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## Meet the Tennis Pro's at RSC!



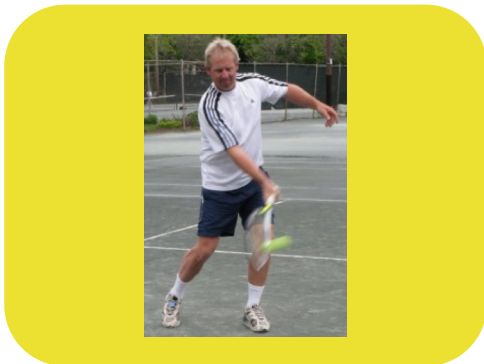
Peter Sutcliffe

Peter was previously the Head Tennis Professional at the Ottawa Tennis and Lawn Bowling Club (OTLBC) for over 10 years. He has extensive experience as a tennis Canada Certified Coach and USPTA development coach, including over 16 years in competitive player development. He is former Quebec junior champion and #5 junior in Canada. He also played NCAA Division 1 for Virginia Tech and competed on the satellite circuit. His unique coaching methods integrate match strategy and tactics into all of his training routines.



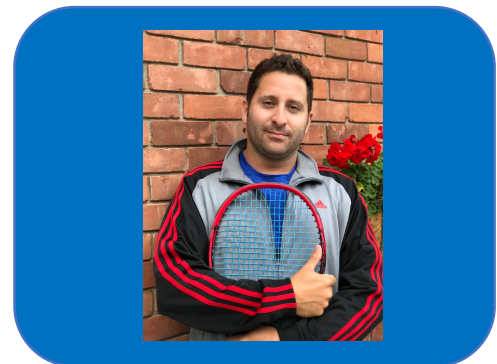
Rick Valois

Rick began playing tennis at 3 years old and by the age of 11 was ranked 2<sup>nd</sup> in Canada in the U12 age category. From then on, he represented Ottawa at the Canadian Nationals Tournament for every age category until he left Canada for the United States on a tennis scholarship. Rick began teaching tennis at the age of 16 during the summer months at various clubs in Ottawa and once he completed his degree he transitioned to working as a full-time professional at the Ottawa Athletic Club. Rick thoroughly enjoys sharing his knowledge and 32+ years of experience with students of all ages and levels of play.



Nick Patterson

Nick received his B.Sc at Dalhousie University. He is a former Junior and Senior Champion in both singles and doubles at OTLBC, Rideau Tennis Club, St. James Tennis Club and RA Centre Tennis Club. Nick received Tennis Canada Certification in 1980 and has been teaching tennis on a part-time/full time basis for 36 years. He has taught tennis for the National Tennis School, along with several tennis clubs in the area such as the OTLBC, Rideau Tennis Club, OAC, TCWO and the Carleton University Tennis Centre.



Sacha Krishna

Sacha has been coaching tennis players in both private and group settings for over 10 years in Ottawa. A Club Pro 2 certified coach from Tennis Canada, Sacha always ensures a positive learning environment for his students, bringing an obvious passion for the game along with his contagious energy to each session he teaches. With students ranging from 5 to 95, Sacha's adaptable style fits the needs of any student. Sacha is also a regular competitor in tournaments across Ottawa. He took home the 2015 Elmdale Doubles Championship and was a semi-finalist in the 2014 Rideau Indoor Open.