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“Fashion is part
of the daily air”

-Diana Vreeland

ROCKY
MOUNTAIN
OPEN

Victory for Chevrolet

Mongol Derby

The longest and the toughest Horse Race

POLO



Image: Aspen Valley Polo Club

Team Audi wins the Labor Day challenge



A beautiful landscape with the Polo field: Aspen Valley Polo Club



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The 48° Torneo Internacional de Polo winds up with the high goal gold cup



Image: Images of Polo

The Ladies Charity Day at Guards Polo Club

Seizing the Moment

Silver Air Pacific Coast Open

Santa Barbara Polo & Racquet Club | USA 

Farmers & Merchants Bank Vs Lucchese

"I am grateful and privileged for the spectators who came out to cheer for FMB. I had chills when we rode up to them at the end of the game, thanking them for coming and watching us."

Farmers and Merchants Bank Team Owner, **Danny Walker**

Building off the momentum and confidence of winning the Farmers & Merchants Bank

America Cup, Farmers & Merchants Bank jumped into the final 16-goal tournament of the series with the hope of claiming two consecutive trophies. Navigating their way through bracket play with only one loss on their record, Farmers & Merchants Bank met last year's finalist Lucchese to compete in the Silver Air Pacific Coast Open Final at the Santa Barbara Polo & Racquet Club. Although Lucchese seemed to have the upper hand from the first chukker through the fifth, a determined FMB found their stride in the sixth to capture the Pacific Coast Open. 




Image: Santa Barbara Polo Club

2019 Silver Air Pacific Coast Open Champions: Farmers & Merchants Bank

The Ladies Charity Tournament

Lord Patrick Beresford Trophy

Guards Polo Club | UK 

La Ruleta 7.5
Vs UAE Polo Team 6

Guards Polo Club created the 18-goal Lord Patrick Beresford Trophy three years ago in response to the increased demand for ladies polo tournaments

The La Ruleta team opened the 2019 Guards Ladies Charity Tournament on 20th August and closed the competition on Saturday by winning the final, the Lord Patrick Beresford Trophy. After defeating HH Sheikha Maitha's UAE Polo Team by 7.5 - 6, La Ruleta Team celebrated the Ladies Charity Day. The hard fought battle for the Lord Patrick Beresford Trophy witnessed some fine action on the fields of Guards Polo Club. La Ruleta converted its early lead into a great win and lifted the coveted Lord Patrick Beresford Trophy.



Team La Ruleta with the Lord Patrick Beresford Trophy

The First Win

High-goal Gold Cup

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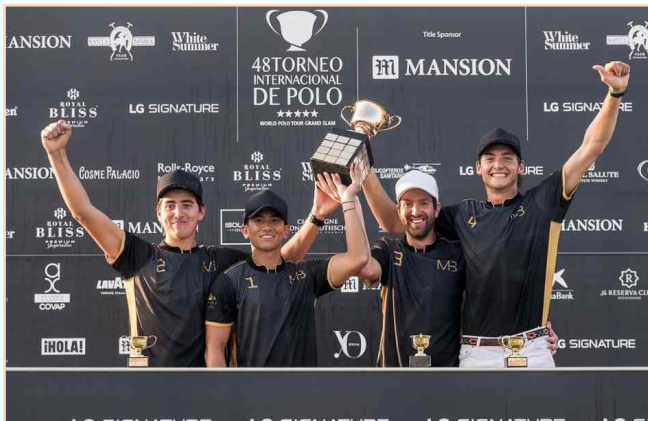


MB Polo 9
Vs Brunei 8



Tomas Panelo was named the Most Valuable Player and the Best Playing Pony honours were given to Kenya, played by Tommy Beresford

The 48° Torneo Internacional de Polo came to an end on Saturday at Santa María Polo Club with their top event of the season: the final of the High-Goal Gold Cup where MB Polo beat Brunei 9 goals to 8 on a very tight game to claim the title for the first ever time. Brunei polo organisation finished an unforgettable season in Sotogrande losing only one game in the high-goal, winning the Silver Cup. For MB Polo not only was the first high-goal Copa de Oro title for the team but also for its four players.



Team MB Polo with the High Goal Gold Cup

The medium goal battle

Medium Goal Gold Cup

Santa Maria Polo Club | Spain



Brunei 9 Vs Ayala 7



Matias Gonzalez was named the Most Valuable Player while the Best Playing Pony award was received by Venus.

The finals of the Medium Goal and Low Goal Gold Cup were played on Friday at Santa María Polo Club, in Sotogrande. In the main event of the day, Brunei defeated unbeaten Ayala to win the Medium Goal Copa de Oro. A great battle between the two teams, the fate of the finale was unpredictable and no team was looking as a clear winner until the last chukker. Brunei who dominated the match in the later stage, with this match took revenge for what happened at the Silver Cup where Ayala emerged victorious in the semifinals.



Team brunei celebrates the Medium goal win

Aspen Valley Polo Club

United States of America

Aspen Valley Polo Club is one of the fastest growing Clubs in the United States. The club just enjoyed its most successful summer season in club history and recently broke ground for two more fields. Aspen valley Polo Club has taken measures to better the quality of Polo in the country and has increased membership. The club continues to grow and introduce polo throughout the valley attracting some of the world's top pro and amateur players. Aspen Valley Polo Club offers polo in the summer for players and spectators. The Polo School is available to adults and juniors, and offers individual and group lessons for all levels and ages. For spectators, there are great field-side views for tournament action, indoor and outdoor arenas and also the Aspen Valley Polo Club Boutique. The Silver Cup, North American Cup, Louis Vuitton Cup, Rocky Mountain Open and United States Arena Handicap are amongst the prestigious tournaments played at the Aspen Valley Polo Club.



Polo lessons at Aspen Valley Polo Club

Third win of the season

Carbondale Classic

Aspen Valley
Polo Club | USA



Los Amigos Red 8
Vs La Karina 4

“ It was all about positioning. On defense all our back shots were received by our players. I think that was the difference and why we did better.”

Juancito Bollini,
Most Valuable Player

Los Amigos Red won its third tournament of the summer polo season and is now the winningest team with two grass tournaments remaining. Los Amigos Red led from start-to-finish to defeat La Karina 8-4 to capture the Carbondale Classic Sunday in front of a good crowd at McClure River Ranch. For the second week in a row, Juancito Bollini was named Most Valuable Player. Matsu, a 6-year-old bay mare played by Nacho Novillo Astrada in the fifth chukker and owned by Santa Rita Polo Farm, was named the Best Playing Pony.



Los Amigos Red won the Carbondale Classic

The Labor Day Challenge

Labor Day Challenge

Aspen Valley
Polo Club | USA



Audi 10 Vs La Karina 6



Argentine 7-goaler Salvadore Ulloa, known throughout the season as "Mr. Hustle," was named Game and Season Most Valuable Player. Maestra was selected Best Playing Pony.

Audi won its first tournament of the summer polo season Sunday in front of a packed house at McClure River Ranch. Audi took control early and led from start-to-finish to defeat La Karina 10-6, to capture the inaugural Labor Day Challenge. Audi jumped out to a 2-0 lead and pulled away for a 4-1 lead after two chukkers. Playing well defensively, Audi never let La Karina into the game which had problems finding consistency in its offense. Audi led 6-3 at the half and outscored La Karina, 4-3, in the second half.



Image: Aspen Valley Polo Club



Image: Aspen Valley Polo Club | USA

Audi: The winners of Labor Day Challenge

A victory for Chevrolet

Rocky Mountain Open

Aspen Valley
Polo Club | USA



Mountain Chevrolet 10
Vs Audi 9



The 31-year-old Argentine 10-goaler, Hilario Ulloa was named Most Valuable Player after scoring a game-high nine goals, including four penalty conversions.

On a perfect day for polo, Mountain Chevrolet won its first 20-goal tournament in one of the most exciting finals in Aspen Valley Polo Club history. Mountain Chevrolet knocked off Audi 10-9, to win the Rocky Mountain Open in front of a good local crowd Sunday at McClure River Ranch. In the final minute, Hilario Ulloa weaved his way through a crowd of defenders and avoided a solid hook to score the winning goal with 32 seconds left.



Mountain Chevrolet Captures Rocky Mountain Open

A remarkable victory

West Sussex Cup

Cowdray Park
Polo Club | UK



Northwood 10
Vs Brown Rudnick 6

Set in an Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty within Viscount Cowdray's 16,500 acre estate in West Sussex, the game of polo has been played at Cowdray for close on a century.

A lively high scoring match between Northwood and Brown Rudnick brought a close the 2019 6-goal West Sussex Cup which had attracted an entry of eight teams. Northwood took an early lead and dominated the first half quite nicely. The scoreboard favoured Northwood as back-to-back goals winded up the halftime at 7 - 1. A quick team talk from Andrew Hine during half time had obviously given Northwood even more energy as they returned to the pitch to make three quick goals in chukka 3. Despite an offensive comeback, Brown Rudnick couldn't surpass Northwood and lost the title to them.



Players of both teams pose with the trophy



Low Goal Gold Cup

Santa Maria
Polo Club | Spain



The final showdown at the Santa Maria Polo Club kickstarted with the final of the low goal category at Los Pinos' field 1. After the finals of the low goal Gold Cup, the last day of 48° Torneo Internacional de Polo moved forward with the medium goal final and the high goal final. In an intense upset, Rhone Hill outscored La Clarita by 10 goals to 8.

POLO TO WATCH OUT



Image: Aspen Valley Polo Club

The Chukkers, Champagne & Caviar fundraiser at Aspen Valley Polo Club

AUTUMN CUP

8-12 Goals

Cowdray Park Polo Club

**9th - 22nd September
2019**


WOMEN'S OPEN

FRENCH OPEN

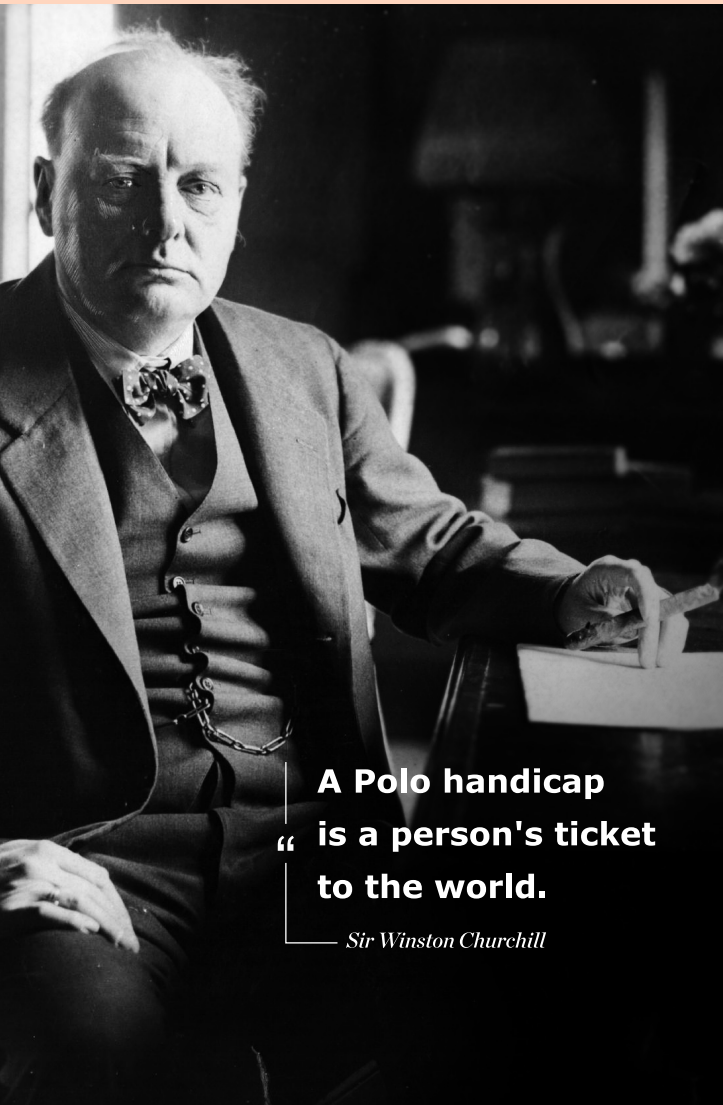
12-16 Goals

Domaine de Chantilly Polo Club

11th - 16th September 2019



Jaipur polo team carved a unique and an unbeaten record till date, by winning all the open tournaments in the United Kingdom and the Indian Championship successively from the year 1930 to 1938.



**A Polo handicap
“ is a person's ticket
to the world.**

Sir Winston Churchill

Teams announced for 52nd Open

Open of the San
Jorge Riding Club

Argentina



The traditional 52nd Open of the San Jorge Riding Club for the Duke of Edinburgh Trophy, which this time will feature the participation of 5 formations between 22 and 31 valuation goals. The Argentine Polo Association announced the full fixture and rosters of the upcoming San Jorge Open, which will kick off next Wednesday in Palermo and will feature a total of 5 teams up to 31 goals in competition. All the matches will take place in Palermo.



Highlights from 51st Open

Teams announced for Jockey Club Open

55° Jockey
Club Open

United Kingdom



The Jockey Club has announced the teams that will be competing for the upcoming 55° Jockey Club Open, scheduled to be played from September 9th to September 21st. The draw and full fixture will be announced over the next few days. Eight teams, up to 31 goals, are set to play in the tournament. Adolfo Cambiaso and Facundo Pieres, who have not competed against each other since last year's Argentine Open, will be taking part. It is interesting to note that the last time they shared a field was in the Hurlingham Open final.



Jockey Club Open highlights

EQUUS



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South Korea is slowly becoming an unconventional hub of horse race



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Bob Long becomes the oldest winner to win the longest horse race at the age of 70



Image: Sportsbeat

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Nicky Hill is delighted with how her season is progressing



Image:

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Quote of the week for the love of the horses

The Oldest Winner of The Longest Race

Mongol Derby

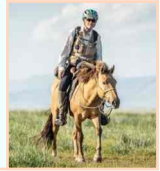
Mongolia



Standing at the finish line, 70-year-old Bob Long took a moment to reflect on what he'd just achieved. Behind him lay more than 600 miles of Mongolian steppe, a vast expanse of wild grassland which stretches endlessly into nearby China. Not only had the American just navigated this unforgiving terrain riding semi-wild horses, along with its extreme weather and raging winds, but he also did so faster than anyone else. As a result, he not only became the oldest person to complete in the world's longest horse race the Mongol Derby he became the oldest person to ever win it.

"I'd been pushing so hard to get to the end...I had to stop for a minute and try to think back through all of the excitement and stressful instances of the trip."

- Bob Long said.



Bob Long is 70 is the oldest person to complete the Mongol Derby and win it.

South Korea Welcomes Horse Race

South Korea has always been in the news for hosting some of the elitist sports. This time, taking a step forward the Korea Racing Authority (KRA) has estimated that 25 percent of South Korea's population of 52 million visits tracks across the country but there are ambitions to grow beyond its borders. This can be seen as a significant sign that the people are interested and are welcoming the sport with open hearts. With this, South Korea is likely to become an unconventional hub for horse race.

“We focus on how to increase the ability of the racehorses as well as organizing and hosting International and Asian racing events...We are doing our best to globalize Korean racing.”

- Kim Nak Soon, KRA chairman and CEO said.



Image: Paulick Report



Image: CNN International

South Korea becoming a hub of horse race

Nick Hill in for Burghley Horse Trials

Burghley Horse Trials

Burghley House Gardens & Deer Park
Peterborough, United Kingdom



Nicky Hill is delighted with how her season is progressing after her step up to the top level of eventing competitions. The 27-year-old made her debut at the Badminton Horse Trials in Gloucestershire earlier this year where she and MGH Bingo Boy finished in 18th position.

Badminton was a surreal experience for Hill, who has been eventing since she was 18, but the pair continued their form into the summer.

“This season has been good and it’s gone really well...We’ve been to Badminton, that was his second event at this level and his first time going to Badminton”, Nicky Hill said.



Image: Facebook



Image: Sportsbeat

Worcestershire’s Nicky Hill in action on MGH Bingo Boy

“

Look back at our struggle for freedom,

Trace our present day's strength to its source;

And you'll find that man's pathway to glory

Is strewn with the bones of the horse.

”

- Author Unknown

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Ten-day celebration at the Copenhagen Cooking & Food Festival



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Shumukh- The Spirit Of Dubai

A for Audemars Piguet



Audemars Piguet

Image: Revolution Watch

After a series of A-Z of fashion vocabulary, LA POLO heads towards bringing the lingo logic from the world of your favorite watch brands. In this course we will be celebrating 26 brands and their extraordinary watches. And to begin with, we bring to you Audemars Piguet. What makes the brand identity so special is the fact that unlike many other old brands, Audemars Piguet is till date owned by the family that originally founded it. The brand is one of the oldest watch manufacturers in the world. Among the famous wearers of the brand are popular and established people like Tom Cruise, Lebron James, Usher, among others. One of the most expensive Audemars Piguet ever sold is signed Audemars Piguet Geneve Leap Year Perp that went out for \$545000 in the year 2015.



1936- 540K Mercedes

Image: Carlassic



The 1936 540K Mercedes would have been a celebrated name in the history of vintage cars, but the tales attached to it made it even more aspiring. One such story evolved in the times of World War II, where the 540K became a means of rescue for an aristocratic German family. All of it started when the Josephine von Kreiger ordered the

custom-tailored, finished black and exceptionally detailed 540K Mercedes with distinctive interiors and closely hand-painted family crest on the driver's door for his son, Henning von Krieger. The convertible car had everyone's attention at just a glance, but the masterpiece turned out to be a shelter for escape during the outbreak of World War when Henning von Krieger had to return back to Germany and his sister Baroness von Krieger, an acclaimed beauty of her time immediately took control of the supercharged the 540K Mercedes...



Image: Wheelsage

The 1936 540K Mercedes

Shumukh- The Spirit Of Dubai

Being the most populous city of the United Arab of Emirates, Dubai is known for its luxury, affluence, rich sheikhs, high end brands, and sky touching sky scrapers. One of such things is the world's most expensive perfume: Shumukh (meaning 'deserving the highest'). It is an evocatively resonating and spell-bounding bespoke piece, which is worth a king's ransom. The fragrance is resoundingly more unique than rare. The idea of this extravagant bespoke perfume was delineated by Aghsar Adam Ali (founder president and master perfume of Nabeel perfumes group and companies), though this ornate masterpiece was forged by the skilled craftsmen of France, Switzerland and Italy.



Image: RS-NEWS



Image: Middle east

Shumukh Perfume Dubai



Image: VisitCopenhagen

Copenhagen Cooking & Food Festival

Copenhagen Cooking & Food Festival is a ten-day celebration Copenhagen's food scene and Denmark as a country of good food. You can look forward to a heap of unique experiences with anything related to Copenhagen's food scene ranging from local restaurants and chefs to committed actors and food producers. Every year more than 90,000 people take part in Copenhagen Cooking and enjoy seasonal cooking and social events as well as thought-provoking workshops and debates. The festival offers events for the public as well as business to business conferences and meetings.



Image: World Rowing

World Rowing Championships

The World Rowing Championship remains open to all competitors who are authorized to compete by their member federation and who are eligible under the relevant rules. To represent a country in a World Rowing Championship, a competitor shall be a citizen of that country. Although some other special conditions and rules are laid for special cases.

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***Fashion is part of the daily
air and it changes all the time,
with all the events.***

***You can even see the
approaching of a
revolution in clothes.***

***You can see and feel
everything in clothes***

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- Diana Vreeland



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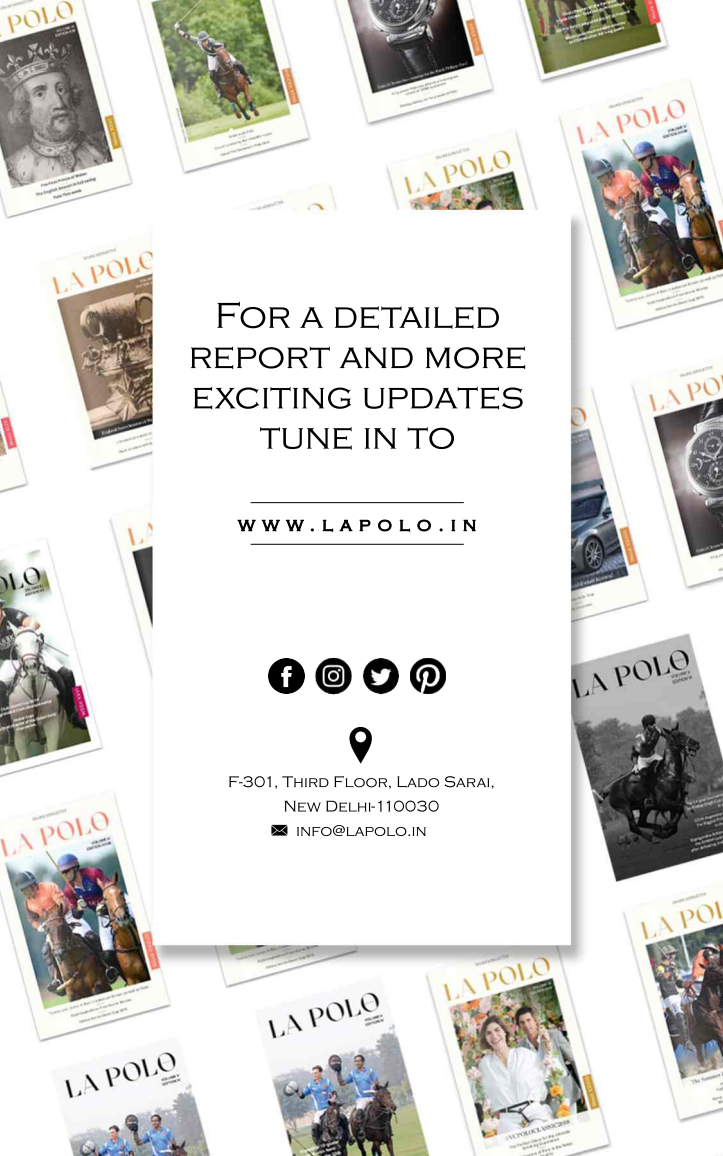
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