



**TonyV**  
**New Jersey**

- Gaff of the Year - Gimelstob's public comments about Kournikova
- Recovery of the Year - USTA overlaying Gimelstob in their summer tv commercials with McEnroe
- Best Announcers of the Year - Jason Goodall, Robbie Koenig and Doug Adler (ATP Masters Online broadcasts)
- Decision of the Year - Hamburg losing their case with the ATP Player
- Meltdown of the Year - Youzhny bashing his racket on his head to the point of bleeding
- Most Athletic of the Year - Tsonga (then Nadal)
- Worst TV Decision of the Year - ESPN dropping coverage of Indian Wells, Miami, and ATP Master's Cup
- Best Exhibition of the Year - Fed vs Sampras at the Garden
- Best Tennis Program - TLR hands down - you guys deserve a spot on television like ESPN or Tennis Channel

**Sue, Raleigh, NC**

- *Players Least Likely to Have a Significant Impact in 2009* Lindsay Davenport & Amelie Mauresmo: The Tree-of-Life is self-pruning and unfortunately for these former world number ones, time is not on their side and neither are likely to have a significant impact in 2009. Ivan Ljubicic: Dropping 26 ATP rankings over the course of 2008, Ivan has a lot to prove in next year's Australian Open especially after his 2008 first round loss.

-Biggest Gaffes 2008: Justin Gimelstob's thoughtless remarks about WTA players. Dick Enberg describing Serena Williams as "Bootylicious on the Move" at the French.

**Sophie**  
**Aylesbury, Buckinghamshire, United Kingdom**

- Best victory celebration: Serena Williams jumping for joy after defeating Jankovic in US Open final
- Most bizarre victory celebration: Federer and Wawrinka win gold at the Olympics,
- Best on-court dancing: Gael Monfils
- Ultimate choke: Ivanovic and her spectacular downward spiral after obtaining the number 1 ranking. And I just want to mention Ernest Gulbis, because I like him.

**The Lord's Rainmaker**  
**Toronto, Ontario, Canada**

- The Pete Sampras "Server of the Year" Pistol - Venus Williams
- The Martina Navratilova "Time to Retire" Rocking Chair - Lindsey Davenport
- The Andre Agassi "Media Darling" Teddy Bear - Dinara Safina & Jo-Wilfried Tsonga (tie)
- The John McEnroe "Temper Tantrum" Smashed Tennis Raquet - Mikhail Youzhny
- The Jana Novotna "Cry Me A River" Tissue Box - The Bryan Brothers (French Open)
- The Michael Chang "Goliath Slayer" Slingshot - Gilles Simon
- The Jim Courier "Dull But Effective" Sleeping Pill - Andy Murray
- The Chris Evert "Win & Lose With Class" Tea Cup - Rafael Nadal & Roger Federer (tie)
- The Marcelo Rios "Wasted Talent" Spoiled Milk Carton - Nicole Vaidisova & Richard Gasquet (tie)

**Brownie, Maine**

- Awkward Moment of 2008: Djokovic's post-match speech at the US Open

**Victoria, San Diego**

- Player You Love to Hate: Maria Sharapova Novak Djokovic

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