**ACTIVITY 1.2.**

Read the text again, then complete the following table.

<table>
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<th>EVENTS</th>
<th>AGE OR DATE</th>
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<td>1. He got his first tennis racket</td>
<td>when he was 9 /at 9</td>
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<td>2. He ............................................................</td>
<td>in 1965</td>
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<td>3. He ........................................Percy Rosberg</td>
<td>..............................................</td>
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<td>4. He .............................................. the Salk club</td>
<td>..............................................</td>
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<td>5. He .............. his age division in the Swedish national championships.</td>
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<td>6. He .........................................................</td>
<td>at 13.</td>
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<td>7. He ............................................. to represent Sweden ................................ in Berlin</td>
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**ACTIVITY 1.3.**

Fill in each gap with one word. Do not refer to the text (on page 24) until you finish the exercise.

I ..........my first tennis racket at the age .......... nine. My parents were very helpful. I was obviously crazy about tennis from the .......... and they gave assistance all the time. I was ......... I met Percy Rosberg, the best ....... in Sweden. I started .........with him at the Salk club in Stockholm. I ......... my first tournament at 11 in the Sormland Country Championships. From then on I won every year. I was on my way. At 14, I was ......... to represent Sweden in a junior tournament in Berlin.

**ACTIVITY 1.4.**

Study the 2 following headlines A α B.
A. TENNIS STAR TO MARRY AFTER SURPRISE DEFEAT

B. DID HE JUMP OR WAS HE PUSHED?

They both appeared in London newspapers on the same day. Which sentences go with headline A? which go with headline B?

1. The body of a man was found in the river Thames near Tower Bridge yesterday.
2. John Mac Elbow will not be seen again this year on the centre court at Wimbledon.
3. He was beaten yesterday afternoon by an unknown German, Gunther Schiefgang.
4. He was later identified as Murray King, 52, a well known agent in the film and advertising world.
5. Afterwards, he was asked if there was any truth in reports that he intended to retire from tennis.
6. He had last been seen alive four days earlier in a London gambling club.
7. Two models who worked for him, Jennifer Bradbury and Caroline Moor, have recently complained that King had been cheating them.
8. "Not at all" he said. "I'll be back next year and what's more, I'll win the title next year, too."
9. According to them, he had gambled away large sums of money which should have been paid to them instead.
10. But he admitted that he had not been playing lately.
11. "Something has been wrong with my game lately and I just don't know what it is," he told the reporters.
12. The causes of his disappearance and death have still not been fully explained.
13. However, the police said last night that they were considering two possibilities.
14. "But everyone goes through bad times now and then," he added.
15. These were murder or suicide.
16. He also said it was true that he and the film star, Claudia Whitney, were planning to get married next week.
17. His secretary told the reporters last night that he also owed money to people in the London underworld.
18. "I think it's very likely that some of those criminals got tired of waiting for it and pushed him into the river," she said
ACTIVITY 1.5.

a. Read the sentences again and find words that have the same meaning as the following expressions.

1. didn't win (sentence 3).
2. stop working (sentence 5).
3. the opposite of dead (sentence 6).
4. lost money by playing games of chance (sentence 9).
5. lowest social position or not recommended people (sentence 17).

b. What / who do the following words refer to?

1. He (sentence 3).
2. He (sentence 4).
3. Them (sentence 9).
4. These (sentence 15).

ACTIVITY 6.

Read the sentences again and pick / out the ones concerning the tennis - star and write out the paragraph.

ACTIVITY 1.7.

1. Study the following sentences.
   A. A journalist asked John Mac Elbow if there was any truth in reports that he intended to retire from tennis.
   B. A reporter asked John Mac Ellow : "John is there any truth in reports that you intend to retire from tennis " ?

   They have the same meaning. In sentence A, the journalist's question is reported.
In sentence 3, the exact words used by the journalist are reproduced and are placed between quotation marks (" .... ").

What other changes do you notice regarding the pronouns or the tenses used?

SENTENCE B is in DIRECT SPEECH.

SENTENCE A is in REPORTED SPEECH.

2. Now, you classify sentences 4,5,6,7 and 8 into each of the 2 categories.

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3. What are the exact words said in sentences 5, 15 and 18.
5 " ............................................................", the reporter asked
11 " ..........................................................", J. Mac Elbow said
16 " ..........................................................", J. Mac Elbow said

PATTERN SUMMARY:

REPORTING VERBS | DIRECT SPEECH | REPORTED SPEECH INDIRECT
-----------------|---------------|-----------------------------
He said that ..... | is            | was
He added that .... | can           | could
He denied that .... | has          | had
He explained that .... | wants       | wanted
He told me that | doesn't want  | didn't want
| will         | would        |

Niveau: 3ème AS  Série: L. M S  Matière: ANGLAIS  Unité: 1

Notice when you use told and when you use said

I told him \{ that it was impossible.
He told me \} that it was impossible.

I said \{ that it was impossible.
He said\}
GETTING READY:

Have you ever skied?
Can you ski where you live?
Is there snow in winter?
Skiing is a dangerous sport, isn't it?
Skiers can get injured, can't they?
Well that's what happened to a great skier, Ingrid Schuster.
Read what the following article says about her.

INGRID'S BACK! (Kitzbuhel Saturday.)

Ingrid Schuster, Austria's top woman skier, won the World Cup Downhill Race here today - her first race since her terrible fall at Wengen nine months ago where she broke both her legs, in a 90 K.ph. crash. Doctors said she would never ski again, but 22 year-old Ingrid didn't believe them. "I was sure I would ski again. I just knew it," she told me after she had won the race. "Getting fit again was very hard work and it took a long time. But I knew that one day, I would race again. I wanted my first race to be here at Kitzbuhel, in front of all my fans, but I didn't really expect to win. I just wanted to take part. Winning today was great. It made all the hard work worthwhile."