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8th SMRIKVA BOWL

3-6th July 2003

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Introduction

Smrikva Bowl is currently one of the strongest competitions in Europe for players under 10.



- Smrikva Bowl is a private tournament promoted by the Smrikve Tennis Club and Ronzio Oleodinamica.
- The first Smrikva Bowl was organized in 1996.
- Smrikva Bowl's objective is to continue with its scouting of tennis talents and aims to become the strongest competition in Europe for players under 10.
- For the 7th Annual Smrikva Bowl over 60 boys and girls competed from 9 European Countries: Spain, Switzerland, Italy, Germany, Croatia, Slovenia, Hungary, Yugoslavia and Bosnia and Herzegovina.
- In 2001, the Tennis Club Smrikve joined forces with the Maureen Connolly Brinker Foundation and created the first-ever international competition between Europe and the United States for boys and girls under 10 - the "Little Mo"/Smrikva Bowl. The Europeans won the first "Little Mo"/Smrikva Bowl.





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Smrikve Tennis Club

- The Smrikve Tennis Club is one of Pula's finest private tennis facilities featuring three courts, all of them top quality clay surfaces. The courts also have lighting for night play.
- A beautiful garden, parking area, locker rooms with showers and kids facilities are easily accessible to all guests of the club.





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Smrikva Bowl

The Smrikve Tennis Club believes that some of its tournament winners will be playing in the most important tournaments worldwide in 2-5 years time.

- Every year in July, the competition offers a tremendously positive experience for three days to participants and supporters alike.
- The best players under 10 from different European countries keep the club packed with spectators generating a fantastic atmosphere.
- All three days are action-packed but the finals and the closing ceremony offer something special that the participants keep with them for ever.
- Since 1996 the tournament has been characterized by a high quality of players.





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Smrikva Bowl winners

The proof of the tournament's importance is given by the names of the winners. Three of them have won the Lemon Bowl... almost all of them are ranked #1 in their countries/ categories.

The best ranked on ATP list is Ivana Lisjak.



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1996



Natali Zuliani – Vilim Visak

1997



Ivana Lisjak – Zeljko Peric

1998



Mateja Horvat – Filip Kovacic

1999



Borko Mudronja – Astrid Besser

2000



Tereza Mrdeza – Adelchi Virgili

2001



Marin Draganja – Petra Martic

2002



Javier Marti – Martina Caregaro

2003

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Prizes: mountain bikes and trip to the USA

Spain, Italy, Switzerland, Germany, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Slovenia, Croatia, Hungary and Yugoslavia were represented at the 7th Smrikva Bowl.

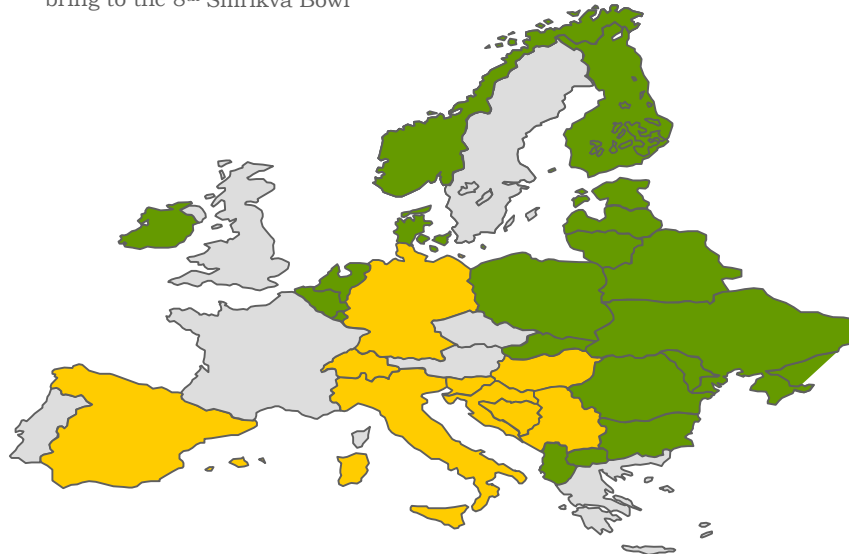
For the 8th Smrikva Bowl Tennis Club Smrikva is looking to bring even more countries.



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■ Countries that were represented at the 7th Smrikva Bowl

■ Countries that we are trying to bring to the 8th Smrikva Bowl



■ The prizes for the winners are:

■ Mountain bikes

■ An invitation to the 2nd "Little Mo"/Smrikva Bowl in Austin - Texas (USA) – 24th October 2003 (US vs. Europe).





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The Europeans won the 1st “Little Mo”/Smrikva Bowl

The Smrikve Tennis Club and the Maureen Connolly Brinker Tennis Foundation have created the first-ever international competition between the United States and Europe for Girls 10 & under.*

** Maureen Connolly, who was known as “Little Mo”, was the first woman to win the Grand Slam at age 18 in 1953.*



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Ema Burgic (BiH)
Ajla Tomljanovic (Cro)



*Maureen Connolly Brinker
Tennis Foundation, Inc.*

Jordaan Sanford (California)
Morgan Basil (Florida)

- The Europeans defeated the United States 3-1 at the Courtyard Tennis Club in Austin, Texas on Friday, October 25, 2002.
- The event was hosted by the Austin Tennis Academy.
- The players representing the United States were: #1 Jordaan Sanford (California) and #2 Morgan Basil (Florida). The U.S. players were selected from the “Little Mo” Regional Champions, which features the best young players in the United States from 7-11 years of age. The players representing Europe were: #1 Ajla Tomljanovic (Croatia) and #2 Ema Burgic (Bosnia), selected from the top players of the Smrikva Bowl.
- Results:

Burgic (Europe) defeated Sanford (USA):	6-1, 6-3
Tomljanovic (Europe) defeated Basil (USA):	6-3, 7-6
Basil (USA) defeated Burgic (Europe):	6-0, 6-1
Tomljanovic (Europe) defeated Sanford (USA):	6-1, 6-2



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General information

*Players must
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- Accommodation:
 - family limited number of places are available
 - apartments cost for 4 people is around Euro 40-45 per night
 - hotels for more details about pricing and availability in Pula's
hotels please visit internet site
www.istra.com/pula/cro/hoteli.html
- Where you can eat:
 - sandwiches will be offered to the players during the tournament
 - restaurants close to the Smrikve Tennis Club have discounted prices for Smrikva Bowl participants.
- Tournament balls: Roland Garros
- Participation fee:
 - Euro 15





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Tournament schedule

The tournament starts on Friday while on Thursday only the best players from each country will play the round robin.

- Thursday, 3rd July 2003 (ROUND ROBIN DAY)
 - 9:00 AM registration
 - On Wednesday only the players selected for the round robin arrive.
 - The round robin is played up to 4 games among the best players from each country selected by the Smrikve Tennis Club.
- Friday, 4th July 2003 (MAIN AND CONSOLATION TOURNAMENT STARTS)
 - 9:00 AM registration.
 - Each match is played up to 9 games; whoever loses in the first round of the main tournament plays in the consolation tournament. In the consolation tournament each match is played up to 6 games.
- Saturday, 5th July 2003 (MAIN AND CONSOLATION TOURNAMENT CONTINUES)
 - 9:00 AM main and consolation tournaments continue up to the quarterfinals.
- Sunday, 6th July 2003 (SEMIFINALS AND FINALS)
 - 9:00 AM semifinals (semi finals and finals are played in two sets in the main tournament)
 - 0:00 PM girls finals
 - 1:00 PM boys finals

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AND CLOSING CEREMONY





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Smrikve Tennis Club location

The Smrikve Tennis Club is located in Pula (Croatia), 120 km from the Italian city Trieste.

The easiest way to reach it is by car or by plane.

If you are flying from abroad you should fly to Zagreb first and then to Pula.



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Croatia

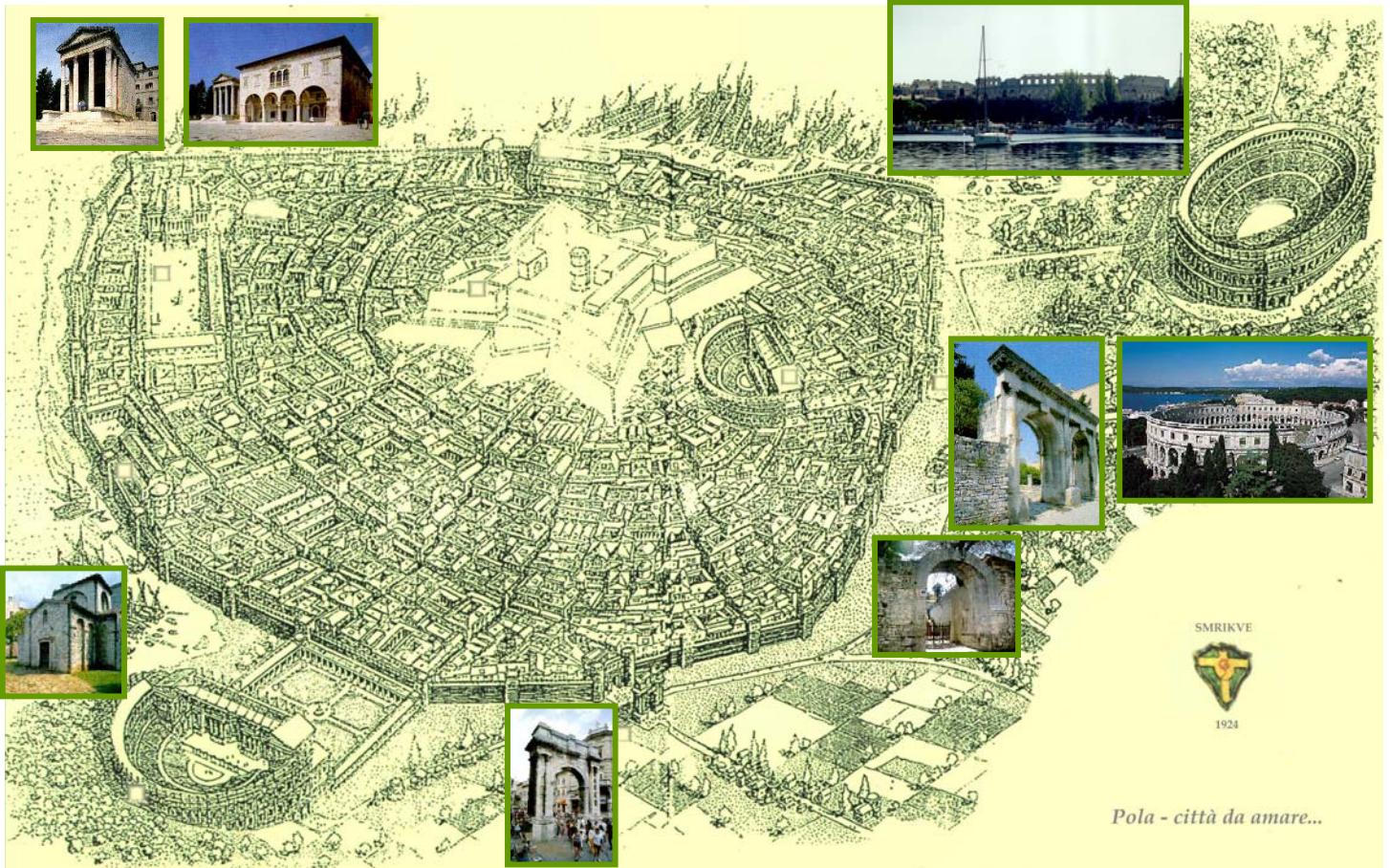




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Pula (3000 years old town)

The Smrikve Tennis Club is close to Pula and the famous Brioni Islands.



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Pola - città da amare...



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Contacts

Please fill out the application form that is enclosed on the following page using capital letters and return it by fax or by e-mail.

Please check that adults and children have the necessary documents for travelling to Croatia.

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Name Surname: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Adress: _____

Country: _____

Phone numbers: _____

E-mail: _____

People comming: 1+_____

Arrival Date: _____ Departure Date: _____

Accommodation preferred: ____Hotel ____ Apartment ____ Family

Short biography: _____

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