

# LA POLO

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## ROYAL *Ascot* STYLE GUIDE REVEALED

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OXFORDS  
NOT BROGUES

THE DUKE OF  
SUTHERLAND CUP  
winds up at  
Cowdray Park Polo Club

GLOUCESTERSHIRE  
FESTIVAL OF POLO  
Celebration at  
Beaufort Polo Club



# POLO



The finals of the Cartier Queen's Cup to be played on 12th June



Beaufort Polo Club: The home to Gloucestershire Festival of Polo



The Duke of Sutherland Cup winds up with a great final



Crestview Genetics claim the Tommy Hitchcock Memorial title

## BEAUFORT POLO CLUB



The crowded Beaufort Polo Club

**B**eaufort Polo Club in Gloucestershire, in its present form, is 30 years old but is really a revival of a hunt polo club which must have been one of the first if not the first, of the country polo clubs. The old Club was inaugurated in 1872 by Colonel Frank Henry, who had just returned from the ninth Lancers, the regiment responsible for bringing the sport of polo to England. Frank Henry

The Club has 6 boarded polo grounds, a number of stick and ball areas, a polo pit and indoor riding school. The grounds are free draining and playable in the very wettest conditions.

previously played the historic polo match against the 10 hussars. The Beaufort Polo Club is the foremost center for the development of polo in the Cotswolds and is the home to the famous Tomlinson polo dynasty. The Club also plays host to the Gloucestershire Festival of Polo in June which pairs up the top-class polo with fantastic entertainment and a tented shopping village.

## CELEBRATING THE FESTIVAL OF POLO




Team England with the Test Cup trophy

### Swinhay International Test Match

BeaufortPolo Club

 Tetbury | UK

England 6  
Vs  
Pakistan 5



A mainstay of the British Polo, thousands of visitors flock to the Gloucestershire Festival of Polo each June.

The traditional Gloucestershire Festival of Polo was celebrated on Saturday and Sunday at Beaufort Polo Club, England. With top class polo, a tented shopping village plus arena attractions and a traditional fun fair, there was plenty to keep the crowd entertained at the Festival. A mainstay of the British Polo and South West's social calendar, thousands of visitors flocked to the Gloucestershire Festival of Polo. The highlight of the two-day spectacle was the Swinhay International Test Match, where Frasers England played against Pakistan in a competitive affair. Led by Matthew Perry, Frasers England defeated Pakistan 6 - 5 to win the test match.



## A DOMINANT PLAY



Cortium with the Duke of Sutherland Cup

### Duke of Sutherland Cup

18 Goal

Cowdray Park  
Polo Club

 Midhurst |  
United Kingdom

Bardon  
vs  
Cortium

Stephen Biddlecombe presented the Most Valuable Player award to Min Podesta and the Iranita Porfia was Best Playing Pony.



The Duke of Sutherland Cup, one of the most important 18-goal tournaments of the English season, came to an end on Sunday at Cowdray Park Polo Club. With 9 teams competing in the tournament, action in the 18 goal Duke of Sutherland Cup extended over a period of three weeks. The tournament winded up with the finals between Andras Tambor's Bardon and locally-based Adrian Kirby's team Cortium on Sunday 9th June. The game resumed after an intense first half with Team Cortium dominate the field as they extended their lead with back to back goals in the last chukker. Team Cortium finished the match with a great win to lift the Duke of Sutherland Cup.

## PLAYING BY ADVANTAGE



Palm Beach Equine lift the trophy

## Easebourne

## Cup

08 Goal

Cowdray Park  
Polo ClubMidhurst |  
United KingdomConosco 7.5  
vs  
Hickstead 5

Lila Pearson presented the Easebourne Cup to Jeremy Pemberton. Will Emerson's pony Brittany won the Best Playing Pony award.

From an entry of nine teams, Jeremy Pemberton's Conosco made it to the final of the 8-goal Easebourne Cup to go head to head against John Bunn's Hickstead in the Finals on 8th June. Team Conosco received a half goal advantage on the scoreboard to start the match as the team fell short of a handicap. The half goal lead kept the two teams separated after the first half as the score was 3.5-3 in favor of Conosco. Team Conosco scored a handful of goals in the second half to take a lead. The match winded up with Team Conosco lifting the Easebourne Cup after defeating Hickstead 7.5 goals to 5.

## UNDEFEATED ONCE AGAIN



Team Crestview Genetics with the Tommy Hitchcock Memorial Cup

## Tommy Hitchcock Memorial Title

New Bridge Polo & Country Club

 New Bridge | USA

Crestview Genetics 14  
Vs  
Upatoi Green 7

“The reason that we have an amazing team is because we all come together and watch game tapes”

-Aiden Meeker, Crestview Genetics' youngest player

Undeclared once again in their second 8-goal tournament of the season, Crestview Genetics dominated the competition defeating every opponent by a margin of at least 4 goals which led to the Tommy Hitchcock Memorial final in front of a jampacked stand at the New Bridge Polo & Country Club. A relatively even first half of the play was dominated by Crestview Genetics in the second half as an explosive performance from Hugo Lloret put the team ahead by a big margin. Crestview Genetics captured their third consecutive Tommy Hitchcock Memorial title with a decisive 14-7 victory over Upatoi Green.

## THE SECOND LEG



Le Pommeray with the trophy

### Turnoi de la ville

Polo de Paris



Paris | France

Le Pommeray 8  
vs  
Sainte Mesme 3



The Polo Club of Paris was created in 1891 by the initiative of polo enthusiasts including the two brothers Maurice and René Raoul-Duval

The second leg of the Parisian Triple Crown came to an end on Sunday at Bigellete. The tournament precedes the 125th Open de Paris Engel & Volkers, the ultimate tournament of the season at Polo de Paris. The finals of the Turnoi de La Ville witnessed a powerful dominance by Le Pommeray as Facundo Fernández Llorente was on fire and scored a total of 8 goals for his team to beat Sainte Mesme by 8 goals to 3.

## CLASH OF THE TITANS



Images of Polo

Team King Power and Dubai in action

## Cartier Queen's Cup

22 Goal

Guards Polo Club



Egham |  
United Kingdom

Scone Polo V  
vs  
King Power

La Indiana  
vs  
Park Palace


The 22-goal Cartier Queen's Cup will wind up on 12th June at the Guards Polo Club.

**K**ing Power defeated Dubai in a thrilling quarter-final match of the Cartier Queen's Cup at the Queen's Ground at Guards Polo Club on Sunday afternoon. A great counter attack by King Power in the second half ensured a dominant offensive play that winded up the game at 13 - 10 with King Power going ahead in the semis. The fate of a power packed quarter final between Park Place and UAE Polo at Flemish Farm was decided in extra time as Park Palace emerged winners after scoring the golden goal. The first semi-final will be played between Scone Polo V and King Power and the second semi-final will see La Indiana and Park Palace going head to head on 11th June at the Guards Polo Club.



## Ramsey Asphalt Construction Vic Graber Cup

Santa Barbara Polo & Racquet Club

 California | USA

Farmers and Merchant Bank take home the Ramsey Asphalt Construction Vic Graber Cup after a tremendous 12-10 win in the finals of the cup.



## POLO TO WATCH OUT FOR



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Golden Wave  
2019

(13rd June -  
23rd June):  
8 - 10 Goals:  
Polo Club  
Saint Tropez:  
France



Austrian Open  
2019

(14th June -  
16th June):  
8 - 10 Goals:  
Poloclub  
Schloss  
Ebreichsdorf:  
Austria



Charity Cup  
(15th June -  
30th June):  
10 - 12 Goals:  
Polo Club du  
Domaine de  
Chantilly:  
France



The crowd at a Polo match posing for the camera

## THE 2019 SUMMER SCHEDULE ANNOUNCED



The prestigious Silver Cup will feature in the Summer Schedule

Aspen Valley Polo Club



Carbondale | USA



In its five years of existence, Aspen Valley Polo Club has made a positive impact on the Polo community, by hosting kids polo camps and participating in several charity events.

Aspen Valley Polo Club announced its summer schedule which features the prestigious Silver Cup. Set against a magnificent mountain backdrop, Aspen Valley Polo Club will host fourteen tournaments including the North American Cup (July 14 - 20), United States Arena Handicap (July 24 - August 7), and the Silver Cup (July 24 - August 11). The North American Cup, held at Aspen Valley's sister club, Grand Champions Polo Club, in the previous years will make its debut in Aspen in 2019. Hosted at Aspen Valley Polo Club in 2019, The Silver Cup is one of the highlights of the summer season.

# EQUUS



Luhmuhlen Horse Trials 2019  
dates are out

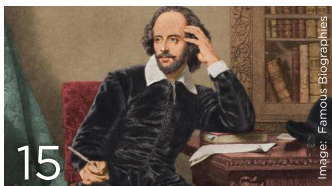


Sir Winston wins Belmont Stakes

Image: The New York times



Dehydration can be risky



William Shakespeare on horses

Image: Famous Biographies

## LONG HISTORY OF RUNNING HORSE TRIALS



Luhmühlen Horse Trials

### Luhmühlen Horse Trials



Luhmühlen |  
Germany

The Luhmühlen Horse Trials are an annual equestrian eventing competition that are held in Luhmühlen, Salzhausen, Germany. For the Luhmühlen Horse Trials the riders compete at the highest level, the CCI\*\*\*\*. The venue pertains the long history of running horse trials and has upgraded to four-star in the year 2005. To add further, a CIC3\* runs alongside the feature class.



This year,  
the Luhmühlen  
Horse Trials will  
commence from  
13th- 16th June 2019



## SIR WINSTON WINS BELMONT STAKES



Sir Winston Wins Belmont Stakes

### Belmont Stakes

Belmont Park



New York | USA

Sir Winston, made his Triple Crown debut and finished second in the Peter Pan Stakes, the traditional prep for the Belmont.

Sir Winston, after being disqualified in the Kentucky Derby and later having a runaway horse in the Preakness, be made sure that the Belmont Stakes goes to 10-1 shot. Sir Winston, without any doubt provided a perfect end to the Triple Crown. He captured the Sunday \$1.5 million race, holding the favored Tacitus by a greater length. The win gave trainer Mark Casse the final two jewels in the showcase for 3-year-old thoroughbred. He won the Preakness with War of Will, who was expected to battle Tacitus in the 1½ mile Belmont.

## DEHYDRATION- A THREAT



Dehydration is a threat for horses

Dehydration in horses can be not adverse for its performance but can also come up as a life threat. History has seen horses die due to long hot spells and we do not want it to happen again. It is time to be extra cautious about their health.

### AVOID DEHYDRATION

It is important to avoid dehydration in horses, and hence we bring to you some quick tips.

Have fresh and loads of clean water. Make sure that he takes the proper amount of water even during the competitions.

If your horse does not drink the proper amount of water that switch to haylage.

After a day of heavy exercise make sure that you don't let your horse sweat a lot. Reduce the amount of sweat through cooling.

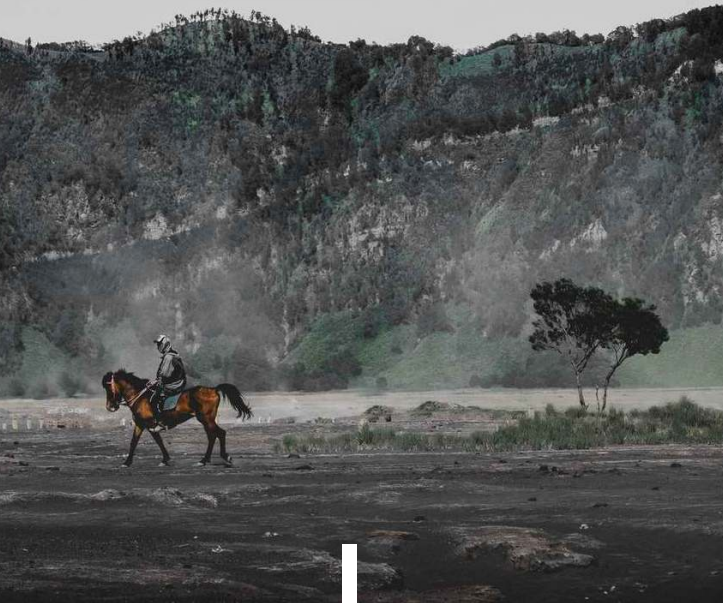
In summers, try and keep your horses under shelter as much as possible.



**“He's of the colour of the nutmeg. And of the heat of the ginger... he is pure air and fire; and the dull elements of earth and water never appear in him, but only in patient stillness while his rider mounts him; he is indeed a horse, and all other jades you may call beasts.”**

**-William Shakespeare, Henry V**

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# OPULENCE



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### THE GULFSTREAM G550

The Gulfstream G550 is a brilliantly and efficiently designed business jet, created in the state of Georgia, US. The magnificent piece was created by the General Dynamics Gulfstream Aerospace, with a mesmerising design called the GV-SP. The Gulfstream G550 has been created in collaboration with Rolls Royce Pearl. 

### CAMBRIDGE LOVER'S KNOT TIARA


The magnificent Cambridge Lover's Knot tiara was originally owned by the grandmother of the Queen Diana, who was Queen Mary. This piece is said to have been made using 19 assorted diamonds and pearl drops, extracted from all the gifts and presents that Queen Diana received during her wedding. The Queen [Mary] had only inherited the tiara and worn it once at a public appearance before gifting it to Diana, as her wedding present. 



Image: Time





Image: The Scarlet Spa

### THE SCARLET SPA

The Scarlet Spa is one of the most amazing and relaxing spas in the UK. The hotel which offers this spa is called The Scarlet, and it claims that this spa is the heaven of tranquility for those who get the chance of experiencing it.

It has luxurious tented treatment rooms which help in creating a relaxing atmosphere. These rooms

are lit up by lanterns and they offer a far reaching views over the beautiful Mawgan Porth Beach, extending to the Wild Atlantic and even beyond that. 



Image: Grenson

## OXFORDS

Oxford University has always been considered as the mainspring of the oxford shoes but here lies a covert story behind the origin of the oxford shoes which has been a clandestine affair to most of the oxford shoe lovers.

Although it is true that the oxford shoes became popular among the students of the Oxford university after they evolved the half boot shoe known as 'oxonion' into a legit, sleek and an elegant closed boot which was sans slits and had its eyelets beneath the vamp. It all began back in the bygone era of Scotland when boots and footwear were quite popular among both men and women. The Prince Albert of Scotland, who paid great attention to his dressing sense, had an obsession of getting spruced up in authentic and exceedingly elegant turnouts. At his behest, a regal shoemaker designed and customized a bespoke pair of shoes. Moreover, the prince found it possible to move around and take long strolls within the castle that too with quite an ease.

"You can never take too much care over the choice of your shoes. Too many women think that they are unimportant, but the real proof of an elegant woman is what is on her feet."

—Christian Dior



Image: Yousuf Karsh



## It's That Time Of The Year

Dating back to the times when Mona Lisa was stolen from the magnificence of the Louvre in 1911, the week of races in the third week of June became a Royal Week. That's when the Ascot's Racecourse, turns it's table to royalty and elegance in a sartorial style.

The Royal Ascot, known for its impeccable mix of class and grandeur, along with the energy raging from the top-class racing around the vicinity. With the undeniable panache lingering in the air, the Royal Ascot brought down it's style guide right out at the privacy of fancy and fabulous private members' club Annabel's in Mayfair.

The style guide defined itself with utmost grace and refinement, as this traditional elements of life stay pretty and intact. The designs which started in the definement of Beau Brummell, the statement bows, mixed textures, and bold colours fill these few days of summer, defining the trends well enough.





## The Canadian Grand Prix

The Canadian Grand Prix is an annual auto race held in Canada since 1961 and has been part of the Formula One World Championship since 1967. It currently takes place at the

Circuit Gilles Villeneuve. Visitors can also experience Montreal, a lively multicultural city, great for sightseeing on foot and boasting the second highest rate of restaurants per capita after New York City.

## Milan Men's FW S/S

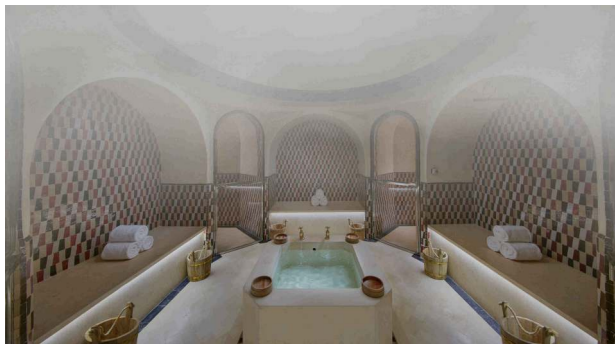
Milano Moda Uomo an international appointment with the menswear prêt-à-porter trends and shows presented by the most important fashion houses along with up-and-coming brands in Italian fashion; the collections confirm Milan's undisputed position as the most important global platform for haute couture brands.



Image: Wonderland



## THE UNRUFFLED CALM OF HAMMAM



Rolls Royce 20 H.P. 1929

**W**hen the Ottoman Empire seized and took over Istanbul from the Romans, the culture and the tradition was revamped and certain things were changed. The traditional Turkish bath is the paradigm of such changes. It is considered as a tradition of cleansing and is usually preceded by the veneration of the prophet and that's the reason the hammams are situated cheek by jowl to the mosques. It involves cleansing of the corporeal body as well as the conscious soul.

### **Hammam vs Roman baths**

Almost 2000 years ago the first public roman bath was built which bestowed a platform for exchanging pleasantries with people and have a sheer experience of tranquility by bathing in a magnanimous hall of steam and vapor. In contrast the Turks considered this tradition as bathing in filth, hence they overhauled this whole tradition in terms of a cleaning affair.



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