

HARO Sports Flooring / Rebound Ace[®]**Little tennis talents on sports floors like the Big Boys
HARO Sports supports teaching projects of the Bavarian and
Baden-Wuerttemberg tennis associations with portable Pro-
Tennis Court**

Rosenheim / Stuttgart – While German tennis legends such as Tommy Haas and Philipp Kohlschreiber were contesting for points, set and match from 6th to 14th July 2013 during the 35th Mercedes Cup in Stuttgart, the next talents were maturing nearby. Girls and boys aged six to fourteen had the chance to make their first tennis experiences on a real professional floor on the edges of the MercedesCup, which is a part of the ATP Tour. Just like during the BMW Open, HARO Sports Flooring provided a small version of its portable sports floor HARO Rome Tennis, with its special surface coating by Rebound Ace. Stuttgart was the first location ever that the Outdoor version of the sports floor came into use.

The „talentinos“

„talentinos“ is the new play-and-learn concept of the Bavarian Tennis Association which has the goal to make tennis more attractive to young people. By means of the new play-and-learn concept, kids and teenagers get the chance to playfully get to know the tennis sport, with tennis balls, rackets and courts that are adjusted to the children's sizes. Main theme of the event: "learn tennis playfully", according to "Play+Stay". The Baden-Wuerttemberg Tennis Association pursues a similar theme.

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Little talents – floors like the big boys

Especially when children start a sport it is vital that the equipment – from clothing to racket – fits and functions. Only then will children experience successes and achievements that motivate. Therefore the floor plays an important role for the future tennis aces. With the HARO sports floor Rome Tennis – in Stuttgart for the first time ever in the special Outdoor version – the young beginners were provided a real professional floor. This floor can be played on just like a regular hard-court and at the same time can be run on comfortably like an area-elastic sports floor. HARO Sports Flooring, one of the leading manufacturers of portable and permanently installed area-elastic sports floors, delivers the technical subconstruction and Rebound Ace, established producer of sports floors on acrylic basis, refines the floor with its acrylic top layer.

Advantage HARO Tennis!

The new Tennis floor is subjectively more comfortable and objectively gentler for the player than regular hard courts. The athlete doesn't tire as quickly and the risk of injuries declines. At the same time the ball can be played just as well as on a hard court. These ideal sports physiological properties and the highest quality standard according to ISO 9001 make HARO Tennis a top player in the world ranking list. The floor meets the DIN V 18032-2; April 2001 as well as the EN 14904 and hence can be used for Olympic Games and international tournaments. That's just the performance it also shows in Mini-Court format.

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Portable and flexible

The portable version of HARO Sports Rome Tennis – in a size of 800 m² - can be installed within only three hours and dismantled in even less time. A flexibility, which is essential in today's sports and multi-purpose halls. The high quality of the subconstruction and the finish make sure that Rome Tennis can be installed and dismantled hundreds of times. The Rebound Ace[®] acrylic covering enables sponsors or hosts to have their logos printed color-fast, so as to give players and sponsors a perfect stage. ■



During the MercedesCup 2013, HARO Sports Flooring and Rebound Ace provided the little tennis up-and-comers with a small version of the portable sports floor HARO Rome Tennis, which came with a special surface coating by Rebound Ace.

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Hard on the top, elastic on the bottom: HARO sports floor Rome Tennis – der new all-rounder among sports floors. That's where the fun starts, even for little talents.

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Im Sportbodenbau werden unter der Marke HARO SPORTS Flooring seit 1958 mobile oder fest eingebaute flächenelastische Sportböden gefertigt. Entscheidern und Investoren bietet HARO SPORTS Flooring die Möglichkeit, sich von einem erfahrenen Spezialistenteam über die beste Bodenlösung in Sport- und Mehrzweckhallen umfassend beraten zu lassen. Die Hamberger Industrierwerke GmbH in Stephanskirchen bei Rosenheim kann inzwischen auf über 60 Jahre Erfahrung in der Parketherstellung zurückblicken. Das im Jahre 1866 gegründete Unternehmen wird heute in der vierten und fünften Generation von Peter Hamberger und Dr. Peter M. Hamberger geführt. Neben dem Unternehmensbereich Flooring mit Parkett, Kork- und Laminatboden sowie Celenio, umfasst die Hamberger Firmengruppe die Bereiche Sports Flooring, Sanitary, Sägewerk, sowie Land- und Forstwirtschaft. Bereits 1995 wurde Hamberger nach DIN EN ISO 9001 zertifiziert, 1998 folgte die Zertifizierung des Umwelt-Management-Systems nach DIN EN ISO 14001. Seit 2002 sind die Hamberger Industrierwerke gemäß PEFC zertifiziert. Das Siegel ist ein Nachweis dafür, dass die verarbeiteten Rohstoffe aus zertifiziertem nachhaltig bewirtschaftetem Wald stammen. Mit ca. 1.800 Mitarbeitern setzt die Firmengruppe jährlich ca. 270 Mio. Euro um. Der Exportanteil des Unternehmens beträgt ca. 40%, der Export geht weltweit in über 90 Länder. Weitere Informationen unter www.haro-sports.de.

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