

## **230 children benefit from tennis coaching**

**ANGUILLA—This year 230 children aged from 5 to 17 have benefited from the Anguilla Tennis Academy three week summer camp. It was held at the new facility at Blowing Point where six courts were used from morning to evening.**

**Friday July 27 was the final day when certificates were presented and all the children won prizes for drill based fun games. The prizes and much of the equipment valued at more than US\$5,000.00 was donated by Wilson Sporting Goods. Director of the ATA, Jason Allen expressed great appreciation to Wilson and to all the sponsors who made the camp possible.**

**There have been 30 coaches involved in the camp from Anguilla and overseas. Three overseas coaches were present for the entire time and 15 came for the last week of the camp.**

**A cocktail reception on Friday July 27 at the Anguilla Great House marked the end of the camp and appreciation for the sponsors, coaches and all involved. Coach Will Edmonds gave a summary of the camp and presented an award to the best coach, Keithroy Proctor and the best youth leader, Alex Horsford. Allen gave a summary of the past year's events of the ATA and the progress made. Founder and President of the ATA, Mitchelle Lake expressed his pride in the Summer Camp and the fact that it was held on the new tennis courts. He made a special presentation to Allen, of a tennis racket autographed by Andy Roddick, in appreciation of all his work. Each of the platinum sponsors was presented with a plaque to thank them for their support.**

**The platinum sponsors include Rendezvous Bay Hotel, Cerulean, Caribbean Juris Chambers, ABC Supplies, Caribbean Commercial Bank, National Bank of Anguilla, St Regis/Temenos Villas, Keen Enterprise and the Anguilla Development Board. There were many gold and silver sponsors from businesses across the island.**