the exception of the Australian men's appearance, the remaining finals were mirror images of last year. The Israelis beat USA once again in the quad finals the Dutch women overturned last year's outcome, beating Australia 2-0 to avenge their defeat this time. It was left to the Aussie men to keep the flag flying, which they did, outhitting the Netherlands 2-1.

It had seemed as if the Aussies' World Team Cup campaign would be in tatters as early as their opening match against Sweden. World No. 7 David Johnson began the Aussie challenge by bowing out to Peter Wikstrom, ranked 66 places below him. World No. 3 Hall followed and came back down from a set and 41 down, only to hammer out 11 of the next twelve games and finally win in three sets. The Aussies were on their way. The hottest combination on the Tour, Hall and Johnson have carved a 24-1 match record, winning six in 2000. The "Wheelchair Woodies" have

also earned the title "The Unbeatables" – an accolade they lived up to throughout the week.

Led by world No.2 Ricky Molier, No.4 Robin Ammerlaan and No.12 Eric Stuurman, the top-seeded Dutch team made quick work of their opponents, arriving in the World Team Cup final for the third consecutive year. The heavy favourites to repeat left little doubt of their intentions with 3-0 wins over Hungary, Poland and France.

Meeting for the first time in a World Team Cup final, the encounter between Australia and the Netherlands was expected to be close. Johnson dropped the opener against Robin Ammerlaan leaving Hall to salvage Aussie hopes against the mighty Molier. Commanding play from Hall levelled the score to one match all and when "The Unbeatable" lived up their reputation in a tense doubles, the Aussies were celebrating.

In the women's competition, the burden of Australia's defence title fell on the heavy taped shoulders of world No. 1 Daniela Di Toro. Unsteady play from her team-mate Branka Pupovac in the early rounds meant Di Toro had little opportunity to rest her play-

ing arm. Resilience and determination earned Team Australia a place in the final but, in the end, the talent rich Dutch team, with four of the world's top five players, was too good this year. The Dutch women made their fourteenth final appearance in the event's fifteen-year history. In the final, Aussie hopes faded when Sonja Peters opened the door for the Netherlands with a three-set win over Pupovac leaving the injured Di Toro to face arch rival Esther Vergeer in the crucial second singles. On this occasion the task proved too much for the ITF World Champion and Vergeer took full advantage of her injured opponent to secure the 13th World Team Cup title for the Dutch.

In the quad event the Israeli team returned once again unseeded and once again left with a Cup title after beating the United States 2-0. Despite their team containing four out of the world's top five, the Americans found themselves outplayed with Haim Lev and Shraga Weinberg securing a single match a piece for Israel.

by Marko Polic

THE EUROPEAN TOP 10

MEN

	Player	Country	ATP TOUR CHAMPIONS RACE
1	Norman Magnus	SWE	2
2	Safin Marat	RUS	4
3	Kafelnikov Yevgeny	RUS	6
4	Corretja Alex	ESP	7
5	Enqvist Thomas	SWE	8
6	Henman Tim	GBR	11
7	Ferrero Juan Carlos	ESP	12
8	Pioline Cédric	FRA	13
9	Costa Albert	ESP	21
10	Grosjean Sebastien	FRA	22

The European Men's Ranking is based on the ATP Tour Champions Race Ranking of 14th August 2000.

WOMEN

	Player	Country	WTA TOUR Ranking
1	Hingis Martina	SUI	1
2	Pierce Mary	FRA	4
3	Martinez Conchita	ESP	6
4	Tauziat Nathalie	FRA	8
5	Sanchez-Vicario Arancha	ESP	9
6	Huber Anke	GER	10
7	Testud Sandrine	FRA	11
8	Mauresmo Amélie	FRA	12
9	Kournikova Anna	RUS	14
10	Van Rost Dominique	BEL	15

The European Women's Ranking is based on the WTA Ranking of 14th August 2000.



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EUROPEAN TOP EXECUTIVES MEETING

The ETA is happy to announce that this years **Top Executives' Meeting** will be held in Maribor/Slovenia from 5th - 8th October. The Member Nations received the Invitations in Mid-August including a detailed programm.

EUROPEAN TOURNAMENT CONFERENCE

Barcelona will host the 2000 European Tournament Conference on 4-5 November. This year the full scale conference replaces the traditional Zurich meetings usually held during the autumn. Last time a tournament conference of this size was organised was in Bergen some almost three years ago.

The main topic is to dicuss and develop innovative ways of improving tournaments at the entry level of professional circuits for men and women. At the time of writing the list of presenters is not fully finalised, but key persons within the field of international tennis have already indicated their participation.

Apart from the main theme, recent rule changes, Short Set experiments, etc. will be discussed as well as officiating schools and tournament calendars.

We ask all Member Nations to make sure the person(s) responsible for the Men's and Women's Circuit events and for Officiating within the various Associations set these dates aside for the conference which will create a unique opportunity to discuss and develop these circuits and events as well as voicing opinions related to these fields.

Formal invitations and entry forms will be mailed out shortly.

ETA TOUR-RESULTS 14&UNDER						
		Winner	Runner-up	Score		
SANDEFJORD	Boys	R. VERES (SWE)	G. HOOD (GBR)	75 75		
	Girls	E. LAINE (FIN)	A. KAASIK (EST)	62 61		
KATOWICE	Boys	D. TOLOK (UKR)	P. STEC (POL)	63 60		
	Girls	A. YAKIMAVA (BLR)	A. KLEPAC (SLO)	63 63		
MOSTAR	Boys	M. JANJIC (CRO)	Z. KADRIC (BIH)	76(5) 61		
	Girls	I. HADZISELIMOVIC (BIH)	S. ANCIC (CRO)	76(4)63		
HARKIV	Boys	S. RUDENKO (UKR)	A. SAMOUILOV (BLR)	63 63		
	Girls	M. DOLZHENKO (UKR)	A. TCHAKVETADZE (RUS)	61 61		
RUNGSTED KYST	Boys	N. PEEL (GBR)	N. CAVADY (GBR)	46 76 76		
	Girls	E. LAINE (FIN)	M. ANDERSSON (SWE)			
TUZLA	Boys	S. GOJKOVIC (YUG)	F. SKUGOR (CRO)	61 63		
	Girls	T. BUNIC (CRO)	N. VUCKOVIČ (YUG)	62 62		
TALLINN	Boys	D. LIPKA (POL)	P. NECAYEVS (LAT)	36 62 62		
	Girls	A. BANDERE (LAT)	I. KUZMIRA (LAT)	76 (1) 62		
PRAGUE	Boys	P. STEC (POL)	L. LACKO (SVK)	61 61		
	Girls	L. SAFAROVA (CZE)	N. FREISLEROVA (CZE)	61 63		
KAUNAS	Boys	P. NECHAJEVS (LAT)	S. ZALEWSKI (POL)	16 76(8) 64		
	Girls	A. BANDERE (LAT)	I. KUZMINA (LAT)	60 75		
RIGA	Boys	M. BECKER (RUS)	A. SAMOUILOV (BLR)	36 75 62		
NOA	Girls	A. MISEVICIUTE (LTU)	V.PETRASHEVITCH (RUS)			
BERGHEIM	Boys	C. STEINER (AUT)	M. KRAISSER (AUT)	64 64		
DENOTIEM	Girls	A. PETROVIC (GER)	A. DICKHARDT (GER)	64 63		
LIEPAJA	Boys	S. ZALEWSKI (POL)	M. WALKOW (POL)	60 63		
LILI AVA	Girls	A. BANDERE (LAT)	S. FOLMO (DEN)	64 63		
PARIS	Boys	C. ZARHI (CHI)	J. OUANNA (FRA)	76 61		
PARIS	Girls	W. SU HSIEH (TPE)	A. YAKIMAVA (BLR)	75 61		
OCTRAVA		,	K. PODHORA (SVK)			
OSTRAVA	Boys	L. LACKRO (SVK) N. FREISLEROVA (CZE)	, ,	60 62		
LEEUWADDEN	Girls		S. DOBRA (CZE) P. STEC (POL)	60 46 62		
LEEUWARDEN	Boys	C. ZARHI (CHI) D. KUSTOVA (BLR)	, ,	64 36 62		
FÜDOTENEEL D	Girls	,	K. ZORICIC (CAN)	61 61		
FÜRSTENFELD	Boys	S. KRAUSS (GER)	D. MINETTI (ITA)	62 76		
201 1111111	Girls	A. JOUKOVA (RUS)	A. PETKOVIC (GER)	64 16 76		
SOLIHULL	Boys	M. BROWN (GBR)	M. JONES (GBR)	61 64		
	Girls	H. GRADY (GBR)	M. SOUTH (GBR)	63 26 64		
RUEIL-MALMAISON	Boys	C. ZARHI (CHI)	L. Jian (CHN)	61 60		
	Girls	W. SU HSIEH (TPE)	M. Eden (NZL)	46 75 64		
WAIBLINGEN	Boys	A. WEBER (GER)	M. TARJAN (GER)	46 62 60		
	Girls	V. LEPCHENKO (UZB)	A. REMBE (GER)	76 63		
BUCHAREST	Boys	H. OLTEAN (ROM)	L. ERLIC (ROM)	62 63		
	Girls	S. MURESAN (ROM)	M. NICULESCU (ROM)	63 26 62		
BRÜHL	Boys	S. RIESCHIK (GER)	A. SKRIPKO (BLR)	61 64		
	Girls	A. YAKIMAVA (BLR)	M. SHARAPOVA (RUS)	64 46 62		

ETA TOUR-RESULTS 16&UNDER Winner Score Runner-up **TORINO** Boys Bryan DABUL (ARG) Juan MONACO (ARG) 76 36 64 Girls Shuai PENG (CHN) 62 62 Mia KUREK (CRO) Tore DELEURAN-SKJOLD George COBZAREANU 60 62 **ASKER** Boys Girls Betty TESFU(SWE) 75 62 Petra TELLER (HUN) **AVILES-ASTURIAS** Boys Nicolás ALMAGRO (ESP) Alberto CORNELIO (ESP) 76 60 Girls Helena BESOVIC (BIH) Pilar ESCANDELL (ESP) Bryan DABUL (ARG) **MILANO** Boys Robin SODERLING (SWE) 75 76(2) Girls Shuai PENG (CHN) Maria SHARAPOVA (RUS) 61 62 **RUNGSTED KYST** Boys Guy THOMAS (GBR) Dillon BROZYNA (USA) 64 36 62 Girls Federica QUERCIA (ITA) Katy TAYLOR (GBR) LA BAULE Boys Larmine OUAHAB (ALG) Juan MONACO (ARG) 62 61 Girls Shuai PENG (CHN) Maria SHAPAROVA (RUS) 63 64 **HASKOVO** Boys Jordan KANEV (BUL) Hristosko ATANASOV 46 64 64 Girls Elena STOIANOVA (BUL) Gergana GANEVA (BUL) 57 63 75 **PRAGUE** Boys Ivo MINAR (CZE) Dan LUSTIG (CZE) 63 62 Girls Iveta GERLOVA (CZE) Tereza VEVERKOVA (CZE) 75 64 **MALI LOSINJ** Boys Stepjan BEG (CRO) Matko MARAVIC (CRO) 75 61 Girls Mia KUREK (CRO) Maruana CUTUK (CRO) 75 62 **CAKOVEC** Boys Daniel SEBESCEN (YUG) Tomislav HADZIC (CRO) 76(4) 61 Girls Nadja PAVIC (CRO) Petra TELLER 76 (3) 63 **LE PONTET** Boys M. VILLARUBI (URU) K. LOGLO (TOG) 64 36 60 Girls S.W. HSIEH (TAI) N. ROIG (ESP) 64 64 **ROUSSALKA** Boys Jordan KANEV (BUL) Ivan MARINKOV (BUL) 61 60 Girls Elena UZUNOVA (BUL) Gergana GANEVA (BUL) 76(5) 57 64 **PARIS** Boys Guillermo HORMAZABAL Brian DABUL (ARG) 76 46 63 Shuei PENG (CHN) 63 36 63 Girls BESOVIC Elena (ESP) **OSTRAVA** Daniel LUSTIG (CZE) Petr OTRADOVSKY (CZE) 63 60 Boys Girls Marketa PASTIKOVA (CZE) Darina SEDENKOVA (CZE) 63 60 **SZAZHALOMBATTA** Boys Daniel SEBESTYEN (YUG) Tas TOBIAS (HUN) 60 62 Girls Daniela BERCEK (YUG) Milica VESELINOVIC 63 62 **ISTANBUL** Ergün ZORLU (TUR) Doruk BAGLAN (TUR) Boys 63 64 Mariya KORYTTSEVA Marta TSIVKA (UKR) Girls 60 62 **WINCHESTER** Boys Fabian POTH (GER) Jesse HUTA (NED) 61 64 57 62 60 Girls Vassilissa BARDINA (RUS) Julie WARM (GER) MAMAIA 75 62 Boys Teodor BOLANU (ROM) Adrian Vasile GAVRILA Girls Edina GALLOVITS (ROM) Alexandra ORASANU 75 75 **LEPTOKARIA** Boys Aristotelis MOURATOGLU Milan MIHAILOVIC (YUG) 76(1) 62 Girls Nikola KIPRITIDOU (GRE) Eleni KARAKEKE (GRE) 60 62 WAIBLINGEN Boys Daniel SCHUBERT (GER) Marcel ZIMMERMANN 76 46 62 Girls Nadia PAVIC (CRO) Maria ARKHIPOVA (RUS) 57 62 62

ITF WOMEN'S CIRCUIT RESULTS (WEEK 21– 24)

	Venue/week	P-Money	Winner	Runner-up	Score
SINGLES	GUIMARAES, POR	\$25'000	NAGY (HUN)	MOUTHTASSINE (MAR)	60 57 76(4)
DOUBLES	WEEK 21		GRANDIN (RSA) – RENCKEN (RSA)	CARDOSO (POR) – SANTOS (POR)	76(7) 26 62
SINGLES	BIELLA, ITA	\$10'000	MATEVZIC (SLO)	VIERIN (ITA)	60 62
DOUBLES	WEEK 21		FREYE (GER) – HEGEDUS (HUN)	FLORIS (ITA) – GUARDIGLI (RSM)	62 64
SINGLES	WARSAW, POL	\$10'000	SLITROVA (CZE)	DUBBERS (GER)	61 64
DOUBLES	WEEK 21		PLACKOVA A. (CZE) – PLACKOVA P. (CZE)	ANTYPINA (UKR) – PANOVA D. (RUS)	W.O.
SINGLES	MODENA, ITA	\$25'000	DOMINGUEZ (ESP)	MARTINEZ Ma J (ESP)	46 64 75
DOUBLES	WEEK 22		DOMINGUEZ (ESP) – MARTI- NEZ Ma J (ESP)	HERGOLD (SLO) – MATEVZIC (SLO)	64 46 63
SINGLES	SKOPJE, MKD	\$10'000	DASKOVIC (YUG)	SCHLOTTERER (AUT)	62 62
DOUBLES	WEEK 22		DASKOVIC (YUG) – LAZAROVSKA (MKD)	NANUSEVIC (YUG) – PAVLOVA (BUL)	76(6) 63
SINGLES	STARE SPLAVY, CZE	\$10'000	SCHONFELDOVA (CZE)	VORACOVA (CZE)	64 76(8)
DOUBLES	WEEK 22		PLACKOVA A. (CZE) – SLITROVA (CZE)	MACUROVA (CZE) – NEKVAPILOVA (CZE)	63 64
SINGLES	GALATINA, ITA	\$25'000	SERRA ZANETTI AN.(ITA)	SUCHA (SVK)	75 16 63
DOUBLES	WEEK 23		CANEPA (ITA) – DIAZ-OLIVA (ARG)	CORTEZ (BRA) – D'AGOSTINI (BRA)	64 46 64
SINGLES	SURBITON, GBR	\$25'000	LATIMER (GBR)	TANASUGARN (THA)	75 63
DOUBLES	WEEK 23		MUSGRAVE (AUS) – STEWART (AUS)	DHENIN (FRA) – LUBIANI (ITA)	36 63 61
SINGLES	ANTALYA 1, TUR	\$10'000	WOLFBRANDT (SWE)	TRICERRI (SUI)	62 60
DOUBLES	WEEK 23		FILIPP (AUT) – WOLFBRANDT (SWE)	KUROWSKA (POL) – YARYSHKA (BUL)	62 61
SINGLES	VADUZ, LIE	\$10'000	HEJDOVA (CZE)	STEPHENS (NZL)	67(4) 62 62
DOUBLES	WEEK 23		HUDSON (NZL) – STEPHENS (NZL)	HEJDOVA (CZE) – MACUROVA (CZE)	62 26 62
SINGLES	MARSEILLE, FRA	\$50'000	MONTOLIO (ESP)	MEDINA GAR. (ESP)	62 67(4) 64
DOUBLES	WEEK 24		CANEPA (ITA) – DIAZ-OLIVA (ARG)	KRIVENTCHEVA (BUL) – ZARSKA (POL)	62 63
SINGLES	GRADO, ITA	\$25'000	RIERA (ESP)	PERFETTI (ITA)	62 64
DOUBLES	WEEK 24		MENGA (BRA) – ORTUNO (ESP)	DOMINGUEZ-LINO (ESP) - MARTINEZ (ESP)	36 75 61

ITF WOMEN'S CIRCUIT RESULTS (WEEK 24– 26)

	Venue/ week	P-Money	Winner	Runner-up	Score
SINGLES	LENZERHEIDE, SUI	\$25'000	NAGY (HUN)	VAKULENKO (UKR)	62 36 76(6)
DOUBLES	WEEK 24		BURIC (GER) – LAMADE (GER)	BASTING (NED) – VAN DEN HURK (NED)	75 63
SINGLES	HOORN, NED	\$10'000	VAN EXEL (NED)	CZINK (HUN)	75 76(7)
DOUBLES	WEEK 24		CHIALVO (ARG) – RACEDO (ARG)	GHERGHI (ROM) – VAN ELDEN (AUS)	46 62 60
SINGLES	ANKARA 1, TUR	\$10'000	WEIS (GER)	JUGIC-SALKIC (BIH)	67(3) 63 63
DOUBLES	WEEK 24		JUGIC-SALKIC (BIH) – LAZAROVSKA (MKD)	DIANKOVA (BUL) – SENOGLU (TUR)	62 06 64
SINGLES	KEDZIERZYN- KOZLE, POL	\$10'000	ONDRASKOVA (CZE)	LAZARCHUK (UKR)	75 64
DOUBLES	WEEK 24		BONDARENKO A. (UKR) – BONDARENKO V. (UKR)	KOVALCHUK E. (UKR) – LAZARCHUK (UKR)	64 62
SINGLES	GORIZIA, ITA	\$25'000	RAMON (ESP)	RANDRIANTEFY (MAD)	62 61
DOUBLES	WEEK 25		MENGA (BRA) – ORTUNO (ESP)	MATEVZIC (SLO) – ZARIC (YUG)	46 64 61
SINGLES	SOPOT, POL	\$25'000	KOUKALOVA (CZE)	SCHMIDLE (GER)	76(7) 63
DOUBLES	WEEK 25		NEKVAPILOVA (CZE) – SROMOVA (CZE)	KOCHTA (GER) – RICHTEROVA (CZE)	63 62
SINGLES	ALKMAAR, NED	\$10'000	CHIALVO (ARG)	KRAUTH E. (ARG)	55 RET.
DOUBLES	WEEK 25		JOUBERT (RSA) – SEWELL (AUS)	KRAUTH E. (ARG) – KRAUTH V. (ARG)	W.O.
SINGLES	TALLINN, EST	\$10'000	KANEPI (EST)	RUUTEL (EST)	61 62
DOUBLES	WEEK 25		KUROWSKA (POL) – WOLFBRANDT (SWE)	KANEPI (EST) – WERNER (GER)	76(5) 61
SINGLES	MONTEMOR, POR	\$10'000	NUNES (FRA)	BRUNEL (FRA)	64 64
DOUBLES	WEEK 25		COURMES (FRA) – LEBESCOND (FRA)	FLORIS (ITA) – MERUZZI (ITA)	46 64 76(4)
SINGLES	ORBETELLO, ITA	\$25'000	LLAGOSTERA (ESP)	DOMINGUEZ LINO (ESP)	64 62
DOUBLES	WEEK 26		LI N. (CHN) – LI T. (CHN)	CORTEZ (BRA) – D'AGOSTINI (BRA)	63 76(3)
SINGLES	BASTAD 2, SWE	\$10'000	WOLFBRANDT (SWE)	AAGARD (DEN)	62 60
DOUBLES	WEEK 26		ARVIDSSON (SWE) - BENGTSSON (SWE)	FILIPP (AUT) – WOLFBRANDT (SWE)	64 75
SINGLES	ELVAS, POR	\$10'000	BRUNEL (FRA)	MOREL (FRA)	64 63
DOUBLES	WEEK 26		BRUNEL (FRA) – NUNES (FRA)	PIEDADE (POR) – SANTOS (POR)	75 62

ITF WOMEN'S CIRCUIT RESULTS (WEEK 26–29)

	VELP, NED WEEK 26	\$10'000	DE VILLE (BEL)		
DOUBLES V	WEEK 26		DE VILLE (BEL)	MELCH (AUT)	76(4) 61
			BELOBRAJDIC (AUS) – VAN ELDEN (AUS)	KREMER (GER) – MISKOLCZI (HUN)	61 62
SINGLES C	CIVITANOVA, ITA	\$25'000	LI N. (CHN)	GAGLIARDI (SUI)	63 46 76(0)
DOUBLES V	WEEK 27		ANDRES (ESP) – MARTINEZ GRANADOS (ESP)	KOULIKOVSKAYA (RUS) – POUTCHEK (BLR)	62 63
	MONT-DE-MARSAN, FRA	\$25'000	FORETZ (FRA)	RANDRIANTEFY (MAD)	62 63
DOUBLES V	WEEK 27		BES (ESP) – ORTUNO (ESP)	CHIALVO (ARG) – CRAVERO (ARG)	62 62
SINGLES V	VAIHINGEN, GER	\$25'000	SCHNITZER (GER)	BURIC (GER)	63 64
DOUBLES V	WEEK 27		CSURGO (HUN) – MARTINCOVA (CZE)	GLASS (GER) – WOEHR (GER)	62 26 64
SINGLES A	AMERSFOORT, NED	\$10'000	HEJDOVA (CZE)	VAN EXEL (NED)	NO SHOW
DOUBLES V	WEEK 27		FINAL NOT PLAYED – BAD WEATHER		
SINGLES F	FELIXSTOWE, GBR	\$25'000	VINCI (ITA)	WOODROFFE (GBR)	62 62
DOUBLES V	WEEK 28		MUSGRAVE (AUS) – WOODROFFE (GBR)	AHL (GBR) – EGOROVA (RUS)	64 36 64
SINGLES C	GETXO, ESP	\$25'000	MARTINEZ M.J. (ESP)	VAKULENKO (UKR)	64 60
DOUBLES V	WEEK 28		ORTUNO (ESP) – PALAVERSIC (CRO)	DOMINGUEZ (ESP) – MARTINEZ M.J. (ESP)	61 62
SINGLES [DARMSTADT, GER	\$25'000	SCHNITZER (GER)	KUCEROVA R. (CZE)	64 63
DOUBLES V	WEEK 28		MATEVZIC (SLO) – ZAVAGLI MP.	BARNA AD. (GER) – ZAPOROZHANOVA (UKR)	76(4) 67(4) 64
SINGLES E	BRUSSELS 1, BEL	\$10'000	HEITZ (FRA)	ROUSSI (GRE)	76(4) 61
DOUBLES V	WEEK 28		KOZHOKINA (RUS) – MAES (BEL)	AOYAMA (JPN) – IIJIMA (JPN)	61 64
SINGLES S	SEZZE, ITA	\$10'000	VILLA (ITA)	KLEMENSCHITZ S. (AUT)	61 61
DOUBLES V	WEEK 28		DISDERI (ITA) — ZAVAGLI ML. (ITA)	MILOSEVIC (YUG) – TVAROSKOVA (SVK)	64 06 76(4)
SINGLES L	LE TOUQUET, FRA	\$25'000	LAMADE (GER)	SFAR (TUN)	75 64
DOUBLES V	WEEK 29		LAMADE (GER) – WOEHR (GER)	DOMINGUEZ-LINO (ESP) - CHIALVO (ARG)	63 75
SINGLES F	PUCHHEIM, GER	\$25'000	VASKOVA (CZE)	HENKE (GER)	61 61
DOUBLES V	WEEK 29		KRIVENTCHEVA (BUL) – VALEKOVA (SVK)	BACHMANN (GER) – SCHNELL (AUT)	75 36 75

ITF WOMEN'S CIRCUIT RESULTS (WEEK 29– 31)

	Venue/ week	P-Money	Winner	Runner-up	Score
SINGLES	FONTANAFREDDA, ITA	\$25'000	BES (ESP)	PIZZICHINI (ITA)	64 61
DOUBLES	WEEK 29		ANDRES (ESP) – MARTINEZ GRAN. (ESP)	MATEVZIC (SLO) – SERRA ZANETTI AD. (ITA)	46 62 64
SINGLES	VALLADOLID, ESP	\$25'000	MARTINEZ M.J. (ESP)	HERMIDA (ESP)	64 62
DOUBLES	WEEK 29		MARTINEZ M.J. (ESP) – ORTUNO (ESP)	MUSGRAVE (AUS) – WOODROFFE (GBR)	62 64
SINGLES	FRINTON, GBR	\$10'000	SMITH S. (GBR)	CROOK (GBR)	63 60
DOUBLES	WEEK 29		CROOK (GBR) – DAVIES (GBR)	JOUBERT (RSA) – SEWELL (AUS)	62 64
SINGLES	BRUSSELS 2, BEL	\$10'000	VAN EXEL (NED)	ZDENOVCOVA (CZE)	64 60
DOUBLES	WEEK 29		URICKOVA (SVK) – ZDENOVCOVA (CZE)	AIZENBERG (ARG) – STEPHENS (NZL)	76(6) 36 61
SINGLES	LIEGE, BEL	\$50'000	HENIN (BEL)	RITTNER (GER)	60 31 RET.
DOUBLES	WEEK 30		CSURGO (HUN) – MANDULA (HUN)	BES (ESP) – RIERA (ESP)	76(3) 61
SINGLES	PAMPLONA, ESP	\$25'000	BASTING (NED)	RODIONOVA (RUS)	64 61
DOUBLES	WEEK 30		BASTING (NED) – BURIC (GER)	BAKER (NZL) – MESA (COL)	62 60
SINGLES	LES CONTAMINES, FRA	\$25'000	LAMADE (GER)	RANDRIANTEFY (MAD)	62 61
DOUBLES	WEEK 30		DHENIN (FRA) – LAMADE (GER)	BORNU (FRA) – DE WEILLE (NED)	67(4) 64 64
SINGLES	DUBLIN, IRL	\$25'000	AHL (GBR)	JOUBERT (RSA)	62 64
DOUBLES	WEEK 30		BARCLAY (AUS) – VAN DEN HURK (NED)	MUSGRAVE (AUS) – WOODROFFE (GBR)	64 75
SINGLES	HORB, GER	\$10'000	SALERNI (ARG)	JERABEK (GER)	63 26 62
DOUBLES	WEEK 30		BANDUROWSKA (POL) – SALERNI (ARG)	HEJDOVA (CZE) – VAN ELDEN (AUS)	63 64
SINGLES	LIDO DI CAMAIORE, ITA	\$10'000	CHIALVO (ARG)	ANI (EST)	61 26 75
DOUBLES	WEEK 30		CHIALVO (ARG) – CRAVERO (ARG)	BRIANTI (ITA) – MERUZZI (ITA)	62 61
SINGLES	BUCHAREST 1, ROM	\$10'000	GALLOVITS (ROM)	CIOCHINA (ROM)	63 63
DOUBLES	WEEK 31		BALACI (ROM) – GALLOVITS (ROM)	KUCOVA Z. (SVK) – LUZAROVA (CZE)	75 40 RET.

ITF WOMEN'S CIRCUIT RESULTS (WEEK 31– 32)

	Venue/week	P-Money	Winner	Runner-up	Score
SINGLES	TORUN, POL	\$10'000	ONDRASKOVA (CZE)	NAVRATILOVA G. (CZE)	60 64
DOUBLES	WEEK 31		BENESOVA (CZE) – NOVOTNA L .(CZE)	MACUROVA (CZE) – NAVRATILOVA G. (CZE)	61 64
SINGLES	VIGO, ESP	\$10'000	MIMO (ESP)	DELGADO (ESP)	62 61
DOUBLES	WEEK 31		AZNAR (ESP) – CLEMONT (ESP)	ESCOBAR (ESP) – TEMEZ (ESP)	62 61
SINGLES	ALGHERO, ITA	\$25'000	LUBIANI (ITA)	GUBACZI (HUN)	61 60
DOUBLES	WEEK 31		TONG (HKG) – TAKASE (JPN)	CANEPA (ITA) – SASSI (ITA)	36 63 61
SINGLES	ST.GAUDENS, FRA	\$25'000	TATARKOVA (UKR)	SFAR (TUN)	64 64
DOUBLES	WEEK 31		KRIVENTCHEVA (BUL) – TATARKOVA (UKR)	MOLNAR (HUN) – PALAVERSIC (CRO)	36 75 63
SINGLES	ETTENHEIM, GER	\$50'000	SALERNI (ARG)	SUCHA (SVK)	64 62
DOUBLES	WEEK 31		OSTROVSKAYA (BLR) – ZAPOROZHANOVA (UKR)	DIAZ-OLIVA (ARG) – SALERNI (ARG)	64 62
SINGLES	HECHINGEN, GER	\$25'000	LOHRMANN (GER)	SCHMIDLE (GER)	63 16 63
DOUBLES	WEEK 32		D'AGOSTINI (BRA) – ROESCH (GER)	GRANDIN (RSA) – RENKEN (RSA)	76(3) 62
SINGLES	PERIGUEUX, FRA	\$10'000	BEIGBEDER (FRA)	PICHET (FRA)	61 61
DOUBLES	WEEK 32		BRUNEL (FRA) – NUNES (FRA)	CARLOTTI (FRA) – PICHET (FRA)	63 64
SINGLES	RIMINI, ITA	\$10'000	GUBACZI (HUN)	ANI (EST)	62 62
DOUBLES	WEEK 32		ANI (EST) – RUUTEL (EST)	GUBACZI (HUN) – REMIS (AUT)	36 63 75
SINGLES	ISTANBUL 3, TUR	\$10'000	FATTAKHETDINOVA (RUS)	AKSIT (TUR)	60 64
DOUBLES	WEEK 32		FATTAKHETDINOVA (RUS) – VOROPAEVA (RUS)	OZLU (TUR) – YARISHKA (BLR)	16 63 64
SINGLES	REBECQ, BEL	\$10,000	MAES (BEL)	SCHAUL (LUX)	16 76(6) 63
DOUBLES	WEEK 32		PANDZIC (CRO) – SNAJDROVA (CZE)	FEYS (BEL) – KUES (BEL)	67(5) 62 64
SINGLES	BATH, GBR	\$10,000	BENSCH (GER)	O'DONAHUE (GBR)	64 67(5) 62
DOUBLES	WEEK 32		JOUBERT (RSA) – SEWELL (AUS)	BELOBRAJDIC (AUS) – TAKASE (JPN)	62 62

