

TENNIS PRO COMES TO CHYC!

The Board of Directors of Charlotte Harbor Yacht Club is pleased to introduce to its membership our new tennis pro, Bob Blazekovic! Bob Blaze (as he likes to be called) is originally from Battle Creek, Michigan. He has been playing tennis professionally since 1979 when he played on the Association of Tennis Professionals (ATP) world tour. He achieved a career high world ranking of 256 in singles and 206 in doubles.

As a club professional, Bob worked with adults and children of all abilities and backgrounds for over 25 years. He taught at clubs and resorts in Florida, New York and Michigan, among others, and has been a high school coach, both locally and in Michigan.

Bob has lived in Charlotte County for the last 14 years and has worked at Emerald Point, Seminole Lakes, Lakeside Plantation and the Port Charlotte Tennis Club (for seven years until Charley).

He is excited about the opportunity to start a tennis program at CHYC and looks forward to meeting the membership.

A brief questionnaire has been included for interested CHYC members to fill out so that Bob may offer programs best suited to the Club's membership.

The Board has given Bob an exclusive agreement to manage the Club's tennis program. Bob offers a full range of individual lessons and group clinics, and, in particular, is well adept in teaching children from ages as early as four on up. Anyone interested in taking lessons or attending a clinic should contact Bob directly on his cell phone at 941-467-4951.