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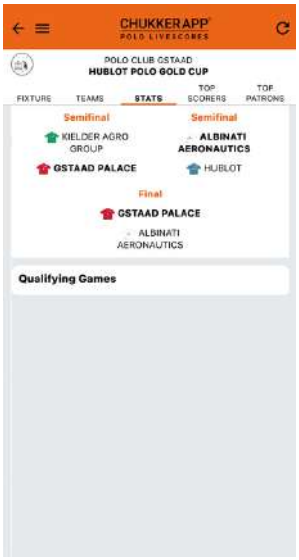
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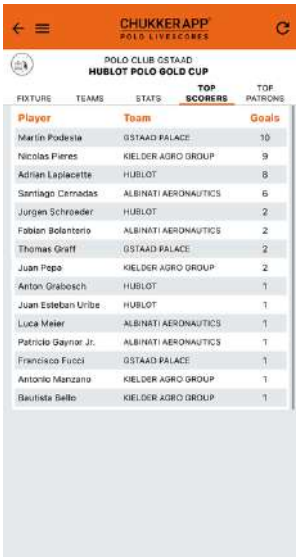
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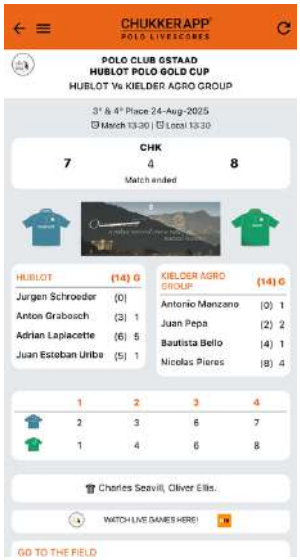


















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It may not have been the most beautiful match of Hublot Polo Gold Cup 2024, but when the final is on the line the only appealing result is a win. TDuring this final, polo was a sport of strategy, combat, and patience: and Britain's Max Charlton proved to be the strongest at this game. All the talent of Raul Lapisarette could do nothing about it, despite being named best player of the match.

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RANKING

1. Kielder Agro Group
Philipp Mueller 0,
Jaime Robert 3 (1 goal)
Nacho Gonzales 4(1 goal)
Max Charlton 6 (4 goals)

2. Gstaad Palace
Fabio Meier 1 (1 goal)
Luca Meier 1
Adrian Laplacette 6 (1 goal)
Raul Laplacette 8 (3 goals)

3. J. Safra Sarasin
Françoise Okala 0
Stacinta Fanelli 3 (2 goals)
Horacio Fernandez Llorente 4 (4 goals)
Tete Fanelli 5 (2 goals)

4. Hublot
Jurgen Schröder 0 (1 goal)
Juan Correa 3 (3 goals)
Pedro Fernandez Llorente 5 (1 goal)
Manuel Fernandez Llorente 6 (1 goal)

Tournament top scorer: Max Charlton (Kielder Agro Group) with 17 goals

Best professional player of the final: Raul Laplacette (Gstaad Palace)

Best amateur player: Luca Meier (Gstaad Palace)

Best horse of the final: Germania, a 5-year-old bay mare bred in Argentina by Goto Germano, owned by Fabio Meier and played by Raul Laplacette





It was a defensive final which, naturally, concluded with a low score of 6-5. It was unbearable suspense until the end, with each team returning goals blow for blow. With only two minutes left on the clock, a remarkable individual play by Raul Laplacette levelled the score once again, and with mere seconds to go, Max Charlton took advantage of another 60-yard penalty. It was the goal that ultimately determined the match.

"Yes, it was a tough fight played out on penalties," the Briton admitted. "We won today because we were a little bit luckier than Gstaad Palace since both teams were on equal footing. But I'm particularly pleased to have won here, for Phillipp [Müller, his captain]. It's amazing!"

J. Safra Sarasin landed on the third step of the podium.

Today's opening match, the final for third place, was clinched by French captain François Okala's team, donning the distinctive J. Safra Sarasin colors, after an action-packed second chukker. Argentinian handicap 6 Horacio Fernandez Llorente led the charge, capturing four goals. The "blues" dominated the match from start to finish, after measuring up the pitch they only discovered last Thursday.

"Actually...not quite," Tete Fanelli was keen to point out. "This is the third time I've played here. I've been a finalist twice before but lost on both occasions. I thought this would be my year, so I'm not completely satisfied with third place. That doesn't stop me from enjoying this tournament enormously—the organization, the environment, the atmosphere. So I'm looking forward to coming back here and leaving with the watch!"

So, maybe this year from August 21-24. The date has already been set for this one-of-a-kind tournament, whose teams continuously express their satisfaction before they return home. This edition was no exception, an extraordinary celebration of polo that couldn't possibly be spoiled by a little cold on Sunday.

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INTERVIEW WITH PIERRE GENECAND

TWO EQUESTRIAN SPORTS AND ONE PASSION: ORGANIZATION.



After reviving the Concours Hippique International de Genève and making it the most popular indoor event on the international circuit, Geneva-born Pierre Genecand took over the organization of the Hublot Polo Gold Cup in Gstaad 20 years ago and turned it into a jewel. The former boss of Gesrep, Switzerland's oldest insurance brokerage firm, now divides his time between Uruguay, where he lives, Argentina, where his polo farm is located, and Switzerland, between Gstaad and Geneva. An inveterate hard worker, he can be summed up in three words: rigor, humor, and loyalty.

WHAT IS YOUR HISTORY WITH HORSES, AND HOW DID YOU DISCOVER THEM? DID YOU GROW UP IN A RIDING FAMILY?

No one in my family was a rider. I started riding at the age of 9 and competed modestly at the national level in show-jumping competitions for 40 years. But there's no need to dwell on my career as a showjumper.

THERE WAS A TIME, NOT SO LONG AGO, WHEN YOU APPEARED IN VIRTUALLY EVERY CSI. WHY THIS PASSION FOR THIS DISCIPLINE?

I chaired the CHI in Geneva for 18 years and was a member of the World Cup committee. My travels enabled me to bring innovative ideas to Geneva, reinforcing the importance and reputation of this event, which has become a benchmark in the world of show jumping.

YOU RELAUNCHED THE CHI DE GENÈVE IN THE 1980S. WHY AND HOW DID THAT HAPPEN?

In 1987, the CHI de Genève, which was then held at Les Vernets on the site of an ice rink, lost its status as a World Cup stage because the facilities did not meet the criteria required to host such a competition. Yves G. Piaget, President at the time, wanted to step down. I submitted my candidacy and introduced a new project in the vast spaces of Palexpo-Genève. I insisted that our competition should be annual rather than biennial.

THEN YOU SWITCHED TO POLO. HOW DID YOU DISCOVER THIS SPORT?

After giving up show jumping, I discovered polo on a trip to Argentina in 2000 and immediately fell in love with the sport.

YOU'VE PLAYED IN TOURNAMENTS, ONCE AT PALERMO, I THINK. WHAT IS YOUR BEST MEMORY, YOUR GREATEST SUCCESS?

I was lucky enough to play in a small tournament where the final was held in Palermo. Having qualified for that final, I was able to play on Cancha 2. As for the rest, being a pure amateur, I play at a very average level and, as we say in Switzerland, 'badly but regularly.' Nevertheless, despite my age, I still participate in practice games and small tournaments in Argentina.

YOU'VE MET SOME OF THE GREATEST SHOW-JUMPING RIDERS AND POLO PLAYERS. WHO HAS MADE THE BIGGEST IMPRESSION ON YOU, IN TERMS OF PERSONALITY, IN EACH OF THE TWO DISCIPLINES?

In show jumping, I consider the Pessoa family—father and son, Nelson and Rodrigo—to be the best riders. Beyond their talent, they possess a class and education that many jumping riders unfortunately lack, despite their equestrian excellence. In polo, I think Poroto Cambiaso has the most style and efficiency, despite his very young age. What's more, he has been fortunate to receive a strict upbringing, which makes him appreciated by everyone, especially sponsors.





Rodrigo (and Nelson) Pessoa and Poroto Cambiaso: riders Pierre Genecand admires for their human qualities.

YOUR LOVE OF POLO LED YOU TO ESTABLISH A POLO HORSE STUD IN ARGENTINA, THE ESTANCIA EL MIRASOL. CAN YOU TELL US A LITTLE MORE ABOUT THIS STUD FARM?

In 2001, we built a modest campo in the province of Entre Rios, with two polo fields and a good hundred horses in the meadows. Every year, we breed between ten and fourteen foals. We breed with our own two in-house stallions. One of our best mares was called In Class, with whom I participated in several seasons of tournaments in Switzerland, France, and Argentina. Unfortunately, we never managed to breed her. Two years ago, I entrusted the management of the campo to Hector Salvo, the father of Lia, whom everyone knows. He is particularly responsible for our breeding program and runs it efficiently.

YOU NOW HAVE URUGUAYAN NATIONALITY, WHICH IS NO COINCIDENCE, SINCE ONE OF YOUR ACTIVITIES IS AGRICULTURE IN THAT COUNTRY. CAN YOU TELL US A BIT ABOUT KELLDER AGRO-GROUP?

I don't have Uruguayan nationality; I have a residence permit. Kielder Agro-Group is a family company active in agriculture and the production of specialty foods (olive oil and coffee) in South America, the USA, and Africa.

AND FINALLY, WHILE YOU HAVE ENTRUSTED THE ORGANIZATION OF THE CHI IN GENEVA TO SOPHIE MOTTU, YOU HAVE TAKEN OVER THE ORGANIZATION OF THE HUBLOT POLO GOLD CUP IN GSTAAD. WHY THIS ENTHUSIASM FOR EVENT ORGANIZATION?

Sophie Motta-Morel was my assistant when I was President of the CHI de Genève. It was natural for her to take over, and I admire the work she does and the development of the event. Unlike many other show-jumping organizers, she has managed to retain a certain tradition and class. The size of the track and the spirit that reigns at CHI Geneve have won over riders who prefer not to participate in other events taking place on the same weekend, even if they offer better prize money. Geneva allows horses and riders to compete without being forced to jump the same obstacles in identical sandboxes every weekend, motivated solely by prize money.

I've always had a passion for organizing events, whether sporting or commercial. With my experience as the organizer of the CHI-W in Geneva for several years, taking over Gstaad Polo was an easy decision, especially as I also live in this charming village in German-speaking Switzerland.

I have been organizing Gstaad for 20 years now, and we've had HUBLOT as our main sponsor for 18 years. All our other very loyal partners have also become friends. We start this event from scratch each year, as we play in the middle of the runway at Gstaad airport. We need to build the VIP tents (1,350 VIP meals served in 2024), the stables (120 boxes), the exhibitors' village, and the Kinder Paradies (children's paradise/play area). The goal is to organize an event at a level that our sponsors deserve.

WHAT DOES THE 2025 EDITION OF THIS MAJOR TOURNAMENT IN SWITZERLAND AND EUROPE HAVE IN STORE FOR US?

We already know the four team managers for the 2025 edition, which will take place from August 21 to 24. They are Switzerland's Fabio Meier and Markus Graff, Germany's Juergen Schroeder, a finalist in 2023, and Argentina's Juan Pepa, who won the Silver and Gold Cups in Deauville and the French Open in Chantilly in 2017. All in all, it promises to be a highly competitive event. ■

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En 2025, le polo est-il toujours le sport des happy few?



By CÉCILIA PELLOUX
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Si son histoire date de plus de 2500 ans, le polo reste peu connu et réservé à des cercles très intimes. Pourtant, des organisations de tournoi hors des fiefs historiques existent aujourd'hui. Le polo peut-il trouver de nouveaux publics ?



Depuis la première coupe des Amériques, l'Argentine est devenue le maître incontesté du polo international. Ci-dessus, l'équipe de polo argentine Alegria (DR)

Le polo, plus ancien que l'histoire même du sport, a vu le jour en Perse il y a 2 500 ans. Cependant, c'est à la fin du XIXe siècle seulement, que des officiers britanniques l'introduisirent en Angleterre. Sept en plus tard, le sport était importé aux États-Unis par James Gordon Bennet, un éditeur de presse réputé. En Argentine, c'est un peu plus tard, entre les années 1920 et 1930 qu'il vécut une ascension. Depuis la première coupe des Amériques entre ces deux nations, l'Argentine est devenue le maître incontesté du polo international.

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> FRED MANNIX, CAPITAINE DE L'ÉQUIPE DE POLO ALEGRIA

Au fur et à mesure de sa professionnalisation, le business lié au polo progressait également. «Les meilleures équipes qui gagnent régulièrement en Argentine, en Amérique, en Angleterre et en Espagne possèdent les meilleures organisations équestres et elles s'engagent, année après année, avec les grands joueurs du monde», explique Fred Mannix, capitaine de l'équipe de polo Alegria. «Il en va de même pour les politiques et les procédures des organisations, elles investissent dans les meilleurs chevaux et joueurs car elles veulent des résultats.» De plus, depuis dix ans, le polo féminin connaît une belle croissance, notamment en Argentine et aux États-Unis. Sur ce point, le rapport annuel de l'United States Polo Association (USPA) publié en 2024 atteste du nombre record de tournois féminins organisés, ainsi que du nombre d'inscrites à l'USPA.

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Fred Mannix, capitaine de l'équipe de polo Alegria (DR)

En Suisse, deux grands tournois sont organisés chaque année: le tournoi de polo sur neige à Saint-Moritz en janvier et la Hublot Polo Gold Cup à Gstaad fin août. «Nous avons commencé cet événement en regardant les matchs sur des bottes de paille, aujourd'hui ce tournoi est un rendez-vous international. Hublot est notre sponsor principal depuis 18 ans. Les sponsors affluent chaque année et nous disposons d'un budget d'un million de francs pour le week-end», explique Pierre Genecand, président du Gstaad Polo Club qui organise le tournoi depuis 20 ans. «Le niveau s'est amélioré au cours des dix dernières années, tant dans l'élevage en Argentine, chez les cavaliers et bien sûr au niveau de la protection et des soins conférés aux chevaux.»

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Les grandes familles de joueurs et les meilleurs éleveurs se trouvent, aujourd'hui encore, principalement en Argentine. «Le climat est très favorable et vous y trouvez un écosystème unique. L'Argentine dispose d'un marché secondaire où vous pouvez acheter, échanger et vendre des chevaux de tout niveau et de tout âge à des acheteurs qualifiés», précise Fred Mannix, qui figure dans le top 10 des joueurs de polo dans le monde. «En Argentine, l'élevage prend vraiment son essor. Les mécènes investissent davantage et se concentrent sur le jeu, ce qui a d'importantes répercussions positives en matière de qualité des terrains et des installations.» Certaines fermes peuvent élever 30 animaux par an, d'autres plus de 100, ce qui contribue à développer toute l'économie des chevaux et du polo pour tous. «Il y a différents facteurs; cela dépend des propriétaires, de la race, de la génétique des chevaux et bien sûr du joueur. Vous pouvez avoir un très bon cheval, mais si vous n'avez pas un excellent joueur, vous n'explorerez pas tout ce que le cheval peut donner», explique Alexis Guynot de Boismenu, président de l'Association uruguayenne de polo.

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L'Uruguay, mais aussi l'Arabie saoudite, ont leur tounoi

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Jusqu'aux années 90, il était impossible d'introduire des chevaux en Uruguay, car cela était considéré comme une exportation. « Il était très coûteux de jouer dans les deux pays lorsqu'il fallait venir avec au moins six chevaux, nous avons donc travaillé avec l'Association argentine de polo pour permettre aux chevaux de polo d'entrer dans les deux pays dans le cadre d'un régime temporaire. Désormais, les chevaux peuvent rester jusqu'à 90 jours et participer aux tournois organisés par n'importe quelle association sans payer de taxes.» Aujourd'hui, l'Uruguay Open, le plus important tournoi de polo en Uruguay, attire les investissements et le tourisme. 3 500 personnes ont assisté à la finale en janvier dernier, qui a été retransmise en direct sur ESPN Amérique latine. Adolfo Cambiaso et le célèbre promoteur immobilier Eduardo Constantini ont récemment annoncé que La Dolfina, l'organisation de Cambiaso, allait commencer à construire des terrains en Uruguay. «C'est un grand pas en avant et tous les regards du monde du polo sont tournés vers l'Uruguay.»

En janvier, pour la deuxième année consécutive, l'Arabie saoudite a organisé le tournoi de polo The Richard Mille AlUla Desert Polo en partenariat avec la Fédération saoudienne de polo sur le magnifique site d'AlUla, au nord-ouest du pays. Si certains considèrent cet événement comme une affaire de communication plutôt que reflétant un réel intérêt pour le polo, d'autres sont enthousiastes. «Je pense que c'est fantastique de participer à ce genre d'événements. De nouveaux territoires et de nouveaux spectateurs, qui n'ont peut-être pas encore eu la chance de voir évoluer les meilleurs joueurs du monde, se déplacent pour les découvrir et les promouvoir», déclare Fred Mannix. «La communauté doit être solidaire et accueillante pour promouvoir le polo.» Le prochain championnat du monde se jouera en 2026 à Dubaï. «Il est vraiment important de trouver de nouveaux marchés pour ceux qui élèvent ou vendent des chevaux, mais aussi pour les joueurs professionnels», ajoute Alexis Guynot de Boismenu.

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En janvier dernier, le village équestre d'AlFursan a accueilli deux jours de compétition de haut niveau, avec six équipes composées de certains des meilleurs joueurs professionnels du monde, de dignitaires royaux et de mécènes internationaux en compétition pour remporter le prestigieux trophée (Richard Mille)

Le polo est-il toujours le sport des riches ?

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>
> BENOÎT PERRIER, DIRECTEUR COMMERCIAL ET ÉVÉNEMENTIEL DU POLO CLUB DU DOMAINE DE CHANTILLY

«Il est de notre responsabilité d'essayer de changer cette vision. C'est certainement le cas dans certains pays. Ici, en Uruguay, il n'est pas considéré comme un sport de riches. Nous avons beaucoup de fermes ou d'endroits où l'on peut construire des terrains de polo. Il faut comprendre tous les métiers impliqués dans ce sport. Il faut voir l'ensemble du tableau, pas seulement une partie», admet le président de l'Association uruguayenne. «Nous devons travailler collectivement à son essor, mais il est certain que le polo devra toujours composer avec cette image», ajoute Fred Mannix.



La Hublot Polo Cup à Gstaad, en Suisse, est le seul tournoi au monde où les joueurs peuvent gagner une montre Hublot. Ci-dessus, la remise de prix lors de l'édition 2024 dont le vainqueur était Kielder Agro Group (Hublot)

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En termes d'importance, l'Open d'Argentine domine toujours le classement mondial, suivi par l'Open britannique au Royaume-Uni et l'US Open aux États-Unis. En France, l'Open de France, qui se déroule au Polo Club de Chantilly fait partie des tournois majeurs. Cette année 2025 marquera d'ailleurs sa 29e saison. On doit sa création à Patrick Guerrand-Hermès, véritable passionné de polo. Son ambition: avoir voulu en faire un lieu unique pour pouvoir y jouer à toutes sortes de polo et permettre au plus grand nombre d'y accéder. Benoît Perrier, dont le père a contribué à la création du club avec Patrick Guerrand-Hermès, en supervise aujourd'hui l'organisation. Il explique: «La plupart des clubs de polo ont un mécène derrière eux. Ici, nous avons 155 actionnaires. Pour un club comme le nôtre, l'activité repose sur l'organisation de compétitions. Pour chaque tournoi, chaque équipe qui s'inscrit paie un green fee. Ensuite, il y a le coût de l'hébergement des chevaux, qu'ils soient résidents permanents ou de passage, et les activités de notre club. Nous organisons également des séminaires qui nous permettent de réaliser des bénéfices supplémentaires.»

Dans la plupart des tournois de polo, il n'y a pas de prix en argent. Les joueurs gagnent une coupe et une bouteille de champagne. «La Hublot Polo Cup est le seul tournoi au monde où les joueurs peuvent gagner une montre Hublot, explique Pierre Genecand avec un sourire. Quand on parle avec les joueurs les plus célèbres, le polo est plus qu'une passion.» Brieuc Rigaux, l'un des meilleurs joueurs de polo français, l'atteste: « J'ai commencé le polo lorsque mes parents ont emménagé dans le village d'Apremont, alors que j'étais adolescent. C'est le métier de mes rêves.»

Le polo offre des facettes multiples qui explique cette passion: il est à la fois sport équestre, sport d'équipe et sport de balle. L'adrénaline en plus.



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POLO : Hublot Polo Gold Cup Gstaad – Sport, élégance et art de vivre dans les Alpes suisses

Written by Floriane Dumont. Posted in à la une, secondaire

Chaque été, au cœur des Alpes suisses, la Hublot Polo Gold Cup Gstaad revient comme un souffle de raffinement et de passion sportive.

Cette édition 2025, qui se tiendra du 21 au 24 août, promet une nouvelle fois une parenthèse inoubliable entre sport de haut niveau, glamour alpin et convivialité internationale.

À 1 100 mètres d'altitude, sur le terrain insolite de l'aéroport de Gstaad, en bordure de la piste d'atterrissage, chevaux et joueurs fouleront à nouveau l'un des plus beaux écrins du circuit mondial – le plus original, en tout cas. Et qu'on se rassure : le trafic aérien est interrompu pendant les matchs ! Depuis près de trois décennies, ce tournoi singulier conjugue intensité sportive et art de vivre, dans un décor de verdure qui n'a pas d'égal.

Cette année encore, quatre équipes internationales tenteront de s'emparer du trophée – et surtout des montres Hublot récompensant les vainqueurs – dans un tournoi au format condensé : matchs de qualification le jeudi, demi-finales le samedi, et finale le dimanche. Il s'agit du tournoi sur herbe du niveau le plus élevé en Suisse. Le traditionnel défilé des équipes dans les rues de Gstaad, moment toujours très attendu, animera la station le vendredi.

Ces équipes seront menées par quatre capitaines de renom, parmi lesquels l'Argentin Juan Pepa, de retour à Gstaad après y avoir joué en 2016. Ce dernier n'est pas un professionnel – comme sa nationalité pourrait le laisser supposer – mais bien un « patron », handicap 2 (donc d'un excellent niveau), ayant remporté des tournois prestigieux comme, la même année, en 2017, les Coupes d'Argent et d'Or de Deauville et l'Open de France de Chantilly. Avec son emblématique équipe Cibao La Pampa, cet homme d'affaires installé à Londres avait également participé à la prestigieuse Queen's Cup anglaise l'an dernier, dont il avait atteint les quarts de finale. Cette année, il a choisi Gstaad !

Les frères suisses Fabio et Luca Meier, finalistes malheureux l'an dernier, et l'Allemand Jürgen Schröder, finaliste en 2022, reviennent également à Gstaad avec des velléités de revanche.

Markus Graff, entrepreneur suisse actif dans les milieux financiers et habitué des tournois d'été européens, complète ce quatuor. Son équipe, Graff Capital, avait notamment remporté l'Ambassador's Cup 2022 à Saint-Tropez.

Ces quatre capitaines porteront les couleurs de quatre sponsors de prestige :

Le gris-bleu de HUBLOT, l'équipe du sponsor titre, symbole de l'innovation horlogère suisse ;

Le rouge de GSTAAD PALACE, hôtel emblématique de la perle des Alpes suisses et fidèle partenaire du tournoi ;

Le vert de KIELDER AGRO GROUP, grande entreprise agricole internationale, vainqueur en 2024 avec le Suisse Philippe Müller (absent cette année) ;

Et le blanc d'un nouveau venu : ALBINATI AERONAUTICS, acteur majeur de l'aviation privée de luxe, qui rejoint pour la première fois l'aventure.

« Nous sommes ravis d'accueillir Albinati Aeronautics parmi nos partenaires et de renforcer encore le caractère international et exclusif du tournoi », se réjouit **Pierre Genecand, président de la Hublot Polo Gold Cup Gstaad.**

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Une expérience à vivre au bord du terrain

Bien plus qu'un tournoi de polo, la Hublot Polo Gold Cup Gstaad est une expérience globale : un village VIP accessible à tous, des stands de grandes marques, une gastronomie raffinée orchestrée par les équipes du Gstaad Palace, et le traditionnel dîner de gala, animé par l'irremplaçable groupe Dora on Stage, qui prolongera la magie du tournoi et fera danser les invités jusqu'au bout de la nuit.

Les jours de matchs, les spectateurs pourront également admirer les dernières collections de montres Hublot, les voitures d'Aston Martin, et l'univers de l'aviation d'affaires avec plusieurs avionneurs partenaires, dont Albinati Aeronautics. L'entrée est libre pour le public pendant l'ensemble du tournoi, avec possibilité de restauration sur place.

Les enfants ne seront pas oubliés grâce à un espace de jeux et animations dédié et son fameux Gstaad Palace gonflable.

La finale sera retransmise en streaming sur Pololine TV et les résultats de tous les matchs seront à suivre en direct sur ChukkerApp.

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Everything is set and ready for a new edition of the Hublot Polo Cup Gstaad

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POLO IN SWITZERLAND

The Hublot Polo Gold Cup Gstaad, one of the most significant polo contest of the European season, is getting ready to run through **Thursday August 21 to Sunday August 24.** As usual, the competition will be played at the Polo Club Gstaad, in Gstaad, Switzerland, sorrounded by the stunning beauty of the Swiss Alps, on the impeccable grounds set in the Gstaad/Saanen airfields, that provides a magnificient scenartio for a unique competition.

The contest will see four teams up to 14 goals, in participation, who will compete for the coveted trophy up to, and, like every year, the members of the winning team will be presented with the fabulous Hublot watches. Many people is expected in attendance, not only to watch great polo, but also they to enjoy the facilities in an enchanting entourage. Polo Club Gstaad will welcome families and friends on free admission, exquisite catering and gastronomy provided by Gstaad Palace, access to the prestige village. Without doubts, Gstaad have everything set and ready to offer a unique event and an unforgettable experience. Meanwhile, Friday August 22 will see the colorful teams parade through the lovely streets of the beautiful Swiss village.

Among the players who will participate of the tournament, is Juan Pepa, who will be playing in Gstaad for the first time since 2016; Juan claimed a remarkable achievement in 2017, when he won the Coupe d'Argent and the Coupe d'Or, in Deauville, as well as Roland Garros, in Chantilly, and the final of the final of the 2024 Queen's Cup, all of them with his team, Cibao La Pampa, a name with a vast history in polo – Cibao La Pampla was the big name of the season in Deauville, led by the renowned playboy, diplomatic and polo player, Porfirio Rubirosa, back in the 1950s. The Swiss brothers, Fabio and Luca Maier, who were runner up last year, and Germany's Dr. Jurgen Schoder, runner up in 2022, will be back in Gstaad, as well as businessman Markus Graff. ***The four teams due to take part of the tournaments are Hublot, Gstaad Palace, Albinati Aeronautics and Kielder Agro Group.***

As usual, glamour and sport will be the next combination next August, in a dreamy spot like Gstaad, in the middle of the Swiss Alps.

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HUBLOT POLO GOLD CUP GSTAAD

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Team handicap : 14

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POLO : Hublot Polo Gold Cup Gstaad – Parmi les meilleurs à Gstaad

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La Hublot Polo Gold Cup Gstaad revient pour une édition 2025 prometteuse, alliant sport de haut niveau et élégance dans un cadre alpin exceptionnel.

Du **21** au **24 août 2025**, le mythique terrain de Gstaad, situé à **1100** mètres d'altitude, accueillera la Hublot Polo Gold Cup. Ce tournoi, incontournable du circuit international, est l'événement phare de l'été suisse. Depuis **1996**, il attire les meilleurs joueurs de polo du monde, offrant des affrontements de haut niveau dans un décor alpin époustouflant.

L'élégance du cadre, l'exigence du niveau

Chaque année, ce tournoi s'impose comme le plus prestigieux événement de polo de l'été suisse. L'édition **2025** promet des affrontements exceptionnels avec un plateau de joueurs de renom. Avant, après et entre les matchs, les visiteurs pourront profiter des installations luxueuses, des food-trucks proposant des spécialités argentines et d'un espace dédié aux enfants. L'accès à ce tournoi est ouvert à tous.

Une tête d'affiche prestigieuse

Adrian Laplacette, double vainqueur de la Hublot Polo Gold Cup en **2022** et **2023**, sera de retour. Ce champion argentin, très à l'aise sur le terrain de Gstaad, portera les couleurs du **Team HUBLOT** aux côtés de **Jürgen Schröder**, **Juan Esteban Uribe** et **Anton Grabosch**.

Cette année, Laplacette devra affronter des adversaires redoutables, dont **Nicolas Pieres**, ancien vainqueur du mythique Open d'Argentine à Palermo. Pieres, avec un handicap de **8**, a remporté de nombreux tournois majeurs, dont l'**US Open** et le **British Open**. Il défendra les couleurs de **KIELDER AGRO GROUP** avec **Juan Pepa**, **Bautista Bello** et **Antonio Manzano**.

Martin Podestá Jr, alias **Min Podestá**, vainqueur de la Copa Cámara de Diputados, sera également présent. Avec **Francisco Fucci** et les Suisses **Markus** et **Thommy Graeff**, ils porteront les couleurs du **Team GSTAAD PALACE**.

Juan Jauretche, finaliste de la Copa Cámara de Diputados, complétera le tableau avec les frères **Meier** et **Marcos Rooney**, défendant les couleurs d'**ALBINATI AERONAUTICS**.

Un week-end de sport et d'art de vivre

Trois jours de matchs sont prévus : **jeudi 21 août** pour les phases qualificatives, **samedi 23 août** pour les demi-finales et **dimanche 24 août** pour les finales. Le traditionnel défilé des équipes dans les rues de Gstaad aura lieu le **vendredi 22 août**. Depuis près de trente ans, la Hublot Polo Gold Cup Gstaad allie excellence sportive, raffinement et convivialité dans un décor exceptionnel.

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Les équipes en compétition

• **Team Hublot**
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Teams unveiled for the upcoming Hublot Polo Gold Cup Gstaad

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POLO IN SWITZERLAND

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The highlight of this year in Gstaad will be Nicolás Pieres. The remarkable Argentinian 8-goaler – the highest rated played of the tournament – will participate with Gstaad Palace.

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Polo at the summit of sport and elegance in Gstaad

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Il polo al vertice dello sport e dell'eleganza a Gstaad.

Il polo torna a Gstaad per l'edizione 2025 della Hublot Polo Gold Cup. Giocando sul leggendario campo accanto alla pista d'atterraggio a 1.100 metri sul livello del mare, le quattro squadre si affronteranno ancora una volta in uno degli scenari alpini più mozzafiato d'Europa. Anche questa edizione promette nuovi traguardi in termini di eccellenza sportiva e qualità dell'evento, combinando raffinatezza e calda ospitalità.



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Una cornice spettacolare, uno standard d'élite

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Dal 1996, questo imperdibile torneo del circuito internazionale è l'evento di polo più prestigioso dell'estate svizzera. L'edizione 2025 promette un'altra serie di partite emozionanti con una formazione eccezionalmente forte. Prima, dopo e tra le partite, gli spettatori possono godersi l'idilliaco scenario con boutique di lusso, camioncini di cibo argentino e un'area dedicata ai bambini. L'evento è gratuito e aperto a tutti.

Ma naturalmente il vero spettacolo è sul campo. **Adrian Laplacette** (6 gol) è ben noto al pubblico di Gstaad. Due volte vincitore qui (2022 e 2023) e finalista nel 2024 con i fratelli Meier, torna quest'anno sotto la bandiera del title sponsor. Il giocatore tedesco **Jürgen Schröder** ha chiamato la stella argentina, che si sente a casa su questo campo in erba accanto alla pista. Insieme a **Juan Esteban** Uribe (5 gol) e al giovane e promettente giocatore tedesco **Anton Grabosch** (3 gol), rappresenteranno il Team

Un headliner d'eccezione

L'edizione di quest'anno si preannuncia particolarmente promettente con l'arrivo di alcuni dei migliori giocatori del mondo, ovviamente tutti argentini. In testa c'è **Nicolás Pieres** (8 gol), ex vincitore del mitico Open d'Argentina a Palermo, il Santo Graal del polo. Finalista otto volte, ha vinto il titolo nel 2012 insieme ai fratelli **Gonzalito e Facundo** e al cognato Mariano Aguerre. Tra loro, hanno collezionato non meno di dieci titoli della Triple Crown (Tortugas, Hurlingham, Palermo). Nico ha anche ottenuto vittorie importanti agli US Open, ai British Open, alla Sotogrande Gold Cup e agli Open di Francia, vinti due anni fa.

L'Open di Francia è stato vinto anche dal suo patron, **Juan Pepa**, nel 2017 dopo una stagione da imbattuto in Francia. Originario dell'Argentina e ora italiano, Pepa non è solo un talentuoso giocatore di 2 goal, ma anche un uomo d'affari di successo e un discreto filantropo. Giocherà per KIELDER AGRO GROUP al fianco di **Tomas Garbarini e Antonio Manzano**. Pepa non è nuovo a Gstaad, dove ha gareggiato nel 2016.

Martin "Min" Podestá Jr (7 gol), vincitore della prestigiosa Copa Cámara de Diputados nel 2020 e nel 2023 (una qualificazione per l'Argentine Open), è un altro nome di spicco del torneo di quest'anno. Giocherà per il Team GSTAAD PALACE insieme a Francisco Fucci (4-goaler) e alla coppia svizzera Markus e Thommy Graeff.

Juan "El Oreja" Jauretche (7 gol), anch'egli finalista della Cámara de Diputados, sarà il giocatore chiave per Fabio e Luca Meier, secondi classificati nel 2024, affiancati dal 5 gol Marcos Rooney. Insieme, rappresenteranno il nuovo sponsor ALBINATI AERONAUTICS.

Un fine settimana di sport e stile di vita

Tre giorni di polo di alto livello (giovedì, sabato le semifinali e domenica le finali) attendono tutti gli amanti dello sport, delle montagne e dell'arte di vivere svizzera. Da non perdere: la tradizionale sfilata delle squadre per le strade di Gstaad il venerdì. Da quasi trent'anni, la Hublot Polo Gold Cup Gstaad incarna l'eccellenza sportiva, la raffinatezza e la convivialità in un'eccezionale cornice alpina.

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DIRECT NEWS

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Pierre Genecand – Hublot Polo Gold Cup Gstaad



Entretien avec Pierre Genecand, éleveur, joueur, et surtout organisateur de la Hublot Polo Gold Cup Gstaad qui aura lieu cette année du 21 au 24 août.

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l polo al vertice dello sport e dell'eleganza a Gstaad

Il polo torna il 21 agosto a **Gstaad** per l'edizione 2025 della **Hublot Polo Gold Cup**. Sul leggendario campo in cima alle Alpi svizzere, al confine con la pista di atterraggio a 1100 metri di altitudine, le quattro squadre si sfideranno in uno degli scenari alpini più belli d'Europa... L'aspetto sportivo – in particolare quest'anno – e la qualità dell'organizzazione, che combina un'atmosfera raffinata e un'accoglienza familiare, sono anche in cima alla lista.

La squadra del Kielder Agro Group di quest'anno, guidata da Juan Pepa, sarà all'altezza della versione 2024 guidata da Philipp Müller.

Eleganza di impostazione, standard esigente.

Ogni estate, dal 1996, questo imperdibile torneo del circuito internazionale si è affermato come l'evento di polo più prestigioso dell'estate svizzera. L'edizione 2025 promette ancora più scontri sublimi con una formazione eccezionale. Prima, dopo e tra una partita e l'altra, vorrete approfittare delle magnifiche strutture nel cuore di questo teatro verde: il villaggio con i suoi lussuosi stand, i carrelli che servono specialità argentine e un'area dedicata ai bambini. L'accesso a questo prestigioso torneo è aperto a tutti.

Ma è sul campo che si svolge l'azione. Il pubblico di Gstaad potrà ammirare **Adrian Laplacette** (h6), sfortunato finalista l'anno scorso insieme ai fratelli **Meier**, che però si sono ampiamente consolati (con Luca) vincendo la Coppa del Presidente in Argentina lo scorso dicembre. Il tedesco **Jürgen Schröder** ha fatto saggiamente ricorso al campione argentino, che si trova a suo agio sull'erba degli aeroporti. Insieme a **Juan Esteban Uribe** (H5) e al giovane tedesco **Anton Grabosch** (h3), indosseranno i colori dello sponsor principale, il Team HUBLOT.

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Un headliner prestigioso

Quest'anno, Laplacette si troverà di fronte a un avversario difficile, con la partecipazione di alcuni dei migliori giocatori del mondo. Sono tutti argentini, naturalmente. Il più quotato di loro è un ex vincitore del leggendario **Argentine Open di Palermo,** il Santo Graal di ogni giocatore di polo. Otto volte finalista di questo "Abierto", **Nicolas Pieres** (h8) lo ha vinto nel 2012 insieme ai due fratelli **Gonzalito** e Facundo e al cognato **Mariano Aguerre.** Come famiglia, ha vinto ben dieci titoli della Triple Crown argentina (Tortugas, Hurlingham e Palermo). Nico ha vinto anche altri tornei importanti, tra cui lo US Open, il British Open, la Golden Cup di Sotogrande e l'Open di Francia di due anni fa.



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Anche il suo capitano Juan Pepa ha vinto l'Open di Francia nel 2017 dopo una stagione da imbattuto in Francia. **Juan Pepa,** nato in Argentina e ora italiano, è un personaggio particolarmente simpatico. Ottimo giocatore (h2), è un brillante uomo d'affari, ma anche un generoso, che sostiene discretamente diverse associazioni di beneficenza. Insieme a Bautista Bello e Antonio Manzano, difenderà i colori del KIELDER AGRO GROUP. Pepa non è nuovo a Gstaad, che ha visitato nel 2016.

Martin Podestá Jr (h7), alias **Min Podestá,** vincitore della Copa Cámara de Diputados nel 2020 e nel 2023 (che gli ha permesso di partecipare all'Open di Argentina), è senza dubbio il secondo headliner di questa Hublot Polo Gold Cup 2025. Insieme a **Francisco Fucci** (h4) e alla coppia svizzera Markus e **Thommy Graeff,** vestirà i colori del Team GSTAAD PALACE.

Juan "El Oreja" Jauretche (h7) è stato anche finalista della Copa Cámara de Diputados, un solido punto di riferimento. I fratelli Meier (Fabio e Luca), sfortunati finalisti nel 2024, conteranno su di lui, insieme a Marcos Rooney (h5), per far brillare i colori del loro nuovo partner, ALBINATI AERONAUTICS.

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Adrian Laplacette Jr. (Argentine, 6)
Juan Esteban Uribe (Colombie, 5)
Anton Grabosch (Allemagne, 3)

Handicap total : 14

Team Gstaad Palace

Markus Graeff (Suisse, 0)
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Martin Podestá (Argentine, 7)

Handicap total : 14

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Juan Pepa (Italie, 2)
Bautista Bello (Argentine, 4)
Antonio Manzano (Argentine, 0)
Nicolás Pieres (Argentine, 8)

Handicap total : 14

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Fabio Meier (Suisse, 1)
Luca Meier (Suisse, 1)
Marcos Rooney (Argentine, 5)
Juan Jauretche (Argentine, 7)

Handicap total : 14

Hublot Polo Gold Cup Gstaad

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The Hublot Polo Gold Cup Gstaad is quickly approaching

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POLO IN SWITZERLAND

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Polo Gold Cup Gstaad 2025
(21st to 24th August 2025)

The countdown is on in Gstaad: in just two days, polo will once again take over the grassy runway of the resort town's airport. As it has every summer for nearly three decades, the Hublot Polo Gold Cup is preparing to suspend air traffic to make way for a different kind of spectacle: that of some of the world's finest polo players competing in an alpine setting where elegance meets sporting passion.

The tournament has secured its place on the international circuit thanks to a man who had already proven himself by revitalizing the Geneva International Horse Show: "Some events weren't – or aren't – organized the way I believe they should be," explains Pierre E. Genecand, who has directed the tournament for twenty years exactly. "That's why I decided to do things my own way here in Gstaad, with a loyal team and a distinctly Swiss spirit that I have no intention of exporting."

This year, each team will field a top-tier Argentine player, promising a spectacular level of play for the tournament's 28th edition. "The highlight of this 2025 edition," notes Genecand, "is the presence of a very high calibre of Argentine professionals across all teams, and that's really the heart of the show."

Leading the pack is Nicolás Pieres (h8 – Team KIELDER AGRO GROUP), the former back for the legendary Ellerstina team and one of the sport's most decorated stars. Winner of the Argentine Open in 2012 alongside his brothers Gonzalito and Facundo, Pieres has played in eight finals at Palermo and boasts ten Triple Crown titles (Tortugas, Hurlingham, Palermo), not to mention victories at the US Open, the British Open, Sotogrande, and the French Open.

On the Team HUBLOT side, Adrian Laplacette (h6) will be back in action after reaching last year's final alongside the Meier brothers. Well at ease on Gstaad's field, he will be out for redemption on ground that feels like home, this year with German captain Jürgen Schröder.

Another standout this year is Martin "Min" Podestá Jr. (h7 – Team GSTAAD PALACE), a two-time winner of the prestigious Copa Cámara de Diputados – a title that grants access to the Argentine Triple Crown. Also in the mix, Juan "El Oreja" Jauretche (h7 – Team ALBINATI AERONAUTICS), a finalist of the same Cámara, rounds out a quartet of top-class talents that uphold the tournament's stellar reputation.

While air traffic pauses during the matches, as the polo field sits directly beside the runway, an increasing number of the tournament's partners now come from the private aviation sector. "We'll have more exhibitor stands this year and more private aircraft and helicopter displays on site," explains Pierre E. Genecand. A clear sign that the tournament, while staying true to its roots, continues to attract an ever more international and discerning audience.

https://hurlinghampolo.com/when-polo-grounds-the-planes/

Do not miss the team parade through the streets of Gstaad on Friday at 4:00 PM: a warm and festive moment where Swiss rural tradition meets the world's oldest team sport.
Admission is free from Thursday onward, and those who cannot attend in person can still follow this prestigious tournament from afar:

Finals on Sunday streamed live on Pololine TV

Scores updated live on ChukkerApp

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Gold Cup Gstaad: Cuando el Polo deja en tierra a los aviones

La cuenta atrás está en marcha en Gstaad. En cuestión de horas, el jueves 21 de agosto, el Polo volverá a apoderarse de la pista de césped del aeropuerto de la ciudad turística suiza.

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En el aeropuerto de Gstaad, los aviones y los caballos de polo se codean. (Foto © Pascal Renauldon /R&B Presse)

Como lleva haciendo todos los veranos durante casi tres décadas, la Hublot Gold Cup Gstaad se prepara para suspender el tráfico aéreo y dar paso a un tipo diferente de espectáculo: el de algunos de los mejores jugadores de Polo del mundo, que compiten en un entorno alpino donde la elegancia se conjuga con la pasión deportiva.

El torneo helvético se ha asegurado su posición prominente en el circuito internacional gracias a un hombre que ya había demostrado su valía revitalizando el Salón Internacional del Caballo de Ginebra: *"Algunos eventos no fueron, o no están, organizados de la manera que creo que debería hacers"*, explica Pierre E. Genecand, quien ha dirigido el torneo durante veinte años exactamente. *"Es por eso que decidí hacer las cosas a mi manera aquí en Gstaad, con un equipo leal y un espíritu claramente suizo, que no tengo intención de exportar"*.

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Polo de élite, sobre césped de aeropuerto

Esta búsqueda de la excelencia se extiende al deporte en sí. Este año, cada equipo alineará a un jugador argentino de primer nivel, lo que promete un nivel de juego espectacular para la 28ª edición del torneo. *"Lo más destacado de esta edición de 2025", señala Genecand, "es la presencia de profesionales argentinos de muy alto nivel en todos los equipos, y ese es realmente el corazón del espectáculo".*

Liderando el pelotón está Nicolás Pieres (h8 – Team Kielder Agro Group), el ex back del legendario equipo Ellerstina y una de las estrellas más condecoradas de este deporte. Ganador del Abierto Argentino en 2012 junto a sus hermanos Gonzalito y Facundo, Pieres ha jugado ocho finales en Palermo y cuenta con diez títulos de la Triple Corona (Tortugas, Hurlingham, Palermo), sin mencionar las victorias en el US Open, el Abierto Británico, Sotogrande y el Abierto de Francia.

Por el lado del Team HUBLOT, Adrian Laplacette (h6) volverá a la acción después de llegar a la final del año pasado junto a los hermanos Meier. Bien cómodo en el campo de Gstaad, buscará la redención en un terreno en el que se siente como en casa, este año con el capitán alemán Jürgen Schröder.



El mascarón de proa de la 28ª edición de la Copa de Oro Hublot Polo Gstaad, Nico Pieres, ha ganado todos los títulos importantes del planeta, incluidas diez victorias en la legendaria Triple Corona de

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Aviones en tierra, el Polo despega

Si bien el tráfico aéreo se detiene durante los partidos, ya que el campo de Polo se encuentra directamente al lado de la pista, un número cada vez mayor de socios actuales del torneo provienen del sector de la aviación privada. *"Tendremos más stands de expositores este año y más exhibiciones de aviones privados y helicópteros"*, explica Pierre E. Genecand. Una clara señal de que el torneo, aunque se mantiene fiel a sus raíces, sigue atrayendo a un público cada vez más internacional y "de altos vuelos".

Un evento para todos: presencial y online

La Hublot Gold Cup Gstaad está abierta al público durante todo el fin de semana. Un village de expositores, puestos de resturación y actividades para toda la familia esperan a los espectadores en un entorno elegante y relajado.



El tradicional desfile de equipos por las calles de Gstaad

No se puede perder el desfile de los equipos por las calles de Gstaad en la tarde del viernes (16 horas), un momento cálido y festivo, donde la tradición rural suiza se encuentra con el deporte de equipo más antiguo del mundo.

La entrada es gratuita a partir del jueves, y aquellos que no puedan asistir en persona aún pueden seguir este prestigioso torneo desde lejos, ya que las finales del domingo se retransmiten online por **Pololine TV**.

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POLOLINE

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The Hublot Polo Gold Cup Gstaad kicks off

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POLO IN SWITZERLAND

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The opening day of the Hublot Polo Gold Cup Gstaad, on Thursday August 21, will feature two games:

1,30pm: Kielder Agro Group vs. Gstaad Palace

3pm: Albinati Aeronautics vs. Hublot.

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Hublot Polo Gold Cup Gstaad: Opening day postponed due to rains

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POLO IN SWITZERLAND

The Hublot Polo Gold Cup Gstaad, **that was due to begin on Thursday August 21**, at the Polo Club Gstaad, in Switzerland, had to be delayed because of poor weather. Therefore, the two games to be played on the opening day, Kielder Agro Group vs. Gstaad Palace and Albinati Aeronautics vs. Hublot, **were rescheduled for Saturday August 23.** One of the most remarkable events of the international calendar of polo, the Hublot Polo Cup Gstaad sees four teams up to 14 goals, in competition. One of the lineups include no less than Argentinian 8-goaler, Nicolás Pieres, who will be the highest rated played of the tournament.

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Quando i cavalli fermano gli aerei.



Contrasto a Gstaad tra cavalli e aerei.

Il conto alla rovescia è iniziato a Gstaad: tra soli due giorni il polo tornerà a conquistare la pista erbosa dell'aeroporto della rinomata località alpina. Come accade da quasi trent'anni, l'**Hublot Polo Gold Cup** sospenderà il traffico aereo per lasciare spazio a uno spettacolo di tutt'altro genere: quello dei migliori giocatori di polo del mondo, protagonisti in un contesto unico dove eleganza e passione sportiva si incontrano.

Polo di livello mondiale sulla pista dell'aeroporto

Il torneo si è guadagnato un posto di rilievo nel circuito internazionale grazie a **Pierre E. Genecand**, già artefice della rinascita del Concours Hippique International di Ginevra. "Alcuni eventi non erano – o non sono – organizzati come credo dovrebbero esserlo", spiega Genecand, che dirige la competizione da vent'anni. "Per questo ho deciso di fare le cose a modo mio qui a Gstaad, con una squadra fedele e con uno spirito profondamente svizzero che non ho alcuna intenzione di esportare altrove."

Quest'anno, in occasione della 28ª edizione, ciascuna squadra schiererà un top player argentino, garanzia di un livello tecnico d'eccellenza. "Il punto forte di questa edizione 2025", sottolinea Genecand, "è proprio la presenza di professionisti argentini di altissimo calibro in tutte le formazioni: il vero cuore dello spettacolo."

A guidare il gruppo c'è **Nicolás Pieres** (h8 – Team KIELDER AGRO GROUP), ex difensore della leggendaria squadra Ellerstina e tra le stelle più titolate del polo mondiale. Vincitore dell'Open d'Argentina nel 2012 insieme ai fratelli **Gonzalito e Facundo,** Pieres ha giocato otto finali a Palermo e vanta dieci titoli della Triple Corona (Tortugas, Hurlingham, Palermo), oltre a successi nell'US Open, nel British Open, a Sotogrande e all'Open di Francia.

https://www.horseshowjumping.tv/quando-i-cavalli-fermano-gli-aerei/

Nel Team HUBLOT tornerà in campo **Adrián Laplacette** (h6), finalista lo scorso anno con i fratelli **Meier**. Ben ambientato sul campo di Gstaad, cercherà la rivincita, questa volta con il capitano tedesco **Jürgen Schröder.**

Da seguire anche **Martín "Min" Podestá Jr.** (h7 – Team GSTAAD PALACE), due volte vincitore della prestigiosa Copa Cámara de Diputados – titolo che apre le porte alla Triple Corona argentina – e Juan "El Oreja" Jauretche (h7 – Team ALBINATI AERONAUTICS), anch'egli finalista della stessa Copa. Una formazione di altissimo livello che conferma la reputazione internazionale del torneo.

Aerei a terra, il polo decolla

Mentre il traffico aereo si ferma per le partite – dato che il campo è adiacente alla pista – cresce il numero dei partner provenienti dal settore dell'aviazione privata. "Quest'anno avremo più stand espositivi e più aerei e elicotteri privati in mostra", spiega Genecand. Un segnale chiaro: pur restando fedele alle proprie radici, il torneo continua ad attrarre un pubblico sempre più internazionale ed esigente.



Quando i cavalli fermano gli aerei. 3

Un evento per tutti, dal vivo o online

L'Hublot Polo Gold Cup è aperto al pubblico per tutto il weekend: villaggio espositivo, stand gastronomici e attività per famiglie accoglieranno gli spettatori in un'atmosfera insieme elegante e rilassata.

Da non perdere la sfilata delle squadre per le vie di Gstaad, venerdì alle ore 16:00: un momento festoso in cui la tradizione rurale svizzera incontra lo sport di squadra più antico del mondo.

Foto: Sur l'aAt Gstaad Airport, aerei e cavalli da polo si incrociano. © Pascal Renauldon /R&B Presse
"Protagonista della 28ª edizione della Hublot Polo Gold Cup Gstaad, Nico Pieres ha conquistato tutti i più prestigiosi titoli del pianeta, tra cui dieci vittorie nella leggendaria Triple Corona argentina. Una vera leggenda a Gstaad.! ©Pascal Renauldon/R&B Presse

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Luca Meier, the Swiss boy who want to lift the trophy in Gstaad

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LUCA MEIER WITH POLOLINE

Heavy rainfalls obliged to postpone the start of the prestigious Hublot Polo Gold Cup, hosted by the Polo Club Gstaad, in Switzerland, As a consequence, the tournament will kick off **with the semifinals, due on Saturday August 23, followed by the final on the next day.**

One of the four participating teams is Albinati Aeronautics, a lineup that included the young Zurich-based player, Luca Meier. Luca is eager to claim the trophy for the first time – as a matter of fact, he was close to win the contest twice. In 2022, and 2024, when playing for Gstaad Palace with his brother, Fabio, but they lost to Kielder Agro. So, Luca is aiming for a third time lucky now.

Luca met up with PoloLine to speak about his feelings on the Hublot Polo Gold Cup, among other interesting issues.

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Polo Gold Cup Gstaad 2025



En direct de Gstaad pour la Hublot Polo Gold Cup Gstaad 2025.

Avec Pierre Genecand l'organisateur et le journaliste Nelson Monfort.

https://direct-news.info/polo-gold-cup-gstaad-2025/

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Gstaad Palace and Albinati Aeronautics are through the final of the Hublot Polo Gold Cup Gstaad

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POLO IN SWITZERLAND

The Hublot Polo Gold Cup Gstaad finally commenced on **Saturday August 23**, with the semifinals, after the delay that obliged to cancel the games scheduled for **Thursday August 21,** due to heavy rainfalls. The Polo Club Gstaad, hosted two hard fought semifinals, with Gstaad Palace and Albinati Aeronautics victorious. The tournament sees four teams up to 14 goals, partake.

In the first semifinal, and following two very balanced first chukkas, Gstaad Palace made an impressive comeback against Kielder Agro (with 8-goaler Nicolás Pieres), to earn an impressive 5-2 lead in the third and penultimate chukka. Min Podestá added a goal to widen the advantage in the fourth chukka, but Kielder Agro made an attempt to get at least an extra chukka, through three unanswered goals by Nico Pieres. However, time was running up and at the end of the day, Gstaad Palace claimed the 6-5 win and the first ticket to the final.

Up next, and in another tight contest, Albinati Aeronautics had to battle hard to beat Hublot. It was not easy at all for the two teams; the scoreboard read a 5-all at the end of regulation time, which meant that the game would be decided in extra chukka. That's when Santiago Cernadas produced the winning goal, to seal the deal and secure Albinati Aeronautics the 6-5 victory and the spot in the decisive match.

Gstaad Palace and Albinati Aeronautics will go head-to-head in the championship match of the Hublot Polo Gold Cup Gstaad on Sunday August 24, at 3pm (Switzerland time). THE FINAL WILL BE STREAMED LIVE ON POLOLINE.TV

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TEAMS PARADE THE STREETS OF GSTAAD

In the meantime, the traditional teams and carriages parade on the colourful and lovely Gstaad took place on **Friday August 22**. It is indeed a cherished moment that is enjoyed by everyone in the beautiful city sorrounded by the beautiful entourage of the Swiss Alps, and gives a nice and special touch to one of the most remarkable polo events of the international polo calendar.

PHOTO GALLERY TEAMS PARADE IN GSTAAD *CLICK HERE.*

2025 HUBLOT POLO GOLD CUP GSTAAD – TEAMS

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Gold Cup Gstaad 2025 – Semi Finals

August 23, 2025 Game Reports 0



Today's revelation: 16-year-old Patricio Gaynor managed to provoke a foul from Raul Laplacette, securing victory for his team. © Justine Jacquemot / R&B Presse

Unable to play on Thursday due to weather conditions, the 2025 Hublot Polo Gold Cup kicked off in spectacular style on Saturday. The tournament jumped straight into the semi-finals, taking over the perfectly dried and prepared grass field of Gstaad's iconic airport.

Under a welcome burst of sunshine and with four evenly matched teams (14-goal handicap), the tournament immediately reached full intensity. The crowd showed up in numbers to witness the finest polo in the Alps. The day's verdict: Gstaad Palace and Albinati Aeronautics will battle it out for the title.

The first semi-final lived up to its promise, with a fascinating clash of styles between two strong contenders. On one side, Team Gstaad Palace was orchestrated by a brilliant Martin Podestá Jr. (7), working in perfect sync with Swiss teammates Markus (0) and Thommy Graeff (3), and the efficient Francisco Fucci (4). On the other, Team Kielder Agro Group was led by the immensely experienced Nicolás Pieres (8), one of the most decorated players on the global circuit.

Gstaad Palace quickly took control, leading 5-2 going into the final chukker. Yet Podestá Jr., who scored a spectacular 50-meter golaso early on and netted all six goals for his team, remained cautious: "No match is ever easy. They had a strong line-up, including a former 10-goal player. We had a great start, but Nico Pieres is an exceptional player and Kielder came back strong, cutting our lead to one goal. We've played together at a similar tournament just last week, with the same players and horses. I brought my six best horses from the UK... But above all, Markus and Thommy did a great job and really helped us."

His caution was justified. After scoring the first two goals for his team, Nicolás Pieres added three more in the last period. One more, and it would have gone to overtime. Bautista Bello came close to equalizing in the final seconds... but missed—breaking his mallet in frustration.

Same final score, but a completely different storyline in the second semi-final, where Albinati Aeronautics, slightly behind for most of the game, pulled off a last-minute victory in extra time."It was a very tough match; they had control for most of it," admitted Santiago Cernadas, the team's linchpin and scorer of the winning goal. "Our fouls really cost us—but in the end, it was on one of their own fouls in overtime that we clinched it."

https://hurlinghampolo.com/gold-cup-gstaad-2025-semi-finals/

The decisive moment came from a smart play by the youngest player on the field, 16-year-old Swiss-Argentinian Patricio Gaynor, who drew a foul from seasoned opponent Adrian Laplacette: "He was unbelievable," said Cernadas. "He knows how to hold the ball, make smart passes—really impressive."
It was a last-minute lineup reshuffle for team captain Luca Meier (1), who had to make changes following several injuries, including his brother Fabio. But the chemistry between Cernadas (7), Gaynor (2), and Fabian Bolanterio (4) clicked perfectly. Meier will now return to the final for the second year in a row. Will this one be the charm?

Team Lineups & Score Progression

Semi-final 1

Team Gstaad Palace: Markus Graeff (0), Thommy Graeff (3), Martin Podestá Jr. (7 – 6 goals), Francisco Fucci (4)

Team Kielder Agro Group: Antonio Manzano (0), Juan Pepa (2), Bautista Bello (4), Nicolás Pieres (8 – 5 goals)

Score progression (Gstaad Palace): 1-1 / 2-1 / 5-2 / 6-5

Semi-final 2

Team Hublot: Jürgen Schröder (0 – 2 goals), Antonio Grabosch (3), Adrian Laplacette Jr. (6 – 3 goals), Juan Esteban Uribe (5)

Team Albinati Aeronautics: Luca Meier (1), Patricio Gaynor (2 – 1 goal), Santiago Cernadas (7 – 4 goals), Fabian Bolanterio (4 – 1 goal)

Score progression (Albinati Aeronautics): 2-2 / 3-2 / 4-5 / 5-5 / 6-5 (OT)

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POLO : Deux demi-finales de feu à Gstaad pour lancer la 27ème Hublot Polo Gold Cup

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La Hublot Polo Gold Cup 2025 a débuté en beauté à Gstaad.

Faute d'avoir pu jouer jeudi en raison des conditions météo, la Hublot Polo Gold Cup 2025 a démarré de la plus belle des manières samedi. Ce sont directement les demi-finales qui ont lancé le tournoi de polo le plus spectaculaire des Alpes sur le gazon parfaitement séché et préparé de l'aéroport de Gstaad. Une entrée directe dans le vif du sujet, sous un soleil revenu à point nommé, avec quatre formations affichant un handicap équilibré de 14 goals. Verdict de cette splendide journée : ce sera une finale qui opposera Gstaad Palace à Albinati Aeronautics.

Le sang-froid de Podestá face à l'expérience de Pieres

La première demi-finale de cette Hublot Polo Gold Cup 2025 a tenu toutes ses promesses, opposant deux formations au style bien différent. D'un côté, le Team Gstaad Palace, emmené par un Min Podestá (7) très inspiré, en parfaite entente avec ses coéquipiers suisses Markus (0) et Thommy Graeff (3), ainsi que l'efficace Francisco Fucci (4). En face, le Team Kielder Agro Group s'appuyait sur l'immense expérience de Nicolás Pieres (8), l'un des joueurs les plus titrés du circuit mondial.

C'est Gstaad Palace qui a pris l'ascendant dès le début, menant 5-2 au début de l'ultime chukker. Pourtant, Martin Podestá Jr., auteur d'un splendide golaso de plus de 50 mètres en bord du terrain en première période, et auteur des six goals de son équipe, restait lucide : *« Un match n'est jamais facile, il y avait une équipe robuste en face avec un ancien handicap 10. Oui, nous avons bien débuté, mais Nico Pieres est un joueur d'exception et Kielder est revenu fort, à un goal. L'équipe se connaît bien pour avoir joué ensemble un tournoi de même niveau la semaine dernière. J'ai fait venir mes six meilleurs chevaux de Grande-Bretagne… Mais surtout, Markus et Thommy ont fait un super boulot, et franchement, ça nous a bien aidés ».*

Et il avait raison de se méfier : déjà auteur des deux premiers goals de son équipe, Nicolás Pieres en ajoutait trois en dernière période. Il en aurait fallu un quatrième pour accrocher les prolongations. Bautista Bello, qui avait une occasion dans les dernières secondes, manqua de peu l'égalisation… rageant.

https://www.pa-sport.fr/2025/08/23/polo-deux-demi-finales-de-feu-a-gstaad-pour-lancer-la-27eme-hublot-polo-gold-cup/

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Albinati Aeronautics dans les prolongations

Même score, mais un scénario complètement différent dans cette deuxième demi-finale, où Albinati Aeronautics, légèrement dominé tout au long de la rencontre, a fini par s'imposer en chukker supplémentaire : *« C'était un match très rude, ils nous ont contrôlés de bout en bout, concédait Santiago Cernadas, le pilier d'Albinati Aeronautics et auteur du but décisif. Ce sont surtout nos fautes qui nous ont coûté cher. Mais, nous avons fini par trouver la solution. Et ironie du sort, c'est sur une faute adverse en supplementario que nous remportons ce match ».*

Une faute de l'expérimenté Adrian Laplacette, intelligemment provoquée par le benjamin de cette rencontre, l'Helvético-Argentin Patricio Gaynor, 16 ans : *« Il a été incroyable, s'enthousiasme Cernadas. Il sait conserver la balle, faire des passes pertinentes... vraiment impressionnant ».*

Un joli coup pour Albinati Aeronautics, que Luca Meier (1) a dû recomposer à la dernière minute suite à plusieurs blessures, dont celle de son frère Fabio. La combinaison Santiago Cernadas (7), toujours à l'initiative offensive, Patricio Gaynor (2) et Fabian Bolanterio (4) a parfaitement fonctionné. Le capitaine suisse retrouvera donc la finale pour la deuxième année consécutive. La bonne ?

Compositions des équipes et progressions des scores

Demi-finale 1

Team Gstaad Palace : Markus Graeff (0) – Thommy Graeff (3) – Martin Podestá Jr. (7, 6 goals) – Francisco Fucci (4)

Team Kielder Agro Group : Antonio Manzano (0) – Juan Pepa (2) – Bautista Beilo (4) – Nicolás Pieres (8, 5 goals)

Progression Gstaad Palace : 1-1 / 2-1 / 5-2 et 6-5

Demi-finale 2

Team Hublot : Jürgen Schröder (0, 2 goals) – Antonio Grabosch (3) – Adrian Laplacette Jr. (6, 3 goals) – Juan Esteban Uribe (5)

Team Albinati Aeronautics : Luca Meier (1) – Patricio Gaynor (2, 1 goal) – Santiago Cernadas (7, 4 goals) – Fabian Bolanterio (4, 1 goal)

Progression Albinati Aeronautics : 2-2 / 3-2 / 4-5 / 5-5 et 6-5 en prolongation.

Une finale très attendue dimanche à 15H

Les vainqueurs du jour se retrouveront dimanche pour une grande finale qui promet d'être explosive. Dès 13h30, le match pour la troisième place opposera les deux équipes battues, bien décidées à ne rien lâcher pour repartir de Gstaad sur une bonne note.

Un événement ouvert à tous, sur place ou à distance

La Hublot Polo Gold Cup est ouverte au public tout au long du week-end. Un village d'exposants, des espaces de restauration et des animations sont prévus pour accueillir petits et grands dans un cadre en même temps chic et détendu. Alors, rendez-vous pour la grande finale, l'accès au tournoi est gratuit et pour ceux qui ne pourront être sur place, il est possible de suivre ce tournoi prestigieux à distance.

Les finales du dimanche seront retransmises en direct sur PoloLine TV | Facebook | Whatsapp | Instagram | Website

Chaque soir, un résumé vidéo sera mis en ligne sur les réseaux sociaux du Polo Club Gstaad.

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Polo Gold Cup Gstaad 2025



En direct de Gstaad pour la seconde journée de la Hublot Polo Gold Cup Gstaad 2025.

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POLO : Hublot Polo Gold Cup Gstaad 2025 – Gstaad Palace règne sur les sommets

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La 28e édition de la Hublot Polo Gold Cup a tiré sa révérence ce dimanche avec une finale pleine de panache.

Dans ce cadre spectaculaire, au cœur des idylliques alpages suisses, la 28e édition de la Hublot Polo Gold Cup a tiré sa révérence ce dimanche avec une finale pleine de panache. Quatre Suisses sur le terrain, dont le capitaine Markus Graeff, qui, avec les siens, a offert au Gstaad Palace une victoire mémorable.

Deux Suisses et deux Argentins sur le podium

Deux Suisses et deux Argentins sur le podium de la Hublot Polo Gold Cup Gstaad 2025 : Markus et Thommy Graeff, Min Podestá et Francisco Fucci.

Le match pour la troisième place

Le match pour la troisième place a donné le ton dès 13h30, avec un jeu ouvert et rapide entre deux formations bien décidées à quitter Gstaad sur une note positive. Moins tendue que la veille, la rencontre s'est jouée dans un bel esprit de sportivité, chaque équipe laissant libre cours à sa créativité.

Nicolás Pieres a trouvé ses marques

Plus à l'aise sur le terrain qu'en demi-finale, Nicolás Pieres (4 goals) a retrouvé ses repères pour mener le Team Kielder Agro Group vers une courte mais précieuse victoire, 8 à 7, face à un Adrian Laplacette Jr. (5 goals) toujours aussi inspiré dans la lecture du jeu.

«C'est la première fois que je viens à Gstaad, et j'espère bien que ce ne sera pas la dernière !», **confait Nico Pieres après la rencontre.** *«C'est vraiment fabuleux ici, c'est tellement beau… Mais le terrain est particulier, et pour être honnête, le premier jour, je n'étais pas à l'aise. Pendant deux périodes, j'étais un peu perdu, je ne pouvais pas vraiment jouer mon polo. Puis j'ai compris qu'il fallait jouer plus direct. Maintenant que j'ai pris mes marques, si je reviens l'année prochaine, je vous promets que je jouerai autrement !»*.

L'ancien handicap 10 s'envolera dès demain pour Buenos Aires afin de préparer le sommet de sa saison : l'Open d'Argentine et la qualification de son équipe Kazak pour la Triple Couronne. *«Je suis assez optimiste, c'est une équipe que j'aime, et cette année avec l'apport de Pelón Stirling, je suis plutôt confiant »*.

https://www.pa-sport.fr/2025/08/24/polo-hublot-polo-gold-cup-gstaad-2025-gstaad-palace-regne-sur-les-sommets/

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Gstaad Palace, une affaire de famille

Départ plus laborieux pour la grande finale, où les joueurs ont montré un peu de nervosité, compréhensible au regard de l'enjeu. Mais très vite, les choses se sont décantées en faveur de Gstaad Palace, qui a dominé la rencontre de bout en bout. Les joueurs d'Albinati Aeronautics se sont retrouvés enfermés dans une défense redoutablement bien orchestrée par Martin "Min" Podestá (7), où chacun a joué son rôle avec justesse, à commencer par le capitaine Markus Graeff : *«C'est un grand bonheur de pouvoir jouer ici. Je suis le plus vieux joueur sur le terrain, j'ai 73 ans, et autant que je sache, le deuxième joueur le plus âgé a 20 ans de moins, et la majorité des types ici a de 20 à 30 ans ! Je suis vraiment heureux d'avoir pu aider mon équipe… un peu. En tant que capitaine, c'est une équipe que j'ai organisée, et je me réjouis du résultat. Et jouer ici, à Gstaad, est merveilleux. Chacun de mes joueurs a fait un travail admirable. J'avais mon rôle, et je crois que je l'ai tenu correctement. C'est comme le football : un sport d'équipe. Si je suis invité l'an prochain, je serai heureux de revenir ».* Le fils de l'heureux capitaine, Thommy Graeff, a fait plus que jouer son rôle aujourd'hui, gratifiant le public d'un sublime golaso.

Un couple au top : Min Podestá, meilleur joueur de la finale avec sa jument de 9 ans, Doma Simoca, meilleur cheval de la finale

Doma Simoca, la véritable reine du jour

Sans cheval, pas de polo. La plupart des joueurs attribuent 70 % de leur performance à leur monture. Pour ce tournoi, Min Podestá avait fait venir six de ses meilleurs chevaux d'Angleterre. Parmi eux, une certaine Doma Simoca, jument grise de neuf ans, s'est vu remettre la traditionnelle couverture du meilleur cheval de la finale. Mais ce n'était pas sa première distinction : *«Elle a déjà remporté plusieurs couvertures, dont celle de la finale de la Copa Cámara et du match d'accès à l'Open d'Argentine»*, **confiait Podestá, désigné MVP (meilleur joueur de la finale).** *«Elle est généreuse, infatigable ; je peux la faire rentrer deux ou trois fois dans un match sans problème. Elle est facile, elle donne toujours le meilleur d'elle-même ».*

Un bel hommage pour cette jument exceptionnelle, née dans l'élevage prestigieux de La Irenita. Pour les connaisseurs : elle est une fille de Clarín et Irenita Nazarena, deux chevaux qui ont eux-mêmes brillé au plus haut niveau.

Un tournoi unique

Il y avait quelque chose de rare, ce dimanche, à Gstaad. Une parenthèse enchantée, où la rude élégance du sport se mêlait à la douceur du lieu. On y croisait d'anciens capitaines revenus en spectateurs, des habitués de l'événement qui saluaient la beauté du site et l'esprit convivial qui s'y perpétue d'année en année.

Ce tournoi reste unique. Et s'il l'est, c'est aussi grâce à l'homme qui l'orchestre depuis vingt ans : Pierre E. Genecand, passionné exigeant, fidèle à son équipe et à une certaine idée de l'organisation, mêlant précision suisse, amour du sport, et accueil chaleureux. Grâce à lui, et à ceux qui l'entourent, la Hublot Polo Gold Cup s'est imposée comme un rendez-vous à part sur le circuit mondial : une escale de haut niveau dans un écrin de montagne apaisant.

Rendez-vous en 2026, du 20 au 23 août.

ÉQUIPES, SCORES ET STATISTIQUES

Petite finale

Team Kielder Agro Group : Antonio Manzano (0, 1 goal) – Juan Pepa (2 goals de pénalité) – Bautista Bello (4, 1 goal) – Nicolás Pieres (8, 4 goals)

vs.

Team Hublot : Jürgen Schröder (0) – Antonio Grabosch (3) – Adrian Laplacette Jr. (6) – Juan Esteban Uribe (5)

Progression Kielder Agro Group : 1-2 / 4-3 / 6-6 et 8-7

Finale

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Polo: La Gold Cup Gstaad ya tiene finalistas

Sin poder jugar el jueves debido a las condiciones meteorológicas, la Gold Cup Gstaad 2025 comenzó sábado con un planteamiento espectacular. El torneo saltó directamente a las semifinales, sobre un césped ya seco en el icónico aeropuerto de Gstaad.

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Min Podesta finalmente se impuso al primer cabeza de serie del torneo, Nico Pieres (de verde). (Foto ©Justine Jacquemot/R&B Presse)

Con cuatro equipos igualados (hándicap de 14 goles), el torneo alcanzó inmediatamente su máxima intensidad. La multitud se presentó en masa para presenciar el mejor Polo de los Alpes. El veredicto del día: Gstaad Palace y Albinati Aeronautics lucharán por el título.

Podestá eclipsa a Pieres

La primera semifinal estuvo a la altura de lo que prometía, con un fascinante choque de estilos entre dos fuertes contendientes. Por un lado, el Team Gstaad Palace fue orquestado por un brillante Martin Podestá Jr. (7), trabajando en perfecta sintonía con sus compañeros suizos Markus (0) y Thommy Graeff (3), y el eficiente Francisco Fucci (4). Por otro lado, el Team Kielder Agro Group estuvo liderado por el experimentado Nicolás Pieres (8), uno de los jugadores más laureados del circuito mundial.

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Gstaad Palace rápidamente tomó el control, liderando 5-2 antes del último chukker. Sin embargo, Podestá Jr., quien anotó un espectacular gol de 50 metros desde el principio y anotó los seis goles de su equipo, se mantuvo cauteloso: *"Ningún partido es fácil. Tenían una alineación fuerte, incluido un ex jugador de 10 goles. Tuvimos un gran comienzo, pero Nico Pieres es un jugador excepcional y Kielder volvió fuerte, reduciendo nuestra ventaja a un gol. Jugamos juntos en un torneo similar la semana pasada, con los mismos jugadores y caballos. Traje mis seis mejores caballos del Reino Unido ... Pero, sobre todo, Markus y Thommy hicieron un gran trabajo y realmente nos ayudaron".*

Su precaución estaba justificada. Tras marcar los dos primeros goles para su equipo, Nicolás Pieres sumó tres más en el último periodo. Uno más, y se habría ido a la prórroga. Bautista Bello estuvo cerca de empatar en los últimos segundos... pero falló, rompiendo su mazo con frustración.

Albinati Aeronautics triunfa en la prórroga

El mismo marcador final, pero una historia completamente diferente en la segunda semifinal, donde Albinati Aeronautics, ligeramente por detrás durante la mayor parte del juego, logró una victoria de último minuto en la prórroga. *"Fue un partido muy duro; tuvieron el control durante la mayor parte del juego", admitió Santiago Cernadas, el eje del equipo y autor del gol de la victoria. "Nuestras faltas realmente nos costaron, pero al final, fue en una de sus propias faltas en el tiempo extra lo que nos aproximó al triunfo".*



Patricio Gaynor, de 16 años, fue la revelación en semifinales. Logró provocar una falta de Raúl Laplacette, asegurando la victoria para su equipo. (Foto ©Justine Jacquemot/R&B Presse)

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El momento decisivo vino de una jugada inteligente del jugador más joven en el campo, el suizo-argentino Patricio Gaynor, de 16 años, quien recibió una falta de su experimentado oponente Adrian Laplacette. *"Estuvo increíble. Sabe cómo sostener el balón, hacer pases inteligentes, realmente impresionante"*, dijo Cernadas.

Fue una reorganización de última hora de la alineación del capitán del equipo, Luca Meier (1), que tuvo que hacer cambios tras varias lesiones, incluida la de su hermano Fabio. Pero la química entre Cernadas (7), Gaynor (2) y Fabián Bolanterio (4) encajó perfectamente. Meier estará en la final por segundo año consecutivo.

Alineaciones y progresión de la puntuación

Semifinal 1

Equipo Gstaad Palace: Markus Graeff (0), Thommy Graeff (3), Martin Podestá Jr. (7 – 6 goles), Francisco Fucci (4)

Equipo Kielder Agro Group: Antonio Manzano (0), Juan Pepa (2), Bautista Bello (4), Nicolás Pieres (8 – 5 goles)

Progresión del marcador (Gstaad Palace): 1-1 / 2-1 / 5-2 / 6-5

Semifinal 2

Equipo Hublot: Jürgen Schröder (0 – 2 goles), Antonio Grabosch (3), Adrian Laplacette Jr. (6 – 3 goles), Juan Esteban Uribe (5)

Equipo Albinati Aeronautics: Luca Meier (1), Patricio Gaynor (2 – 1 gol), Santiago Cernadas (7 – 4 goles), Fabian Bolanterio (4 – 1 gol)

Progresión del marcador (Albinati Aeronautics): 2-2 / 3-2 / 4-5 / 5-5 / 6-5 (OT)

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Dans ce cadre spectaculaire, au cœur des idylliques alpages suisses, la 28e édition de la Hublot Polo Gold Cup a tiré sa révérence ce dimanche avec une finale pleine de panache.

Quatre Suisses sur le terrain, dont le capitaine Markus Graeff, qui, avec les siens, a offert au Gstaad Palace une victoire mémorable.

Le match pour la troisième place a donné le ton dès 13h30, avec un jeu ouvert et rapide entre deux formations bien décidées à quitter Gstaad sur une note positive. Moins tendue que la veille, la rencontre s'est jouée dans un bel esprit de sportivité, chaque équipe laissant libre cours à sa créativité.

Nicolás Pieres a trouvé ses marques

Plus à l'aise sur le terrain qu'en demi-finale, Nicolás Pieres (4 goals) a retrouvé ses repères pour mener le Team Kielder Agro Group vers une courte mais précieuse victoire, 8 à 7, face à un Adrian Laplacette Jr. (5 goals) toujours aussi inspiré dans la lecture du jeu.

« C'est la première fois que je viens à Gstaad, et j'espère bien que ce ne sera pas la dernière » !, confiait **Nico Pieres** après la rencontre. *« C'est vraiment fabuleux ici, c'est tellement beau… Mais le terrain est particulier, et pour être honnête, le premier jour, je n'étais pas à l'aise. Pendant deux périodes, j'étais un peu perdu, je ne pouvais pas vraiment jouer mon polo. Puis j'ai compris qu'il fallait jouer plus direct. Maintenant que j'ai pris mes marques, si je reviens l'année prochaine, je vous promets que je jouerai autrement »!*

L'ancien handicap 10 s'envolera dès demain pour Buenos Aires afin de préparer le sommet de sa saison : l'Open d'Argentine et la qualification de son équipe Kazak pour la Triple Couronne. *« Je suis assez optimiste, c'est une équipe que j'aime, et cette année avec l'apport de Pelón Stirling, je suis plutôt confiant »*.

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Gstaad Palace, une affaire de famille. Min Podestá sur tous les tableaux

Départ plus laborieux pour la grande finale, où les joueurs ont montré un peu de nervosité, compréhensible au regard de l'enjeu. Mais très vite, les choses se sont décantées en faveur de Gstaad Palace, qui a dominé la rencontre de bout en bout. Les joueurs d'Albinati Aeronautics se sont retrouvés enfermés dans une défense redoutablement bien orchestrée par Martin "Min" Podestá (7), où chacun a joué son rôle avec justesse, à commencer par le capitaine Markus Graeff : « *C'est un grand bonheur de pouvoir jouer ici. Je suis le plus vieux joueur sur le terrain, j'ai 73 ans, et autant que je sache, le deuxième joueur le plus âgé a 20 ans de moins, et la majorité des types ici a de 20 à 30 ans ! Je suis vraiment heureux d'avoir pu aider mon équipe… un peu. En tant que capitaine, c'est une équipe que j'ai organisée, et je me réjouis du résultat. Et jouer ici, à Gstaad, est merveilleux. Chacun de mes joueurs a fait un travail admirable.J'avais mon rôle, et je crois que je l'ai tenu correctement. C'est comme le football : un sport d'équipe. Si je suis invité l'an prochain, je serai heureux de revenir.* » Le fils de l'heureux capitaine, Thommy Graeff, a fait plus que jouer son rôle aujourd'hui, gratifiant le public d'un sublime golaso.

Doma Simoca, la véritable reine du jour

Sans cheval, pas de polo. La plupart des joueurs attribuent 70 % de leur performance à leur monture. Pour ce tournoi, Min Podestá avait fait venir six de ses meilleurs chevaux d'Angleterre. Parmi eux, une certaine Doma Simoca, jument grise de neuf ans, s'est vu remettre la traditionnelle couverture du meilleur cheval de la finale. Mais ce n'était pas sa première distinction : « **Elle a déjà remporté plusieurs couvertures, dont celle de la finale de la Copa Cámara et du match d'accès à l'Open d'Argentine** », confiait **Podestá, désigné MVP (meilleur joueur de la finale)**. « *Elle est généreuse, infatigable ; je peux la faire rentrer deux ou trois fois dans un match sans problème. Elle est facile, elle donne toujours le meilleur d'elle-même* ».

Un bel hommage pour cette jument exceptionnelle, née dans l'élevage prestigieux de La Irenita. Pour les connaisseurs : elle est une fille de Clarín et Irenita Nazarena, deux chevaux qui ont eux-mêmes brillé au plus haut niveau.

Un tournoi unique

Il y avait quelque chose de rare, ce dimanche, à Gstaad. Une parenthèse enchantée, où la rude élégance du sport se mêlait à la douceur du lieu. On y croisait d'anciens capitaines revenus en spectateurs, des habitués de l'événement qui saluaient la beauté du site et l'esprit convivial qui s'y perpétue d'année en année.

Ce tournoi reste unique. Et s'il l'est, c'est aussi grâce à l'homme qui l'orchestre depuis vingt ans : Pierre E. Genecand, passionné exigeant, fidèle à son équipe et à une certaine idée de l'organisation, mêlant précision suisse, amour du sport, et accueil chaleureux. Grâce à lui, et à ceux qui l'entourent, la Hublot Polo Gold Cup s'est imposée comme un rendez-vous à part sur le circuit mondial : une escale de haut niveau dans un écrin de montagne apaisant.

Rendez-vous en 2026, du 20 au 23 août

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Petite finale

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Club: Polo Club Gstaad

Date Start: August 23, 2025

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Level: 14hcp

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Semifinal

Date	Teams	Results
23 August, 2025	Kielder Agro Group Gstaad Palace	5 - 6
23 August, 2025	Albinati Aeronautics Hublot	6 - 5

Final

Date	Teams	Results
24 August, 2025	Gstaad Palace Albinati Aeronautics	7 - 4

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Date	Teams	Results
24 August, 2025	Hublot Kielder Agro Group	7 - 8

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Kielder Agro Group

Player	HCP
Nicolás Pieres	8
Juan Pepa	2
Bautista Bello	4
Antonio Manzano	0

Gstaad Palace

Player	HCP
Francisco Fucci	4
Martín Podesta	7
Markus Graff	0
Thomas Graff	3

Albinati Aeronautics

Player	HCP
Patricio Gaynor Jr.	2
Fabian Bolanterio	4
Luca Meier	1
Santiago Cernadas	7

Hublot

Player	HCP
Adrian Laplacette	6
Juan Esteban Uribe	5
Anton Grabosch	3
Jürgen Schröder	0

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Gstaad Palace claimed the Hublot Polo Gold Cup Gstaad

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POLO IN SWITZERLAND

Gstaad Palace defeated Albinati Aeronautics 7-4, and won the Hublot Polo Gold Cup Gstaad, after the final that took place on **Sunday August 24**, at the Polo Club Gstaad, in Switzerland. The last day of one of the most remarkable polo events of the international calendar, saw packed grandsstands, and the attendance enjoyed a fabulous day of polo sorrounded by the beauty of the Swiss Alps. The tournamen saw four teams up to 14 goals, in participation.

Gstaad Palace was the dominating force of the match; after ending the first chukka 1-0 up, they seized the reins from the second onwards; by the start of the fourth and last chukka, they had a 6-3 advantage. Martín "Min" Podestá was the star player of the winners, having produced four goals and presented with the MVP award. It's worth to note that Gstaad Palace lineup included the father-son combo, Markus Graeff, and his son, Thomas. *"It's such a pleasure to play in Gstaad. I'm the oldest player on the field at 73, and as far as I know, the next oldest is 20 years younger and most of them are between 20 and 30! I'm thrilled I could contribute... a little. I put this team together, and I'm proud of what we achieved. Playing here in Gstaad is wonderful. Each of my teammates played their part. I had my role to play, and I think I did it well. Like football, polo is a team sport. If I'm invited again next year, I'd be delighted to return.",* stated a happy Markus Graeff.

Previously, and under the command of Nicolás Pieres, Kielder Agro grabbed the third place, after a hard fought 8-7 win over Hublot.

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HUBLOT POLO GOLD CUP GSTAAD – FINAL – SUNDAY AUGUST 24

GSTAAD PALACE 7-4 ALBINATI AERONAUTICS

GSTAAD PALACE: *Markus Graeff 0, Tommy Graeff 3 (2 goals), Francisco Fucci 4 (1), Martín Podestá 7 (4). Total: 14.*

ALBINATI AERONAUTICS: *Luca Meier 1 (1 goal), Patricio Gaynor 2, Santiago Cernadas 7 (2), Fabian Bolanteiro (1). Total: 14.*

Score Gstaad Palace: *1-0, 3-2, 6-3, 7-4.*

Umpires: *Charles Seavill & Oliver Ellis.*

MVP: *Martín Podestá.*

MVP Amateur: *Juan Pepa.*

Tournament top scorer: *Martín Podestá (10 goals)*

BPP: *Doma Simona, ridden by Martín Podestá.*

2025 HUBLOT POLO GOLD CUP GSTAAD – TEAMS

HUBLOT: *Jurgen Schroeder 0, Adrián Laplacette 6, Juan Esteban Uribe 5, Anton Grabosch 3. Total: 14*

KIELDER AGRO GROUP: *Juan Pepa 2, Bautista Bello 4, Antonio Manzano 0, Nicolás Pieres 8. Total: 14.*

GSTAAD PALACE: *Markus Graeff 0, Tommy Graeff 3, Francisco Fucci 4, Martín Podestá 7. Total: 14.*

ALBINATI AERONAUTICS: *Luca Meier 1 Patricio Gaynor 2, Santiago Cernadas 7, Fabian Bolanteiro 4. Total: 14.*

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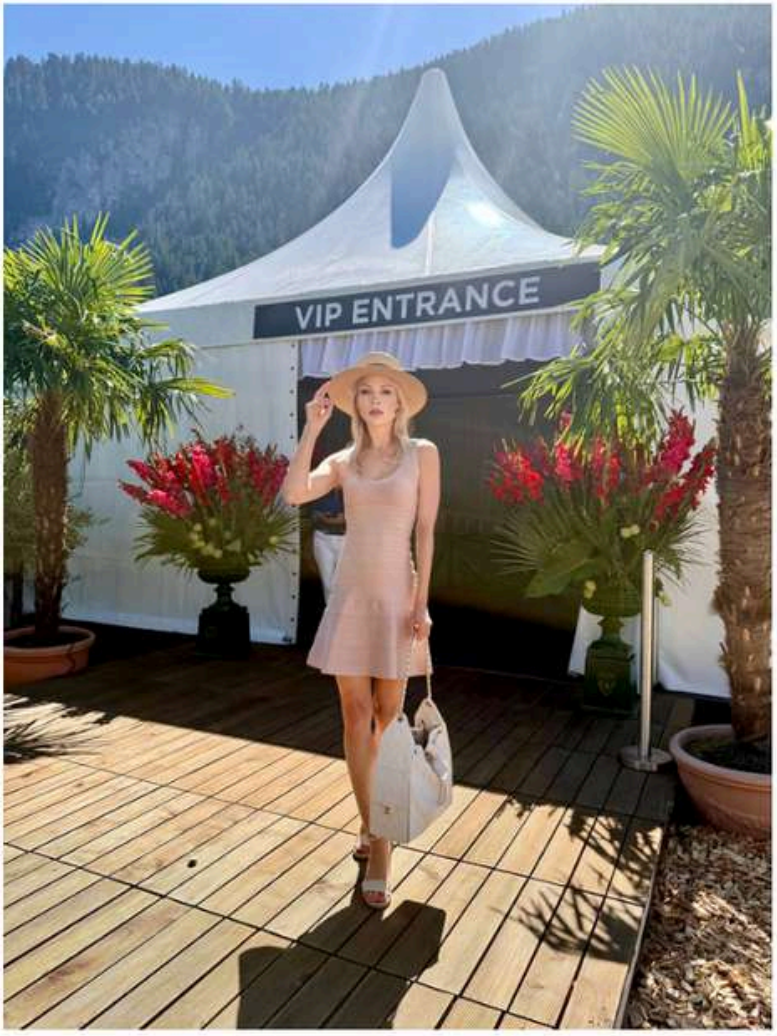


Image above and below** Corinna Nebgen von Klitzing the **Founder and Creative Director of Deluxe Dynasty at the Gstaad Polo 2025.

The 28th edition of the most prestigious polo tournament in the Alps was held under the official timekeeping of Hublot. The best international riders battled it out in the heights of Gstaad, offering a captivating spectacle in the exceptional setting of the Swiss mountains.

A flagship event of the Alpine summer, the Hublot Polo Gold Cup Gstaad once again transformed Gstaad-Saanenland Airport into an exceptional stage for the noblest of equestrian sports. At 1,000 meters above sea level, surrounded by the majestic peaks of the Bernese Alps, this unique competition in the world continues to attract the international elite of polo, the oldest and most noble of sports, popular among well travelled sport lovers from all Switzerland and the World. Joining the event this year are guests like **Xenia Tchoumi, Katie Degas, Corinna Nebgen von Klitzing** the Founder and Creative Director of Deluxe Dynasty, and many more stylish polo fans.

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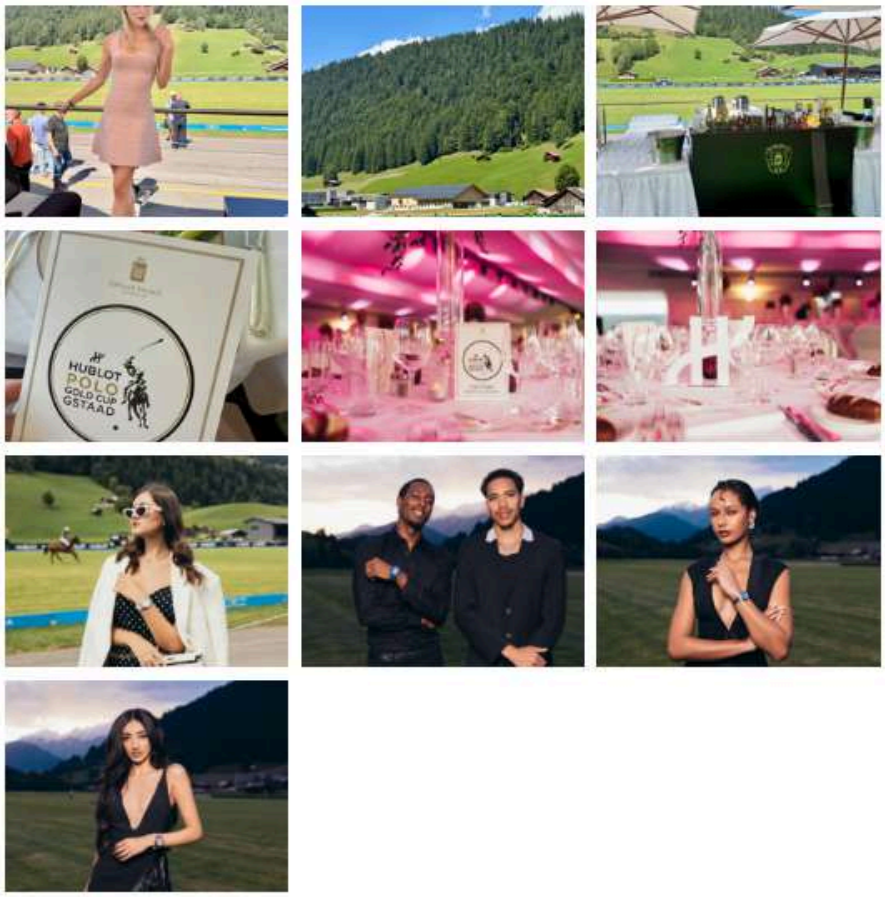
The Hublot Polo Gold Cup Gstaad saw four teams of renowned international players compete. These teams, composed of four members each, battled for victory in three-round matches, divided into four chukkers – seven-minute quarters precisely timed by Hublot, partner of the event since 2007.

The Big Bang Unico 42 mm houses the Manufacture MHUB1280 chronograph movement at the heart of its 42 mm diameter case, the iconic Unico caliber equipped with a flyback chronograph with column wheel. The first mechanical movement developed in-house by Hublot and the subject of no fewer than 5 patents, Unico has revolutionized time measurement thanks to an innovative approach that fundamentally rethinks traditional watchmaking architecture, a technical feat guaranteeing performance, precision and reliability. The Big Bang One Click 33 mm, meanwhile, embodies feminine elegance thanks to its 33 mm case and bezel set with 36 diamonds. Both models are available in Petrol Blue or Mint Green.



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Ultimately, it was the Gstaad Palace team that prevailed! Valiant players of the winning team, **Markus Graeff, Tommy Graeff, Francisco Fucci** and **Martín Podestá** (*image above*) were each awarded a Hublot watch bearing the engraving "Hublot Polo Gold Cup Gstaad Winner."

Ambassadors and friends of the Hublot brand were present, including actors Cyril Metzger and Giuseppe Maggio, and entrepreneur Xenia Tchoumi, who joined the spectators to participate in the traditional divot stomping on the field between each chukker, during which children of all ages repair the marks left by the horses' hooves by replacing the clumps of earth that have been torn away.

"For 17 years, the partnership between Hublot and the Gstaad Polo has reflected common values that have fostered a deep and vibrant connection, driven by passion, friendship and trust. More than just a partnership, this relationship born of a shared vision has enabled the creation of experiences blending tradition and innovation, beyond sport and watchmaking. A true embodiment of the Art of Fusion, a notion shared by both this formidable event and the Hublot Manufacture," announces **Julien Tornare, CEO of Hublot.**

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В конце августа швейцарский Гштаад в очередной раз подтвердил статус столицы европейского поло. 28-й турнир Hublot Polo Gold Cup прошел на аэродроме Заанен на высоте тысяча метров над уровнем моря.

Четыре команды международного уровня боролись за титул в формате, который не меняется уже много лет. Матчи состоят из четырех чуккеров — семиминутных периодов, время в которых отсчитывает партнер турнира – швейцарская мануфактура Hublot.

Победу одержала команда Gstaad Palace в составе Маркуса и Томми Граеффов, Франциско Фуччи и Мартина Подесты. Игроки получили традиционные награды — часы Hublot с гравировкой "Hublot Polo Gold Cup Gstaad Winner".

К турниру Hublot представили обновленную линейку Big Bang в новых цветах — бензиновый синий и мятный зеленый. Модели Big Bang Unico 42mm и Big Bang One Click 33mm выполнены из полированной керамики, что стало технологической новинкой для мануфактуры.

Мужская модель оснащена собственным механизмом MHUB1280 с flyback-хронографом, защищенным пятью патентами. Женская версия диаметром 33 мм дополнена безелем с 36 бриллиантами. Обе модели доступны в новых цветах Petrol Blue и Mint Green.

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Polo Gold Cup Gstaad: El equipo Gstaad Palace alcanza la cima

En el espectacular escenario de Gstaad, enclavado en los idílicos Alpes suizos, la vigésimo octava edición de la Hublot Polo Gold Cup culminó en la jornada del domingo con una final llena de alicientes. Markus Graeff, quien guió al Gstaad Palace hacia una victoria memorable.

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Dos suizos y dos argentinos en el podio de la Hublot Polo Gold Cup Gstaad 2025: Markus y Thommy Graeff, Min Podestá y Francisco Fucci. (Foto ©Justine Jacquemot/R&B Presse)

El programa de la jornada de clausura lo abrió la final de consolación A las 13:30, la final subsidiaria marcó la pauta con un partido abierto y trepidante entre dos equipos decididos a irse de Gstaad con una buena nota: Kielder Agro Group y Hublot. Menos tenso que las semifinales del sábado, el partido se desarrolló con un espíritu deportivo genuino, donde cada equipo expresó libremente su juego.

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El precioso escenario de la Hublot Gold Cup, durante la final de consolación. (Foto ©Justine Jacquemot/R&B Presse)

Nicolás Pieres encuentra su ritmo

Más cómodo en el campo que en las semifinales, Nicolás Pieres (4 goles) encontró su ritmo y guió al equipo Kielder Agro Group a una ajustada pero significativa victoria por 8-7 sobre Adrian Laplacette Jr. (5 goles), siempre inspirado en su lectura del juego.

"¡Esta fue mi primera vez en Gstaad y espero que no sea la última!", dijo el astro argentino, Nicolás Pieres, después del partido. *"Es fabuloso, tan hermoso..., pero el campo es singular. Para ser honesto, el primer día me sentí fuera de lugar; no pude jugar mi polo habitual. Luego me di cuenta de que tenía que jugar de forma más directa. Ahora que me he adaptado, si vuelvo el año que viene, ¡prometo que jugaré un juego muy diferente!"*

El exjugador de 10 goles ha volado ya a Buenos Aires para preparar el momento culminante de su temporada: el Abierto Argentino y la clasificación de su equipo kazajo a la Triple Corona. "Soy bastante optimista. Es un equipo que me gusta mucho, y este año, con la incorporación de Pelón Stirling, tengo mucha confianza", añadió Pieres.

Gstaad Palace: familia y clase magistral de Podestá

La final, disputada por Gstaad Palace y Albinati Aeronautics, comenzó con cautela, con los jugadores, comprensiblemente, mostrando algo de nerviosismo. Pero el impulso cambió rápidamente a favor del Gstaad Palace, que tomó el control y dominó durante todo el partido.

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Un binomio ganador: Min Podestá, mejor jugador de la final, con su yegua de 9 años, "Doma Simoca", mejor caballo de la final. (Foto ©Justine Jacquemot/R&B Presse)

Albinati Aeronautics tuvo dificultades para abrirse paso entre la férrea defensa orquestada por Martin "Min" Podestá (7), y cada compañero cumplió su función a la perfección, empezando por el capitán Markus Graeff, quien no mostró su satisfacción, y no sólo pro el triunfo. *"Es un placer jugar aquí. Soy el jugador de mayor edad en el campo, con 73 años, y que yo sepa, el siguiente es 20 años más joven, ¡y la mayoría tiene entre 20 y 30! Estoy encantado de haber podido aportar... un poco. Yo armé este equipo y estoy orgulloso de lo que logramos. Jugar aquí en Gstaad es maravilloso. Cada uno de mis compañeros cumplió su parte. Yo tenía mi papel que desempeñar, y creo que lo hice bien. Al igual que el fútbol, el Polo es un deporte de equipo. Si me vuelven a invitar el año que viene, estaré encantado de volver"*. El hijo del capitán, Thommy Graeff, también hizo una gran aportación, deleitando al público con un golazo espectacular.

"Doma Simoca", reina del día

Sin caballos, no hay Polo. La mayoría de los jugadores dirán que el 70% de su rendimiento depende de su caballo. Para este torneo, Min Podestá trajo seis de sus mejores caballos del Reino Unido. Entre ellos, "Doma Simoca", una yegua torda de 9 años, que fue galardonada con el Mejor Poni Jugador de la Final.

Este de Gstadd no ha sido su primer trofeo. *"Ya ha ganado varios BPP, incluyendo la final de la Copa Cámara y el partido de desempate del Abierto Argentino"*, explicó Podestá, quien también fue elegido MVP (Mejor Jugador de la Final). *"Es generosa, incansable; puedo volver a ponerla en juego dos o tres veces sin problema. Es fácil de montar y siempre da lo mejor de sí"*.

Un conmovedor homenaje a una yegua excepcional, criada en el prestigioso stud La Irenita. Para entendidos: es hija de "Clarín" e "Irenita Nazarena", ambos, excelentes caballos de Polo.

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Un torneo sin igual

Este domingo en Gstaad hubo algo verdaderamente especial. Una especie de interludio mágico donde la noble dureza del Polo se fusionó con la dulzura del entorno alpino. Entre el público se encontraban antiguos capitanes de equipo que regresaban como espectadores y fieles asistentes, que se maravillaban una vez más con la belleza del recinto y el ambiente cálido y relajado que define el evento.



Los cuatro integrantes del equipo ganador, el Gstaad Palace, tras su triunfo. (Foto ©Justine Jacquemot/R&B Presse)

Este torneo es único. Y debe gran parte de su carácter al hombre que lo ha orquestado durante los últimos veinte años: Pierre E. Genecand, un anfitrión apasionado y exigente, leal a su equipo y a una filosofía de organización de eventos que combina la precisión suiza, el amor por el deporte y una hospitalidad cordial.

Gracias a él y a quienes lo acompañan, la Hublot Polo Gold Cup se ha convertido en una parada única en el circuito mundial de Polo: un torneo de primer nivel en un idílico entorno montañoso.

El año que viene, la edición 2026, del 20 al 23 de agosto.

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🏅 Mejor poni: "Doma Simoca", yegua torda de 9 años criada por La Irenita, montada por Martín Podestá Jr.

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🏅 Mejor jugador amateur del torneo: Juan Pepa, Kielder Agro Group

🏅 Máximo goleador del torneo: Martín Podestá Jr. – 10 goles

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Hublot Polo Gold Cup Gstaad 2025

From 21 to 24 August, the 28th edition of the Hublot Polo Gold Cup Gstaad once again transformed the Swiss Alps into the setting for one of the world's most prestigious polo tournaments.

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The **John Taylor, Artcurial** and **Dassault Aviation** groups had the pleasure of welcoming their clients to a unique setting, united by a shared passion for polo, exceptional properties and refined lifestyle.

Highlights of this year's event

The Hublot team shone in their new colours, petrol blue and mint green, inspired by the iconic Big Bang Unico 42 mm and Big Bang One Click 33 mm creations.

After some thrilling matches, the Gstaad Palace team emerged victorious, with Markus Graeff, Tommy Graeff, Francisco Fucci and Martín Podestá crowned champions.

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A big thank you to our clients and the Hublot Group for sharing these unforgettable moments.

See you in August 2026 for the 29th edition!

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AUGUST 25, 2025

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Gold Cup Gstaad 2025 – Final

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Gstaad, Sunday, 24 August 2025

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This tournament is unique. And it owes much of its character to the man who has orchestrated it for the past twenty years: Pierre E. Genecand, a passionate and demanding host, loyal to his team and to a certain philosophy of event organization, blending Swiss precision, a love of sport, and heartfelt hospitality.

Thanks to him and to those who stand by his side, the Hublot Polo Gold Cup has become a one-of-a-kind stop on the global polo circuit: a top-level tournament in an idyllic mountain setting.

See you next year, from 20 to 23 August 2026.

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Gstaad Palace reaches the summit

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TEAMS, SCORES & STATS

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🏅 **Top Scorer of the Tournament**: Martin Podestá Jr. - 10 goals

Referees: Charles Seavill and Oliver Ellis

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Gstaad Hosts 28th Hublot Polo Gold Cup

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The 28th edition of the Hublot Polo Gold Cup Gstaad took place this week, attracting international polo players and spectators to the Swiss Alpine town. The tournament, held in Gstaad, is regarded as one of the most prestigious polo events in the Alps.



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Four international teams, each comprising four players, competed in the tournament. Matches were played across three rounds with four chukkers of seven minutes each. Hublot, the event's official timekeeper since 2007, ensured precise match timing. Team Hublot drew attention this year with its petrol blue and mint green kit, inspired by the brand's recent Big Bang Unico 42 mm and Big Bang One Click 33 mm watches.



The Big Bang Unico 42 mm houses Hublot's MHUB1280 chronograph movement with a flyback function and column wheel. Developed entirely in-house and protected by five patents, the calibre reinterprets traditional watchmaking to improve performance and reliability. The Big Bang One Click 33 mm is distinguished by its smaller case and a bezel set with 36 diamonds, offering a feminine design. Both models are available in Petrol Blue and Mint Green ceramic.

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After three days of competition, the Gstaad Palace team emerged victorious. Markus Graeff, Tommy Graeff, Francisco Fucci and Martín Podestá were each awarded a Hublot watch engraved with "Hublot Polo Gold Cup Gstaad Winner."



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The event also featured Hublot brand ambassadors and guests including actors Cyril Metzger and Giuseppe Maggio, as well as entrepreneur Xenia Tchoumi. Attendees joined the traditional divot stomping between chukkers, helping repair the field by replacing clumps of turf displaced during play.



Julien Tornare, CEO of Hublot, highlighted the long-standing partnership between the brand and the tournament. "For 17 years, the partnership between Hublot and the Gstaad Polo has reflected common values that have fostered a deep and vibrant connection, driven by passion, friendship and trust. More than just a partnership, this relationship born of a shared vision has enabled the creation of experiences blending tradition and innovation, beyond sport and watchmaking. A true embodiment of the Art of Fusion, a notion shared by both this formidable event and the Hublot Manufacture," he said.

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HUBLOT POLO GOLD CUP GSTAAD 2025

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Die 28. Ausgabe des renommiertesten Poloturniers der Alpen fand unter der offiziellen Zeitmessung von Hublot statt. Die besten internationalen Reiter wetteiferten in Gstaad und und boten ein fesselndes Spektakel inmitten der atemberaubenden Schweizer Bergwelt.

Als der Prestige-Event des alpinen Sommers verwandelte der Hublot Polo Gold Cup Gstaad erneut den Flughafen Gstaad-Saanenland in eine aussergewöhnliche Bühne für den edlen Pferdesport. Auf 1.000 m ü. M., umgeben von den majestätischen Gipfeln der Berner Alpen, zieht dieser weltweit einzigartige Wettbewerb weiterhin die internationale Elite des Polo an, dem ältesten und exklusivsten aller Sportarten. Beim Hublot Polo Gold Cup Gstaad kämpften vier Teams aus renommierten internationalen Spielern. Diese Teams, die jeweils aus vier Mitgliedern bestehen, kämpften in dreiründigen Spielen um den Sieg, aufgeteilt in vier Chukker – siebenminütige Spielabschnitte, präzise von Hublot gestoppt, dem Partner des Turniers seit 2007.

Das Team Hublot sorgte dieses Jahr für Aufsehen mit einem Auftritt in beispiellosen Farben: Petrolblau und Mintgrün, Farbtöne, die direkt von den jüngsten Kreationen der Manufaktur inspiriert sind: der Big Bang Unico 42 mm und der Big Bang One Click 33 mm, beide erhältlich in neuen, exklusiven polierten Keramiken, die den Innovationsgeist und die Kunst der Fusion, die Hublot auszeichnen, perfekt widerspiegeln.

Die Big Bang Unico 42 mm beherbergt das Manufaktur-Chronographenwerk MHUB1280 im Herzen ihres 42- mm-Gehäuses, dem legendären Unico-Kaliber, das mit einem Flyback-Chronographen mit Säulenrad ausgestattet ist. Als erstes mechanisches Uhrwerk, das von Hublot selbst entwickelt wurde und Gegenstand von nicht weniger als 5 Patenten ist, hat das Unico-Kaliber die Zeitmessung dank eines innovativen Ansatzes revolutioniert, der die traditionelle Uhrmacherarchitektur grundlegend überdenkt – eine technische Meisterleistung, die Leistung, Präzision und Zuverlässigkeit garantiert. Die Big Bang One Click 33 mm hingegen verkörpert feminine Eleganz dank ihres 33-mm-Gehäuses und der mit 36 Diamanten besetzten Lünette. Beide Modelle sind in Petrol Blue oder Mint Green erhältlich.

Letztendlich war es das Team Gstaad Palace, das sich durchsetzte! Die tapferen Spieler des Siegerteams, Markus Graeff, Tommy Graeff, Francisco Fucci und Martin Podestá wurden jeweils mit einer Hublot-Uhr mit der Gravur „Hublot Polo Gold Cup Gstaad Winner" ausgezeichnet.

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Hublot Markenbotschafter und Friends of the Brand waren anwesend, darunter die Schauspieler Cyril Metzger und Giuseppe Maggio sowie die Unternehmerin Xenia Tchoumi, die sich den Zuschauern anschlossen, um an dem traditionellen „Divot Stomping" auf dem Feld zwischen den einzelnen Chukker teilzunehmen. Dabei reparieren Zuschauer jeden Alters die von den Hufen der Pferde hinterlassenen Spuren auf dem Spielfeld, indem sie die herausgerissenen Erdklumpen wieder einsetzen.

„Seit 17 Jahren spiegelt die Partnerschaft zwischen Hublot und dem Gstaad Polo gemeinsame Werte wider, die eine tiefe und lebendige Verbindung gefördert haben, angetrieben von Leidenschaft, Freundschaft und Vertrauen. Mehr als nur eine Partnerschaft hat diese auf einer gemeinsamen Vision basierende Beziehung die Schaffung von Erlebnissen ermöglicht, die Tradition und Innovation verbinden, jenseits von Sport und Uhrmacherkunst. Eine wahre Verkörperung der Kunst der Fusion, eine Philosophie, die sowohl dieses beeindruckende Event als auch die Hublot-Manufaktur teilen", so Julien Tornare, CEO von Hublot.







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Die Poloponys bringen es bis auf 60 Stundenkilometer. FOTO: KATHRIN GRALLA

Im Polospiel vereinigen sich Technik, Taktik, Tempo und Teamgeist. Aber auch die Fairness und das Wohl der Pferde werden grossgeschrieben. Der Hublot Polo Gold Cup Gstaad – das «königliche» Spiel, wie es in den Glanzprospekten auch genannt wird – ...



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Hublot Polo Gold Cup: espectáculo en las alturas de Gstaad

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En los Alpes suizos, el polo no es un deporte, es ritual de verano. A mil metros sobre el nivel del mar, entre los picos del Oberland bernés, la cancha de Gstaad se convierte en un escenario donde tradición, competencia y relojería convergen.



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La 28ª edición de la Hublot Polo Gold Cup confirmó una vez más su lugar como el torneo más prestigioso del circuito alpino. Durante cuatro días, jinetes internacionales se enfrentaron en partidos marcados por la intensidad y la gracia, donde cada *chukker*, siete minutos cronometrados con precisión, resonaba tanto con el galope de los caballos como con la exactitud de la relojería suiza.

Este año, el Team Hublot atrajo miradas incluso antes del primer golpe de taco. Sus camisetas, en azul petróleo y verde menta, reflejaban los tonos de dos de las más recientes creaciones de la Manufactura: el **Big Bang Unico 42 mm** y el **Big Bang One Click 33 mm**, piezas que encarnan el celebrado *Art of Fusion* de la marca. En la muñeca, innovación; en el campo, determinación.



Ganadores de la Hublot Polo Gold Cup Gstaad

La competencia culminó con el triunfo del equipo Gstaad Palace, cuyos jugadores Markus Graeff, Tommy Graeff, Francisco Fucci y Martín Podestá levantaron el trofeo antes de recibir un reloj Hublot grabado con la leyenda *Hublot Polo Gold Cup Gstaad Winner*. Una fusión simbólica de victoria y artesanía.

Alrededor de la cancha, la atmósfera se extendía más allá del juego. Embajadores, actores y emprendedores se unieron al público en el tradicional *divot stomping*, ese interludio festivo en el que los espectadores pisan el césped para reparar las huellas de los caballos. Entre copas de champaña y aire de montaña, el polo volvió a mostrar su capacidad de convertir el deporte en sociedad, y la competencia en espectáculo.

Para Hublot, socio oficial desde 2007, la Polo Gold Cup es un encuentro de valores compartidos: tradición e innovación, rendimiento y elegancia, precisión y espectáculo.

En Gstaad, donde las montañas se alzan como catedrales naturales, el polo encuentra su propia solemnidad. Y con ella, la certeza de que ciertos rituales, ya sea el tic medido de un cronógrafo o el galope de un caballo, permanecen atemporales.

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Hublot Polo Gold Cup Gstaad 2025



On August 24, 2025, Gstaad once again became the glamorous epicenter of the Alpine summer as the 28th **Hublot Polo Gold Cup** unfolded against the breathtaking backdrop of the Bernese Alps. Under the official timekeeping of Hublot, four international teams competed in this prestigious tournament, delivering world-class polo in an unforgettable mountain setting.

The event transformed Gstaad-Saanenland Airport into a spectacular stage at 1,000 meters above sea level, attracting the global elite of equestrian sport. Team Hublot captivated the crowd with its striking petrol blue and mint green hues, inspired by Hublot's latest creations: the Big Bang Unico 42 mm – a technical masterpiece of precision and innovation – and the Big Bang One Click 33 mm, embodying feminine elegance with a diamond-set bezel.

After thrilling matches, the Gstaad Palace team emerged victorious, with Markus Graeff, Tommy Graeff, Francisco Fucci, and Martin Podestá each receiving an exclusive Hublot timepiece engraved *Hublot Polo Gold Cup Gstaad Winner*.

Beyond the sport, the event radiated sophistication: guests including actors Cyril Metzger, Giuseppe Maggio, and entrepreneur Xenia Tchoumi joined spectators in the traditional divot stomping, while enjoying the warm camaraderie of this iconic tournament.

"For 17 years, the partnership between Hublot and the Gstaad Polo has reflected shared values of passion, friendship, and innovation," said Julien Tornare, CEO of Hublot. "It's a true embodiment of the *Art of Fusion* – uniting tradition and modernity in a unique experience."

With its mix of high-level sport, luxury, and alpine charm, the Hublot Polo Gold Cup Gstaad remains one of Switzerland's most distinguished summer highlights.

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Gstaad Palace vincono la 27ª Hublot Polo Gold Cup



Gstaad, 26 agosto 2025 – Nello scenario incantato delle Alpi svizzere si è conclusa la 27ª edizione della **Hublot Polo Gold Cup**, che ha incoronato **Gstaad Palace** al termine di una finale intensa e spettacolare.

Il capitano **Markus Graeff**, 73 anni, ha guidato la sua squadra con orgoglio e passione:

> "Sono il giocatore più anziano in campo, con almeno vent'anni di differenza dagli altri, ma sono felice di aver dato il mio contributo. Polo è uno sport di squadra e ognuno di noi ha fatto la sua parte. Tornare a giocare qui a Gstaad è sempre un onore."

Al suo fianco, il figlio **Thommy Graeff**, autore di due gol, ha entusiasmato il pubblico con un colpo spettacolare, mentre l'argentino **Martin "Min" Podestá** si è confermato protagonista assoluto, siglando quattro reti e ricevendo il doppio riconoscimento di **MVP** e **miglior marcatore del torneo** (10 gol).

Accanto a lui, anche **Francisco Fucci** ha lasciato il segno in una finale che ha visto **Gstaad Palace** imporsi su **Albinati Aeronautics** con il punteggio di **7–4** (parziali: 1-0 / 3-1 / 6-3 / 7-4).

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Doma Simoca, regina della finale

Come sempre, i veri protagonisti restano i cavalli. Tra i sei portati da Podestá, a brillare è stata **Doma Simoca**, giumenta grigia di nove anni dell'allevamento La Irenita, premiata come **Best Playing Pony della finale**.

> "È una cavalla generosa e inesauribile – spiega Podestá – posso riportarla in campo più volte senza problemi e dà sempre il massimo. Ha già vinto diversi titoli di miglior cavallo, e se lo merita."

La magia di Gstaad

La giornata ha avuto un sapore unico: il rigore e la grinta del polo si sono fusi con l'atmosfera rilassata e suggestiva dell'alta montagna. Merito anche di **Pierre E. Genecand**, che da vent'anni guida l'organizzazione con quella miscela di precisione svizzera, amore per lo sport e ospitalità che ha reso la Hublot Polo Gold Cup un appuntamento imperdibile del circuito internazionale.

L'edizione 2025 si chiude dunque con un successo che porta sul podio due svizzeri – **Markus e Thommy Graeff** – e due argentini – **Podestá e Fucci**.

L'appuntamento è già fissato: **dal 20 al 23 agosto 2026**, il polo tornerà a dominare le vette di Gstaad.

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BPP (miglior cavallo della finale): *Doma Simoca*, giumenta grigia di nove anni dell'allevamento *La Irenita*, montata da **Martin Podestá Jr.**
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Miglior giocatore amatoriale del torneo: **Juan Pepa**, Kielder Agro Group
Miglior marcatore del torneo: **Martin Podestá Jr.**, 10 goal
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Gstaad Palace was crowned champion of the Hublot Polo Gold Cup Gstaad 2025

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In addition to the champion's award, there were other recognitions. The figure of the day was **Martín "Min" Podestá**, who was elected **MVP** and also finished as the tournament's top scorer with 10 goals. **BPP** He was also welcomed by him, with his mare "Doma Simona".



Third place went to **Kielder Agro Group**, lead by **Nicolás Pieres**, who won 8-7 against the team **Hublot**.

The Hublot Polo Gold Cup Gstaad once again presented itself as one of the most prestigious international tournaments, combining polo and glamour in the incredible setting of the Swiss Alps.

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Equipment

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"More and more people come to Gstaad to enjoy polo every year"

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PIERRE GENECAND WITH POLOLINE

Although the opening day of the 27th. edition of the Hublot Polo Gold Cup Gstaad was not played, due to heavy rainfalls, the tournament was a total success. In the following days, the weather improved and allowed people to enjoy the traditional teams parade on the lovely streets of the fairy tale Swiss city, sorrounded by the stunning entourage of the Swiss Alps, as well as polo during the weekend – **the semifinals and finals, on Saturday August 23 and Sunday August 24, respectively.**

As usual, the spectators had a delightful time in the lavish VIP tents while they were able to watch and appreciate all the action on the grounds, and the skills delivered by renowned players like Min Podestá, Nico Pieres, Adrián Laplacette o Bautista Bello, among others.

Pierre Genecand, the President of the Gstaad Polo Club, a position he's hold for twenty years now, met up with PoloLine after the finals, to speak about his daily challenges and what's expected for the future.

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LUXURY WANDERINGS TEAM
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Some events are made for the sport. Others are made for the spectacle. The Hublot Polo Gold Cup Gstaad is both; a thrilling display of equestrian skill and a long weekend where the Alps feel like the centre of the social universe.

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The Prestige of the Event

Launched in the mid-1990s, the Hublot Polo Gold Cup has become one of the most anticipated fixtures on the polo calendar. Only four elite teams compete, which makes every match feel like a final. The association with Hublot is more than sponsorship – it's a meeting of two worlds obsessed with precision, performance, and flair.

On the field, there's the thrill of watching 1,000-pound horses gallop at full tilt while riders flick the ball with impossible accuracy. Off the field, Hublot takes the opportunity to showcase exclusive timepieces, sometimes unveiling special editions inspired by Gstaad's alpine setting.

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Gstaad – An Alpine Stage for Luxury



Gstaad is a place where the phrase "picture-perfect" doesn't do it justice. In summer, the snow gives way to emerald pastures dotted with chalets, while boutique storefronts sparkle with the latest from Cartier, Louis Vuitton, and of course, Hublot.

The polo grounds are a short drive from the village centre, and for those arriving in style, helicopter transfers land just beyond the field. Between chukkas, you might wander past a watchmaking demonstration, a fine art display, or a discreet jewellery showcase – all designed for guests who expect luxury to be woven seamlessly into the experience.

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The Polo Experience



The alpine pitch is smaller than most, which means the action is intense and constant. You feel every gallop, every tackle, every goal – all within arm's reach of the sidelines.

For those in the VIP terraces, the experience is as much about comfort as it is about the view: shaded seating with soft linens, attentive staff topping up glasses, and a menu that reads more like a fine dining restaurant than a sports event.

One of the weekend's signature moments is the ceremonial parade of players in full regalia, which takes place before key matches, adding a flourish of tradition and pageantry to the competition.

Style and Fashion

If Wimbledon is the benchmark for summer elegance in sport, Gstaad's polo weekend is its alpine cousin. Grandstand guests often opt for easy sophistication – crisp white dresses, linen shirts, and espadrilles – while VIP terraces call for something a touch more polished: silk dresses in jewel tones, tailored blazers, and wide-brimmed hats that make a statement without shouting.

There's no official dress code, but here, style is a given. Expect to see Hublot ambassadors in bespoke tailoring, international socialites in head-to-toe designer, and more than a few street-style-worthy looks that blend sport and sophistication.

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Culinary Excellence and Hospitality



This is where the Gold Cup truly shines. VIP hospitality often starts with champagne receptions by Laurent-Perrier or Ruinart, followed by multi-course menus crafted by Michelin-starred chefs. Think hand-dived scallops with alpine herbs, truffle-infused risottos, and desserts that are as much art as indulgence.

Wines are curated by expert sommeliers, and every table has a dedicated service team. For those who linger after the matches, there are evening soirées in the village – intimate dinners at The Alpina Gstaad's Sommet restaurant or lively gatherings at the Gstaad Palace's GreenGo nightclub, where the atmosphere shifts from refined to electric.

Travel and Accommodation

Most guests extend their stay beyond the tournament, turning the trip into a summer alpine escape. The Alpina Gstaad is a sanctuary for those who prefer discreet luxury – suites with private terraces overlooking the valley, an award-winning Six Senses Spa, and curated cultural experiences.

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Insider Tips



Book your accommodation and VIP passes months in advance – the demand is high, and the best spots go fast. If you want to see the sport up close, request a seat at the front of the VIP terrace.

For the most photogenic moments, don't miss the parade of teams on Friday, or the split-second after a goal when both horse and rider seem suspended in time.

And if you're looking to extend your trip, combine the polo with a few days in nearby Montreux or even further in Zermatt for a full sweep of Swiss summer charm.

A Celebration of Sport and Style

The Hublot Polo Gold Cup is not just about polo – it's about living beautifully. It's about mornings that start with mountain air and cappuccinos on a terrace, afternoons where sport and style collide in perfect harmony, and evenings spent over champagne in the company of friends, old and new. In Gstaad, the polo is the reason to come, but it's the experience that keeps people returning year after year.

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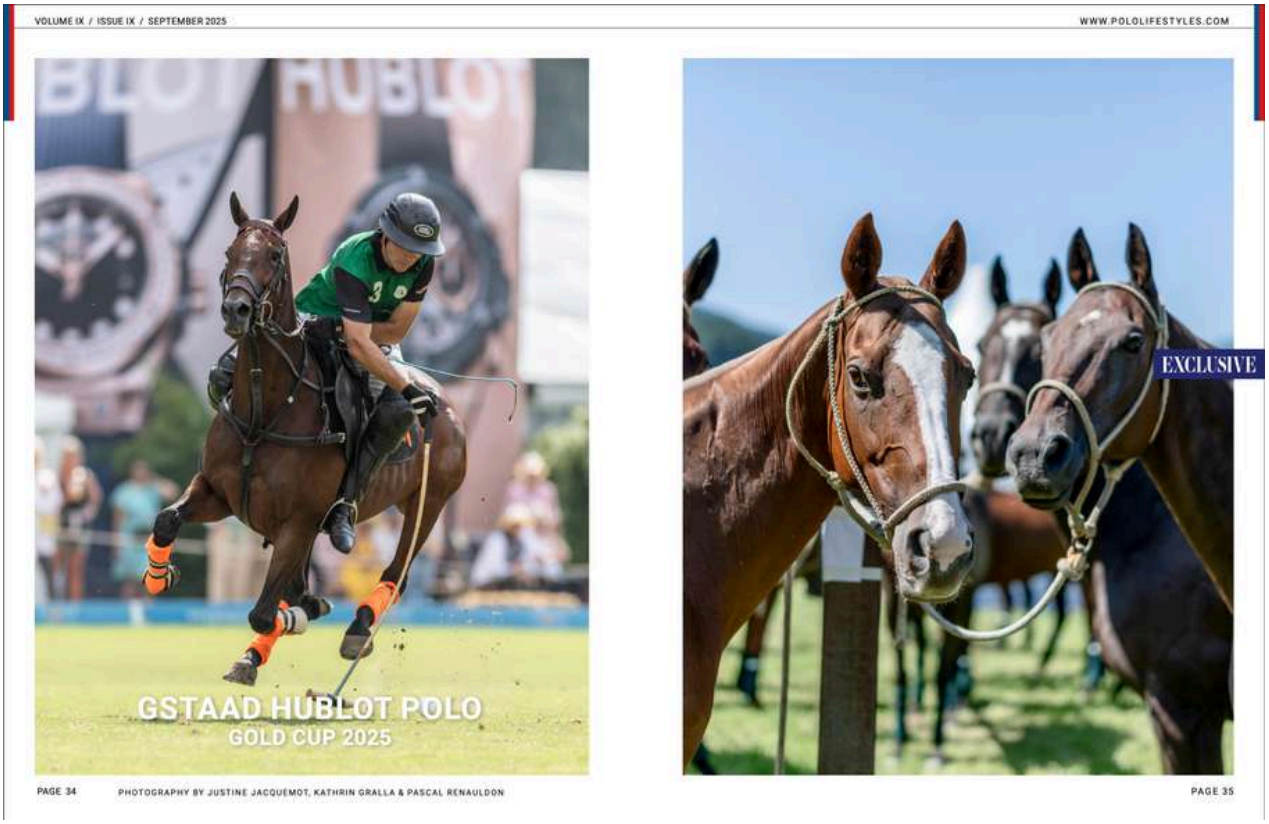
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Hublot is Official Timekeeper for Polo Gold Cup Gstaad

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The 28th edition of the prestigious polo tournament in the Alps was held under the official timekeeping of Hublot

A flagship event of the Alpine summer, the Hublot Polo Gold Cup Gstaad once again transformed Gstaad-Saanenland Airport into an exceptional stage for the noblest of equestrian sports. The tournament saw four teams of renowned international players compete. These teams, composed of four members each, battled for victory in three-round matches, divided into four chukkers – seven-minute quarters precisely timed by Hublot, partner of the event since 2007.

Team Hublot caused a sensation, sporting unprecedented colours: petrol blue and mint green, hues directly inspired by the Manufacture's recent creations: the Big Bang Unico 42 mm and the Big Bang One Click 33 mm, both available in new exclusive polished ceramics that reflect the spirit of innovation and the Art of Fusion dear to Hublot.

Players of the winning Gstaad Palace team, Markus Graeff, Tommy Graeff, Francisco Fucci, and Martin Podestá were each awarded a Hublot watch bearing the engraving "Hublot Polo Gold Cup Gstaad Winner."











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Team Gstaad Palace Triumphs at the Hublot Polo Gold Cup Gstaad

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Last weekend, the Hublot Polo Gold Cup once again brought high drama and sporting elegance to the Saanen airfield. In the final, Team Gstaad ...

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The Hublot Polo Gold Cup Gstaad: Tradition, Excellence, and Alpine Prestige

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Each summer, the Swiss Alps provide the stage for one of the world's most captivating polo tournaments: the Hublot Polo Gold Cup Gstaad. Now in its 28th edition, the event has become synonymous with elegance, tradition, and sporting excellence, attracting international players, leading brands, and a discerning global audience.

Polo at Its Summit

Set against the panoramic peaks of the Saanenland, the tournament stands out thanks to its alpine surroundings. Played on one of the highest-altitude fields in Europe, it demands both power and finesse. This year's final crowned Team Gstaad Palace, led by captain Markus Graeff and his son Thommy, alongside Argentinian stars Martin "Min" Podestá Jr. and Francisco Fucci, who secured a 7–4 victory over Team Albinati Aeronautics.

Podestá, awarded Most Valuable Player, embodied the spirit of the sport with both his play and his mare, Doma Simoca, recognized as Best Playing Pony. For spectators, it was a masterclass in polo's rare combination of athletic intensity and refined elegance. The subsidiary final highlighted another great talent: Nicolás Pieres, making his Gstaad debut and leaving fans hopeful for his return in 2026.

Partners in Prestige

The Polo Gold Cup is defined not only by its players but also by the partners who ensure its excellence. Hublot, the title sponsor, epitomizes innovation fused with tradition, values that mirror polo itself. Gstaad Palace, both a team and a legendary host, once again played a central role, underlining the event's intimate ties to the region's heritage.

Alongside them, Kielder Agro Group and Albinati Aeronautics brought international prestige, while an impressive array of co-sponsors elevated the tournament further: Aston Martin Lagonda Ltd, bj office & coffee, Dassault Aviation, Fourteen, Official Champagne Laurent-Perrier, and the enduring support of the Polo Club Gstaad.

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The 2025 edition also carried a deeper resonance with the presence of Make-A-Wish Foundation of Switzerland and Liechtenstein, connecting with guests and sharing its vital mission of granting wishes for children facing critical illnesses, giving them strength, courage, hope and moments of happiness with their family. It was a reminder that the spirit of polo in Gstaad extends beyond sport into meaningful acts of generosity.

Gstaad: An Alpine World of Luxury and Discovery

The Polo Gold Cup may be the jewel of August, but the region itself offers an equally glittering experience for visitors. The Gstaad Palace, perched high above the village, remains the grande dame of Swiss hospitality, an icon of glamour where heritage meets contemporary luxury. For those seeking intimate sophistication, Alpina Gstaad offers a modern take on alpine design with Michelin-starred dining and discreet spa experiences.

Culinary pleasures abound: Restaurant Chesery, with its emphasis on regional produce and refined classics, is a must, while Sommet at The Alpina, awarded with a Michelin star, presents haute cuisine with an alpine flair. For something more casual yet atmospheric, Bergrestaurant Wasserngrat rewards diners with panoramic views accessible via chairlift, a reminder that in Gstaad, even lunch can be an adventure.

Beyond fine dining, the village reveals delightful quirks: Charly's Tea Room, beloved for its pastries and hot chocolate, retains the charm of old-world Switzerland. Boutique hunters will enjoy discovering luxury brands alongside family-run ateliers where traditional crafts are still cherished. And for those who enjoy cultural immersion, the Gstaad Menuhin Festival each summer fills the valley with music, blending classical brilliance with alpine serenity.

Importantly, the Polo Gold Cup itself mirrors this sense of balance, offering dedicated areas for children and families. While the adults enjoy world-class sport and après-polo hospitality, younger visitors discover the joy of horses, see the helicopters and jets at the Saanen, experiencing the spirit of play, and a lesson of teamwork and resilience. Gstaad, in this sense, is not only a destination for indulgence but also for inspiration across age groups.

A Legacy of Distinction

The continued success of the Hublot Polo Gold Cup reflects the vision of Pierre E. Genecand, whose stewardship has made the tournament one of the most admired stops on the global polo calendar. With Swiss precision, a dedication to sporting excellence, and an emphasis on hospitality, he has created a tournament that stands apart not only for the level of play but also for its distinctive character.

As the 2025 edition concluded, guests departed with memories of thrilling competition and alpine refinement. Yet the event's spirit also looks forward. With its dedicated children's area and family-friendly programming, the Polo Gold Cup ensures that the values of teamwork, respect, and fair play are passed on to the next generation.

The next chapter is already in motion: from 20 to 23 August 2026, polo will return to the Alps, reaffirming Gstaad's place as one of the most prestigious luxury sporting destinations in the world, an experience to be shared by all ages.

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В живописных Альпах в 28-й раз состоялся самый престижный поло-турнир региона — Hublot Polo Gold Cup Gstaad. Лучшие наездники со всего мира сразились на высоте нескольких тысяч метров над уровнем моря, подарив зрителям завораживающее зрелище на фоне величественных вершин Альп.

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Это событие по праву считается жемчужиной альпийского лета: на несколько дней аэропорт Гштаад-Заненланд вновь превратился в уникальную арену для одного из самых аристократичных и зрелищных видов спорта. Турнир продолжает привлекать мировую элиту поло, сохраняя статус неповторимого соревнования, сочетающего традиции, динамику и атмосферу высочайшего класса.

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Ксения Чуми

В этом году в борьбу вступили четыре команды международного уровня, каждая из которых состояла из четырех игроков. Матчи проходили в три раунда, разделённые на четыре чаккера — семиминутные периоды, строго фиксируемые Hublot, партнёром турнира с 2007 года.

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Особое внимание публики привлекла команда Hublot, представшая в неожиданной цветовой гамме — синей и мятно-зелёной. Эти оттенки напрямую вдохновлены последними творениями мануфактуры: Big Bang Unico 42 mm и Big Bang One Click 33 mm. Модели выполнены из новой полированной керамики эксклюзивных цветов и воплощают философию бренда — Art of Fusion.

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Флагманская модель Big Bang Unico 42 mm оснащена мануфактурным хронографическим калибром MHUB1280 с функцией flyback и колонным колесом. Это первый полностью разработанный внутри компании механизм, защищённый пятью патентами, который переосмыслил традиционную архитектуру часового производства, обеспечив непревзойдённые точность и надёжность. А изящная модель Big Bang One Click 33 mm — воплощение женственной элегантности: корпус диаметром 33 мм и безель, украшенный 36 бриллиантами, доступна в тех же изысканных оттенках — Petrol Blue и Mint Green.

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Сирил Мецгер

Тем не менее, победу в турнире одержала команда Gstaad Palace. Маркус Грефф, Томми Грефф, Франсиско Фуччи и Мартин Подеста — игроки триумфальной четвёрки — получили в награду часы Hublot с эксклюзивной гравировкой «Hublot Polo Gold Cup Gstaad Winner».

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Команда Gstaad Palace

Среди гостей мероприятия были амбассадоры и друзья бренда — актёры Сирил Мецгер и Джузеппе Маджо, предпринимательница Ксения Чуми. Они вместе со зрителями приняли участие в традиционной церемонии «divot stomping», когда между чаккерами зрители и дети выходят на поле, чтобы поправить выбитую копытами дернину.

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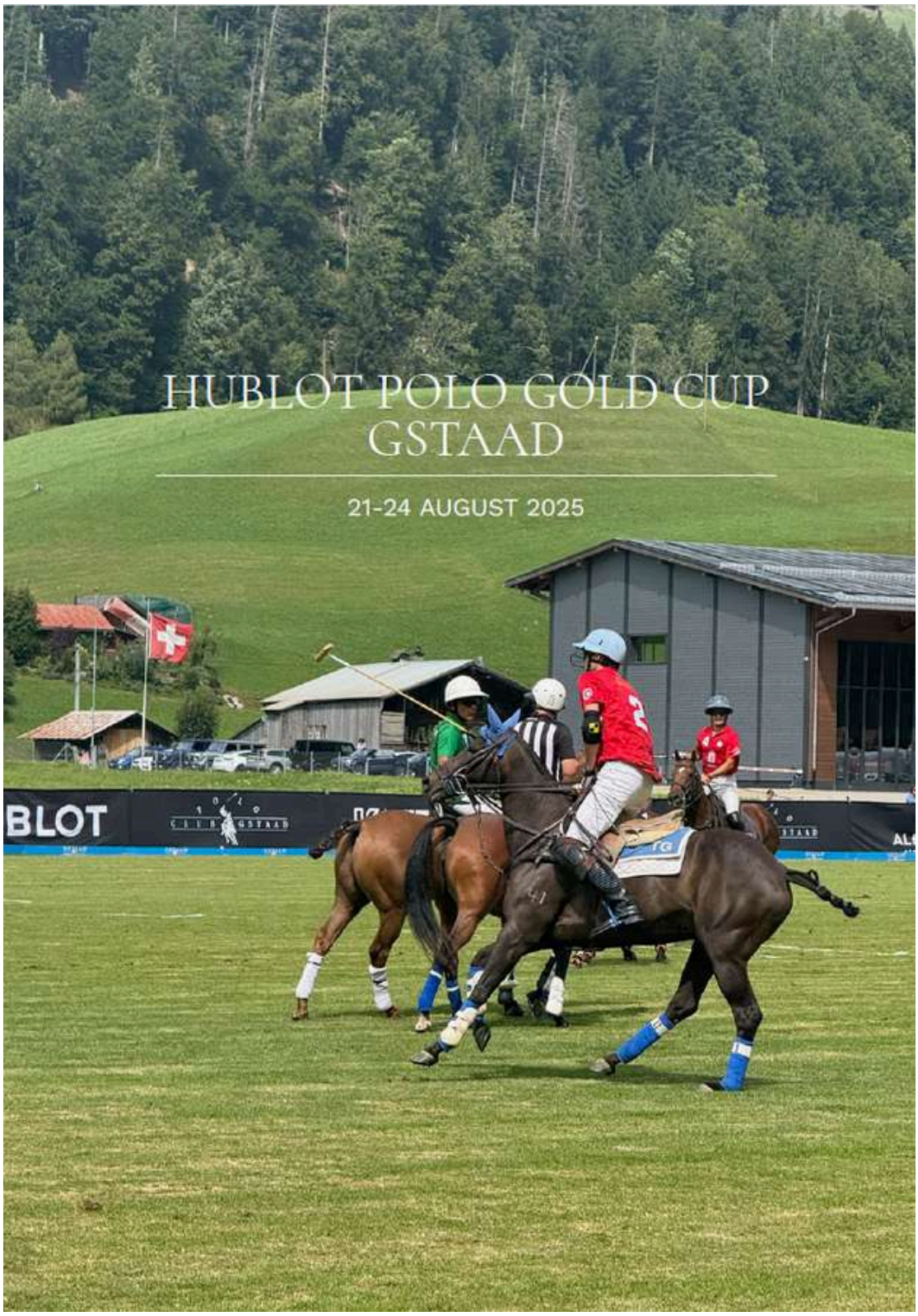
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«На протяжении 17 лет партнёрство между Hublot и Gstaad Polo отражает общие ценности — страсть, дружбу и доверие. Это больше, чем союз: это живая связь, рождённая единой философией. Благодаря ей мы создаём уникальный опыт, объединяющий традиции и инновации, спорт и часовое искусство. Истинное воплощение Art of Fusion — в этом событии и в нашей мануфактуре», — отметил Жюльен Торнар, CEO Hublot.

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TEAM ALBINATI AERONAUTICS



Polo als Sport und Statement

Unser Redaktionsteam war in diesem Jahr beim Hublot Polo Gold Cup in Gstaad zu Gast, einem der renommiertesten Poloturniere der Schweiz. Die Veranstaltung bringt sportliche Spitzenleistung und hochwertigen Lifestyle auf besondere Weise zusammen.

Neben den spannenden Matches bot das Event auch ein Umfeld, in dem sich zahlreiche Luxusmarken präsentierten. Zu sehen waren unter anderem exklusive Uhren von Hublot, besondere Fahrzeugmodelle, etwa von Aston Martin, sowie Unternehmen aus dem Privatjet-Bereich und regionale Künstler nutzten die Gelegenheit, sich dem Publikum zu zeigen.

Das Turnier war nicht nur sportlich ein Highlight, sondern auch ein Treffpunkt für Marken, Partner und Gäste aus verschiedenen Branchen. Die Stimmung war entspannt, das Umfeld elegant und viele Luxus-Unternehmen nutzten die Veranstaltung, um sich gezielt zu positionieren – sei es als Sponsor eines Teams oder durch einen Stand im kleinen Village.

Wir freuen uns, bei diesem besonderen Event dabei gewesen zu sein und tiefere Einblicke zu geben.

Gstaad Palace sichert sich den Sieg

Das Finale des diesjährigen Turniers entschied das Team Gstaad Palace für sich. Mit einer konzentrierten und geschlossenen Teamleistung setzten sich Markus Graeff, Thommy Graeff, Martin Podestá Jr. und Francisco Fucci gegen Albinati Aeronautics durch. Der Endstand lautete 7 zu 4.

Matchwinner war Martin Podestá Jr., der nicht nur zum besten Spieler des Finales gewählt wurde, sondern auch die meisten Tore im Turnier erzielte. Seine Stute Doma Simoca wurde als bestes Pferd ausgezeichnet.

Im Spiel um Platz drei traf das Team Kielder Agro Group auf das Team Hublot. In einer spannenden Begegnung setzte sich Kielder knapp mit 8 zu 7 durch. Nicolás Pieres zeigte dabei eine starke Leistung und steuerte vier Tore zum Sieg bei.

Auch abseits des Spielfelds war das Turnier ein voller Erfolg. Die Kombination aus Spitzensport, eleganter Kulisse und gezielter Markenpräsenz macht den Hublot Polo Gold Cup zu einem festen Termin im Kalender – nicht nur für Polo-Fans.



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Did you know?

Mehr Pferde als Spieler: Ein professioneller Polospieler braucht oft 6 bis 8 Pferde pro Match, weil die Tiere nach jedem Chukka (Spielabschnitt) gewechselt werden.

Tradition & Lifestyle: Beim „Divot Stomping" treten Zuschauer in der Pause die Grasbüschel wieder fest – oft begleitet von einem Glas Champagner.



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Swiss patron Markus Graff of the Gstaad Palace Polo Team battles for ball possession with Argentine pole star Nico Pieres of Kiekler Agro Group. "I'm very proud of what we achieved; coming to Gstaad is wonderful, and if I'm invited next year, I would, of course, be delighted to return," said Markus Graff.



A cheerful Markus greets the cameras of Polo International Magazine.



Father and son shake hands with big smiles after winning together in their homeland, Switzerland, in the beautiful city of Gstaad—a victory they had always dreamed of achieving together.

Below. Francisco Fucci, Martin Podestá, Thommy Graff and Markus Graff pose proudly with their Hublot watches alongside Pierre Genecand, President of the Gstaad Polo Club.

POLO IN GSTAAD

Gstaad Palace Polo Team Raised The Hublot Gold Cup

Nestled in the Swiss Alps, the 28th edition of the Hublot Polo Gold Cup came to an end with a nail-biting game between the Gstaad Palace Polo Team and the Albinati Aeronautics Polo Team. The red team, captained by Markus Graff, raised the cup by defeating Albinati Aeronautics 7-4.

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Albinati Aeronautics receiving their trophy: Luca Meier, Patricio Gaynor jr., Santiago Cemadas, and Fabián Balanteria. They stand on the podium with Frederic Panza, from Laurent Perrier, and Andrea Scherz, proprietor and general manager of Gstaad Palace.



A vibrant crowd packed the area in front of the Hublot TV and speaker tower, eagerly watching the Sunday final.



Fabián "Pato" Balanteria, polo manager who plays year-round with the Meier brothers, competes against Anton Grabosch.

"This was my first time in Gstaad, and I hope it won't be my last!" said Argentine star Nico Pieres after the match. "It's just fabulous here. So beautiful…"

For nearly three decades, the Hublot Polo Gold Cup has transformed the bustling Gstaad-Saanen airport into a highlight of the summer season. In this event, planes give way to horses as some of the world's finest players display their prowess in a picturesque alpine setting that blends elegance with sporting passion. "Some events weren't—or aren't—organized the way I believe they should be," explained Pierre E. Genecand, who has directed the tournament for twenty years. "That's why I decided to do things my own way here in Gstaad, with a loyal team and a distinctly Swiss spirit that I have no intention of exporting."

For its 28th edition, the tournament saw each of the four teams strengthened by a top Argentine talent, raising expectations for outstanding competition. "The highlight of this 2025 edition is the presence of a very high caliber of Argentine professionals across all teams, and that's really the heart of the show," commented Genecand, who is also the long-time President of the Gstaad Polo Club.

The first semifinal of the Hublot Polo Gold Cup, between Gstaad Palace (featuring Markus Graff, Thommy Graff, Francisco Fucci and Martín Podestá) and Kiekler Agro Group (featuring Juan Pepa, Bautista Bello, Antonio Manzano and Nicolás Pieres), was a win for the red-shirted team, captained by Swiss Markus Graff. The other semifinal was a clash between Albinati Aeronautics (featuring Luca Meier, Patricio Gaynor Jr., Santiago Cemadas and Fabián Bolanteiro) and Hublot (featuring Jürgen Schroeder, Adrián Laplacette, Juan Esteban Uribe and Anton Grabosch). This second match was a victory for Albinati Aeronautics and was also led by a Swiss player, Luca Meier. In a sunny and exciting finale, set against the Swiss Alps, Gstaad Palace emerged victorious, securing the prestigious title. Markus Graff triumphed alongside his son and the professionals Martín Podestá—who has spent most of his career in Switzerland—and Francisco Fucci. The Graffs received brilliant passes, and Thommy had a remarkable afternoon, scoring decisive goals that paved the way to a comfortable victory. After the match, Markus Graff commented: "It's such a pleasure to play here. I'm the oldest player on the field at 73, and as far as I know,-

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Happily passing together, Nico Pierres and Juan Pepa represent Kielder Agro Group Polo Team.

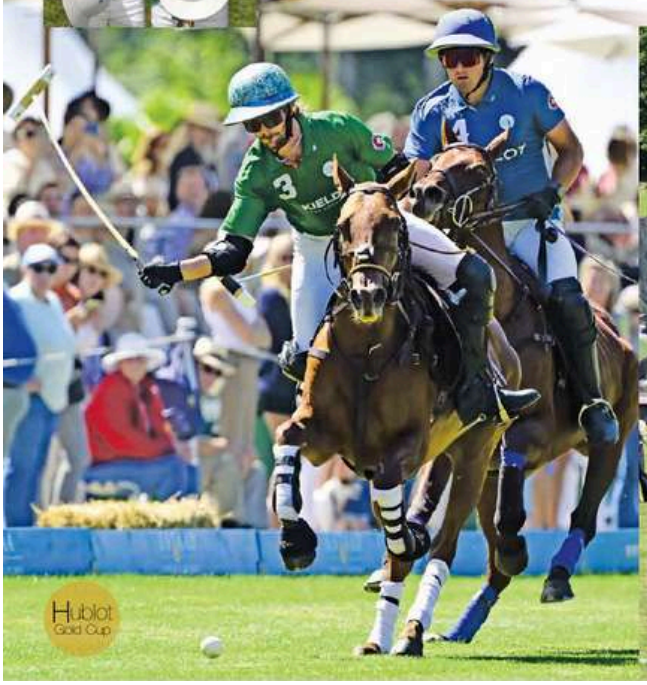
Wearing Kielder Agro's iconic green shirt, Bautí Bello is closely marked by Juan Esteban Uribe.

The classic Street Parade took place in the enchanting streets of Gstaad, a place that combines glamour and cozy charm with fun. A chalet village lined with boutiques and cafés invites visitors to stroll, shop, and soak in the alpine spirit.

» the next oldest is 20 years younger and most of them are between 20 and 30! I'm thrilled I could contribute… a little. I put this team together, and I'm proud of what we achieved. Playing here in Gstaad is wonderful. Each of my teammates played their part. I had my role to play, and I think I did it well. Like football, polo is a team sport. If I'm invited again next year, I'd be delighted to return."

The success of the tournament goes far beyond the sport itself. An exhibition village, food stands, and family-friendly activities set a tone that was both chic and relaxed. And as always, one of the weekend's most vibrant moments was the Street Parade, with the teams riding through Gstaad's enchanting streets on horseback, accompanied by a lively band that infused the parade with joy and vitality. Another standout of the weekend was the Gala Night, where around 500 guests enjoyed an evening of gourmet dining, excellent company, and a warm atmosphere of camaraderie.

For more than twenty years, Pierre E. Genecand has defined its character with Swiss precision, sporting passion, and warm hospitality. Thanks to his vision and a dedicated team, the Hublot Polo Gold Cup has become a unique and world-class event in an alpine setting that no one wants to miss.





Being at an airport, the helicopters were already part of the tournament's backdrop.



Luxury defined the atmosphere of the event. Kielder Agro's team poses with an Aston Martin, one of the tournament's prestigious sponsors.





In a fiercely contested match, Thommy Graff takes the reins, Patricio Gayoso Jr. Thommy plays a lot of polo in Argentina.

TEAMS

Hublot	Kielder Agro Group	Gstaad Palace	Albonati Aeronautics
Jürgen Schroeder	Juan Pepa	Markus Graff	Luca Meier
Adrián Laplacette	Bautista Bello	Thommy Graff	Patricio Gayoot Jr.
Juan Esteban Uribe	Antonio Mannino	Francisco Fucci	Santiago Cernadas
Anton Grabosch	Nicolás Pierres	Martín Podestá	Fabián Bolanterio

With the classic format of four teams, the tournament marked its 28th edition by welcoming top Argentine players into every lineup, promising a level of competition worthy of the occasion.

Nestled on the Swiss Alps, the Polo Village and VIP tent, all part of the tournament, were excellently organized.



As it couldn't be otherwise, a stand with exquisite Swiss chocolate was set up among the tents.



A proud Werner Meier embraces his son Luca.



Sporting their blue shirts, the Hublot Polo Team: Jürgen Schroeder, Anton Grabosch, Adrián Laplacette Jr., and Juan Esteban Uribe.

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Renowned polo player Nico Pieres in action.

In addition to thrilling matches, guests and spectators enjoy a variety of activities, including luncheons, a gala night, and other glamorous events. These activities make this tournament one of the highlights of the global polo season.

A luxury Hublot stand, main sponsor of the Hublot Polo Gold Cup.

Champagne flowing everywhere!

Not just polo — bicycles and airport stands complete the spectacle.

A picturesque photo of the Albinati Aeronautics team on the field with the majestic scenery of the Alps.

As this tournament is played at Gstaad-Saanen Airport, a Falcon jet serves as a backdrop just behind the pony lines—truly a one-of-a-kind event in the world.

The runway remains closed during the polo match, with planes waiting to take off or land.

Antonio Manzano of Kielder Agro takes a moment to rest.



Adrián Lapiscette Jr. of the Hublot Polo Team on the field.

Nico Pieres and Pierre Genecand pose together.

Juan Esteban Uribe and Adrián Lapiscette Jr.

Pato Bolaños with his children, Fermín and Antonia.

Min Podestá of the Gstaad Palace Hotel Polo Team faces Juan Pepa, a very active player who competes across Europe—including England, Spain, St. Tropez—and now in the Swiss Alps.

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With the Swiss flag marking the goal area, teams competed against the stunning backdrop at the Saanen airfield. The Polo Village showcased a variety of luxury boutiques and food stalls.

An impressive Aston Martin Valkyrie.



Juan Pepa skillfully jumped from one pony to another to continue as quickly as possible.



After receiving all their prizes, the four teams posed on the podium, joyfully toasting to the success of the event. What a wonderful 2025 edition!



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POLO GOLD CUP GSTAAD 2025

For 28 years, a highlight of the international polo circuit, the Hublot Polo Gold Cup once again delivered top-level sport in the Swiss Alps, where Gstaad Palace, led by captain Markus Graeff, claimed a commanding victory.

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TEAMS, SCORES & STATS

FINAL
GSTAAD PALACE
Markus Graeff (G)
Thommy Graeff (3, 2 goals)
Martin Podestá Jr. (7, 4 goals)
Francisco Fucci (4, 1 goal)

ALBINATI AERONAUTICS
Luca Meier (1, 1 goal)
Patricio Gaynor (2)
Santiago Cernadas (7, 2 goals)
Fabian Bolanteriin (4, 1 goal)

Progression Gstaad Palace:
1–0 / 3–1 / 6–3 / 7–4

SUBSIDIARY FINAL
KIELDER AGRO GROUP
Antonio Manzano (0, 1 goal)
Juan Pepa (2 penalty goals)
Bautista Bello (4, 1 goal)
Nicolás Pieres (8, 4 goals)

HUBLOT
Jürgen Schlüter (5)
Antonio Grebowski (3)
Adrian Laplacette Jr. (6, 5 goals)
Juan Esteban Uribe (5)

Progression Kielder Agro Group:
1–2 / 4–3 / 6–4 / 9–7

Best Playing Pony:
Doma Simoca, 9 year-old grey mare bred by La Irenita, ridden by Martín Podestá Jr.

MVP:
Martín Podestá Jr.

Best Amateur Player of the Tournament:
Juan Pepa, Kielder Agro Group

Top Scorer of the Tournament:
Martín Podestá Jr. – 10 goals

Referees:
Charles Sewell and Oliver Ellis



















For 28 years, a highlight of the international polo circuit: the Hublot Polo Gold Cup once again delivered top-level sport in the Swiss Alps, where Gstaad Palace, led by captain Markus Graeff, claimed a commanding victory. In front of an enthusiastic alpine crowd, the team showcased its strength at one of polo's most prestigious mountain tournaments.

The Subsidiary Final

The day began with the subsidiary final at 1:30 p.m., a fast-paced match that contrasted with the tense semifinals. Nicolás Pieres, scoring four goals, found his rhythm and guided Kielder Agro Group to a narrow 8–7 win over Adrian Laplacette Jr. (5 goals).

"This was my first time in Gstaad, and I hope it won't be the last," said Pieres. "The place is fabulous, but the field is unique. At first, I struggled to play my usual polo. Once I adapted and played more directly, it worked. If I return next year, I'll play a very different game."

The Argentine former 10-goaler now returns to Buenos Aires to prepare for the Argentine Open and the Kazak team's Triple Crown campaign. "I'm optimistic," he added. "It's a team I really like, and with Pelón Stirling joining, I feel confident."

Gstaad Palace in Control

The final started cautiously, but Gstaad Palace quickly took control. Their solid defense, orchestrated by Martín "Mini" Podestá (7), proved decisive against Albinati Aeronautics. Every player executed his role with precision, beginning with captain Markus Graeff.

At 73, Graeff was the oldest player on the field. "It's such a pleasure to play here," he said. "I'm proud of what our team achieved. Polo is a team sport, and everyone played their part. If I'm invited again next year, I'd be delighted to return."

His son, Thommy Graeff, thrilled the crowd with a spectacular goal that underlined the family's contribution to the victory.

Awards: MVP and Best Playing Pony

Podestá's impact was recognized as he was named MVP of the Final. His grey mare, Doma Simoca, received the Best Playing Pony award.

"She has already won several IPPs, including in the Copa Cámara final," Podestá explained. "She's generous, tireless, and easy to ride — I can bring her back into a game several times, and she always gives her best."

Bred at the prestigious La Irenita stud, Doma Simoca continues a remarkable lineage of outstanding polo horses.

A Unique Alpine Tournament

Beyond the sporting performances, the atmosphere once again set the Hublot Polo Gold Cup apart. Former captains returned as spectators, while loyal fans enjoyed the unique mix of world-class polo and the relaxed alpine setting.

The tournament owes much of its success to Pierre E. Genecand, who has organized it for two decades with Swiss precision, sporting passion, and warm hospitality. Under his leadership, the Hublot Polo Gold Cup has established itself as a distinguished stop on the global polo circuit — a high-level tournament in one of the world's most beautiful settings.■

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TEAMS, SCORES & STATS

FINALE
GSTAAD PALACE
Markus Graeff (0)
Thommy Graeff (5, 2 Tore)
Martin Podestá Jr. (7, 4 Tore)
Francisco Facci (4, 1 Tor)

ALBINATI AERONAUTICS
Luca Maier (1, 1 Tor)
Patricio Gaynor (2)
Santiago Cernadas (7, 2 Tore)
Fabian Bolzenterio (4, 1 Tor)

Spielverlauf Gstaad Palace:
1–0 / 3–1 / 6–3 / 7–4

SPIEL UM PLATZ 3
KIELDER AGRO GROUP
Antonio Manzano (0, 1 Tor)
Juan Pepe (2 Strafstoß-Tore)
Bautista Bello (4, 1 Tor)
Nicolás Pieres (8, 4 Tore)

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Jürgen Schröder (0)
Antonio Grabowich (3)
Adrian Laplacette Jr. (6, 5 Tore)
Juan Esteban Uribe (1)

Spielverlauf Kielder Agro Group:
1–2 / 4–3 / 6–6 / 8–7

Bestes Pony:
Doma Simoca, 8-jährige Schimmelstute, gezüchtet von La Irenita, geritten von Martín Podestá Jr.

MVP:
Martín Podestá Jr.

Bester Amateurspieler des Turniers:
Juan Pepe, Kielder Agro Group

Torschützenkönig des Turniers:
Martín Podestá Jr. – 10 Tore

Schiedsrichter:
Charles Sewill und Oliver Ellis



















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Das kleine Finale

Den Auftakt machte um 13:30 Uhr das kleine Finale, das sich durch ein schnelles, offenes Spiel von den nervenaufreibenden Hallbfinals abhob. Nicolás Pieres traf viermal und führte Kielder Agro Group zu einem knappen 8:7-Erfolg über Adrian Laplacette Jr. (5 Tore).

„Es war mein erstes Mal in Gstaad, und ich hoffe, nicht mein letztes", sagte Pieres. „Der Ort ist fantastisch, aber das Spielfeld ist sehr speziell. Am Anfang hatte ich Mühe, mein übliches Polo zu spielen. Als ich dann direkter spielte, funktionierte es. Wenn ich nächstes Jahr zurückkomme, verspreche ich ein ganz anderes Spiel."

Der ehemalige 10-Goal-Spieler reist nun zurück nach Buenos Aires, um sich auf das Highlight seiner Saison vorzubereiten: die Argentine Open und die Triple-Crown-Qualifikation mit seinem Team Kazak. „Ich bin optimistisch", ergänzte er. „Es ist ein Team, das ich sehr mag, und mit Pelón Stirling bin ich dieses Jahr zuversichtlich."

Gstaad Palace dominiert das Finale

Das Endspiel begann verhalten, doch Gstaad Palace übernahm schnell die Kontrolle. Eine stabile Defensive, organisiert von Martín „Min" Podestá (7), machte den Unterschied gegen Albinati Aeronautics. Jeder Spieler erfüllte seine Rolle mit Präzision – allen voran Kapitän Markus Graeff.

Mit 73 Jahren war Graeff der älteste Spieler des Turniers. „Es ist eine große Freude, hier zu spielen", sagte er. „Ich bin stolz auf unsere Leistung. Polo ist ein Teamsport, und jeder hat seinen Teil beigetragen. Wenn ich nächstes Jahr wieder eingeladen werde, komme ich sehr gerne zurück."

Sein Sohn Thommy Graeff sorgte mit einem spektakulären Treffer für Begeisterung auf den Rängen.

Auszeichnungen: MVP und Best Playing Pony

Podestá wurde für seine Leistung als MVP des Finales ausgezeichnet. Seine Schimmelstute Doma Simoca erhielt zudem die Trophäe als Best Playing Pony.

„Sie hat bereits mehrere BPPs gewonnen, unter anderem im Copa-Cámara-Finale", erklärte Podestá. „Sie ist großzügig, unermüdlich und leicht zu reiten – ich kann sie mehrmals in einem Spiel einsetzen, und sie gibt immer ihr Bestes."

Gezüchtet auf der renommierten Zuchtstätte La Irenita, setzt Doma Simoca die Linie herausragender Polopferde fort.

Ein Turnier mit besonderem Charakter

Neben den sportlichen Höhepunkten machte auch diesmal die einzigartige Atmosphäre den Hublot Polo Gold Cup aus. Ehemalige Teamkapitäne kehrten als Zuschauer zurück, während treue Besucher erneut die Mischung aus Weltklasse-Polo und alpinem Ambiente genossen.

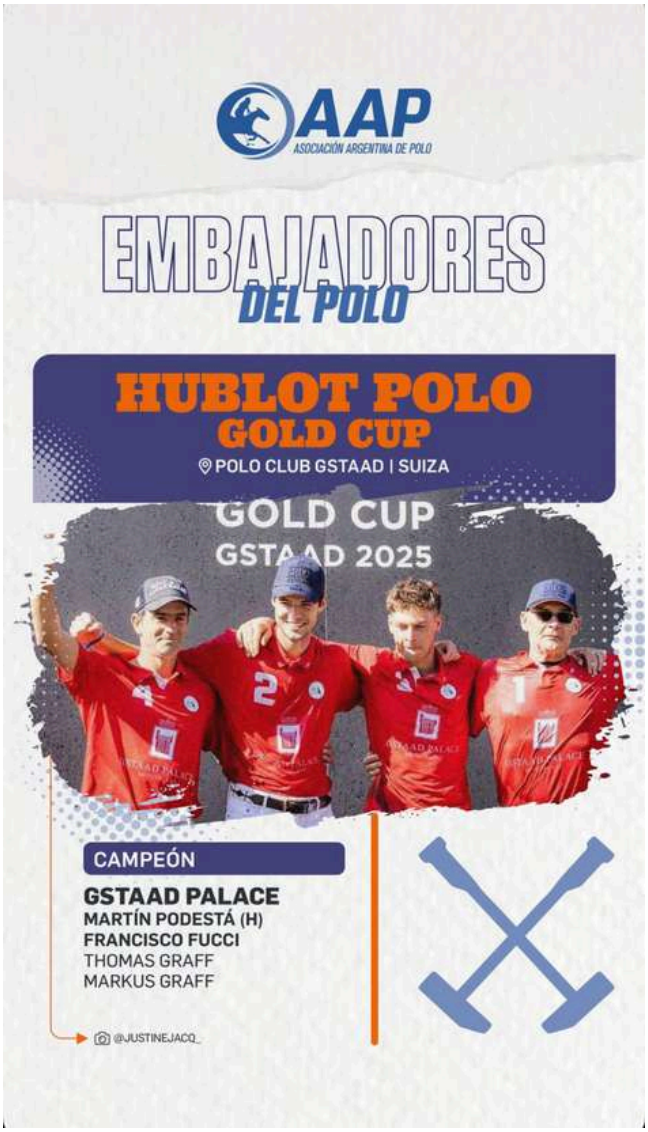
Großen Anteil am Erfolg hat Pierre E. Genecand, der das Turnier seit zwanzig Jahren mit Schweizer Präzision, sportlicher Leidenschaft und herzlicher Gastfreundschaft organisiert. Unter seiner Leitung hat sich der Hublot Polo Gold Cup als feste Station im internationalen Polokalender etabliert – ein Turnier auf höchstem Niveau in einer der schönsten Kulissen der Welt. •

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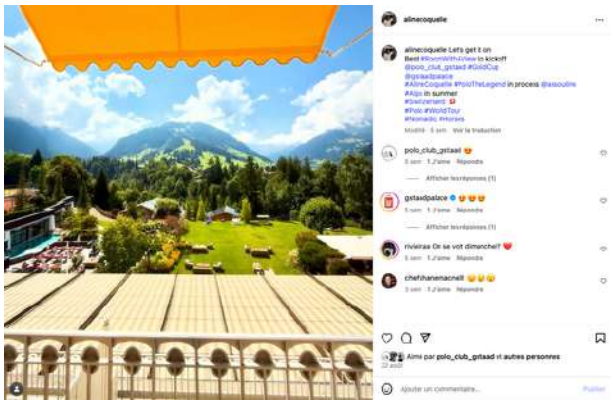
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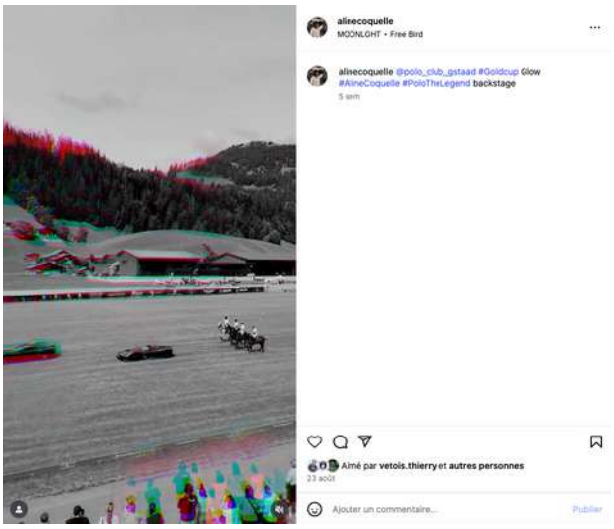


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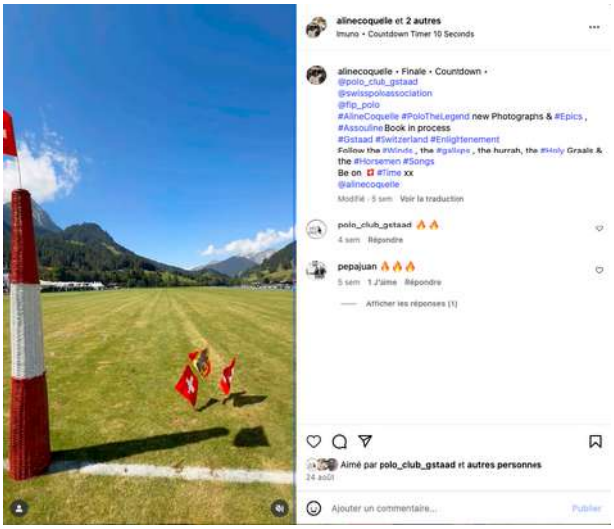
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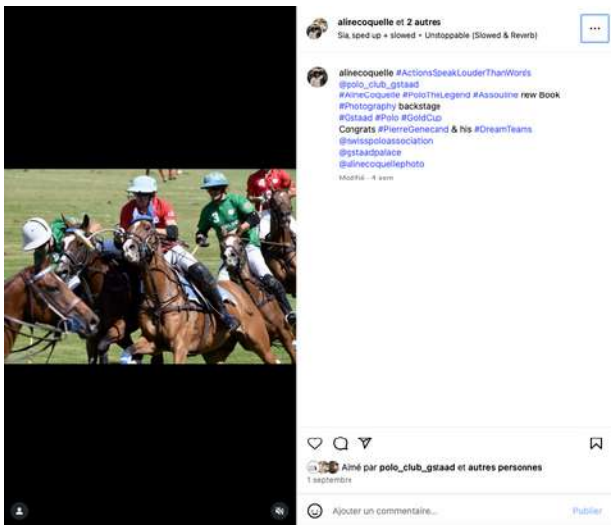
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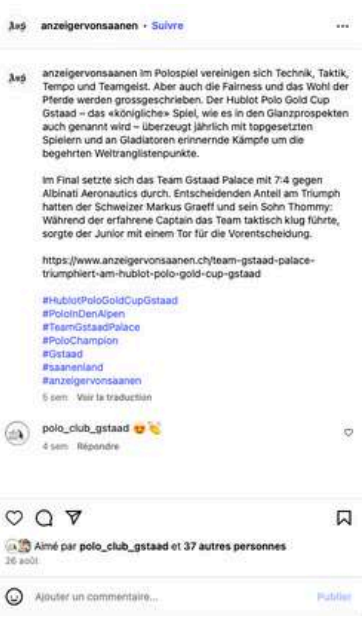


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Im Polospiel vereinigen sich Technik, Taktik, Tempo und Teamgeist. Aber auch die Fairness und das Wohl der Pferde werden grossgeschrieben. Der Hublot Polo Gold Cup Gstaad – das «königliche» Spiel, wie es in den Glanzprospekten auch genannt wird – überzeugt jährlich mit topgesetzten Spielern und an Gladiatoren erinnernde Kämpfe um die begehrten Weltranglistenpunkte.

Im Final setzte sich das Team Gstaad Palace mit 7:4 gegen Albinati Aeronautics durch. Entscheidenden Anteil am Triumph hatten der Schweizer Markus Graeff und sein Sohn Thommy: Während der erfahrene Captain das Team taktisch klug führte, sorgte der Junior mit einem Tor für die Vorentscheidung.

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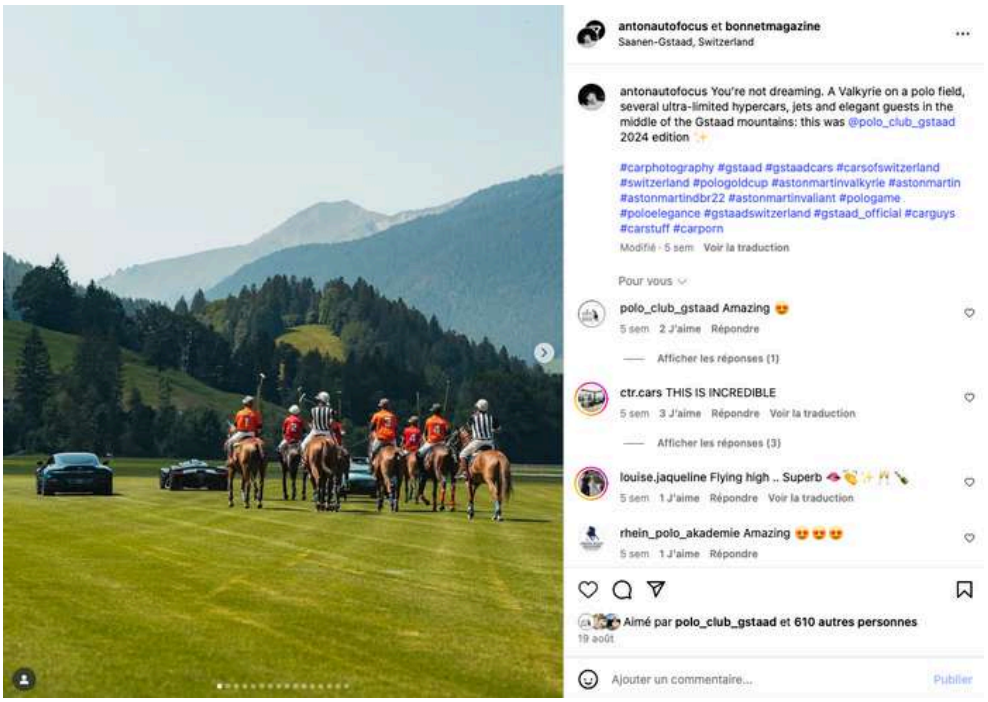




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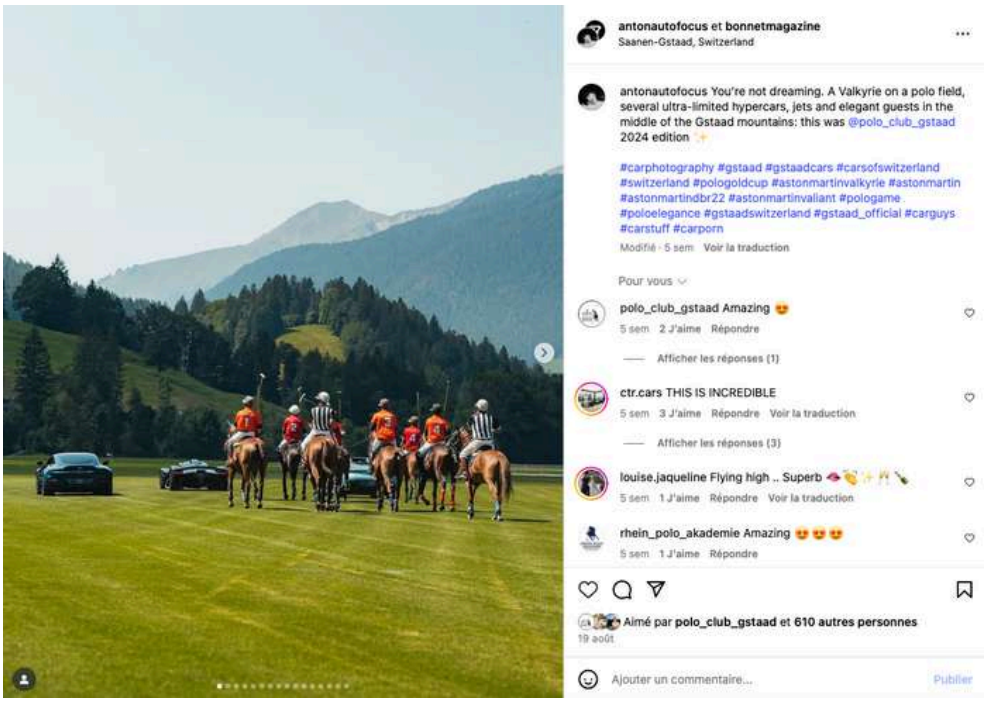
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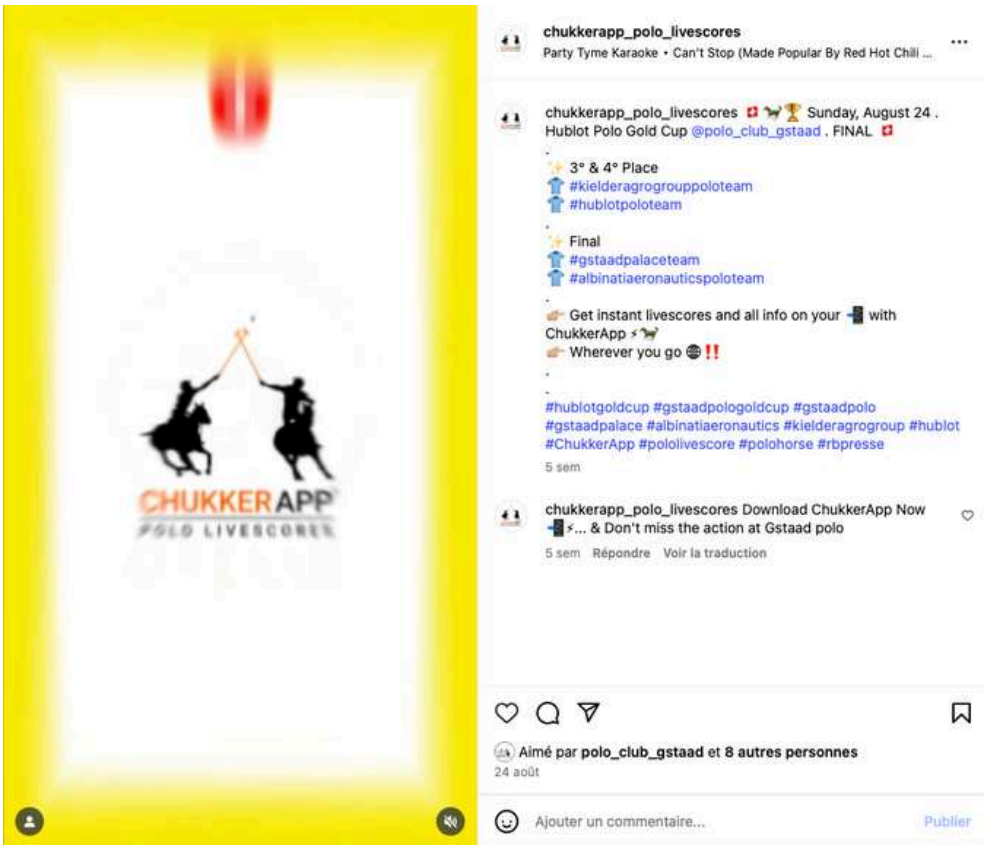
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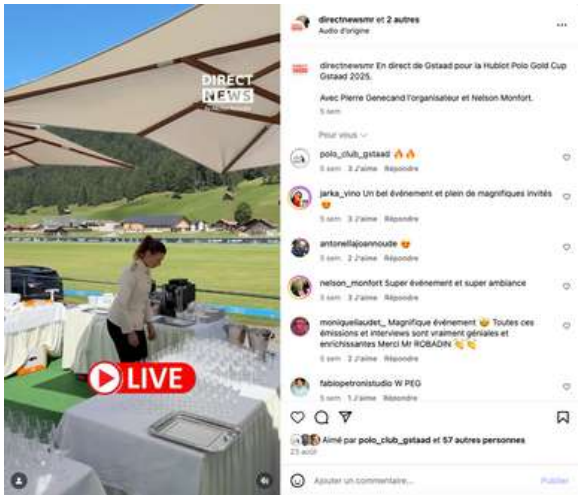
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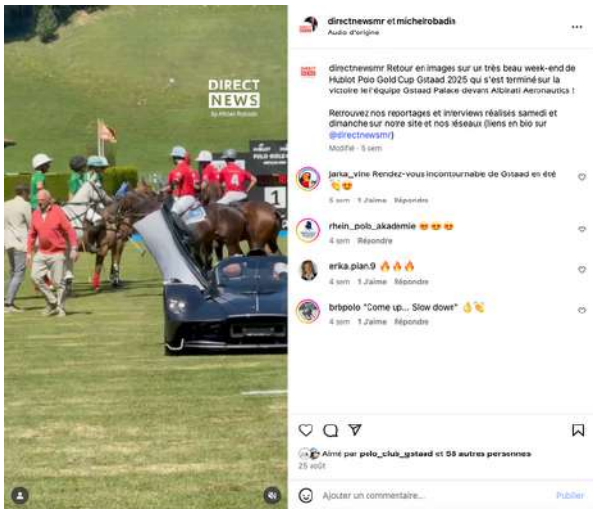








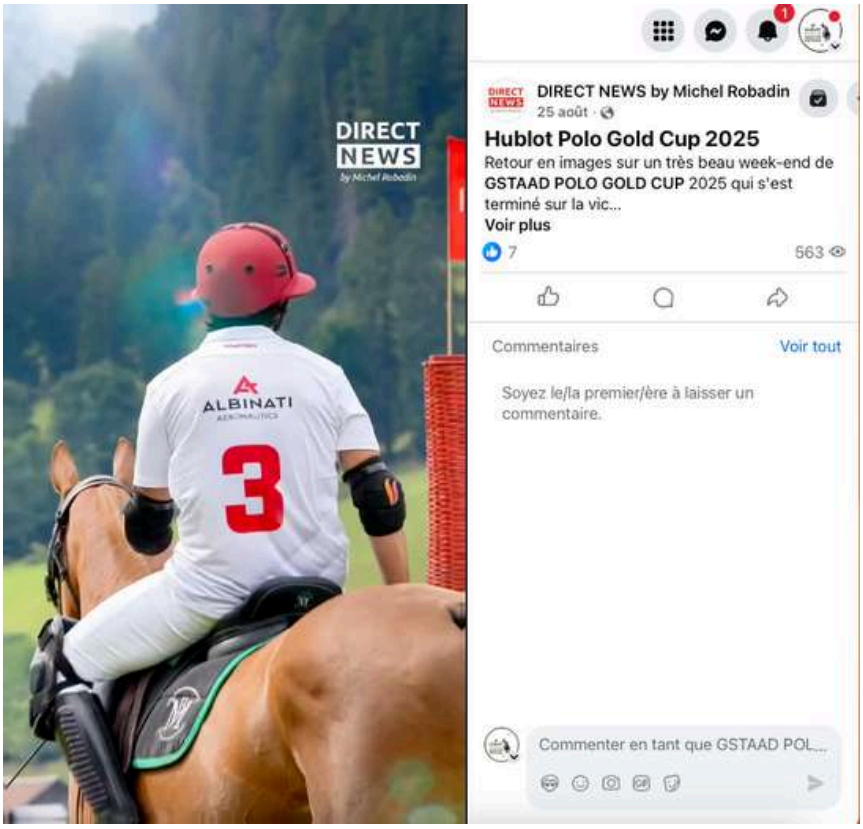


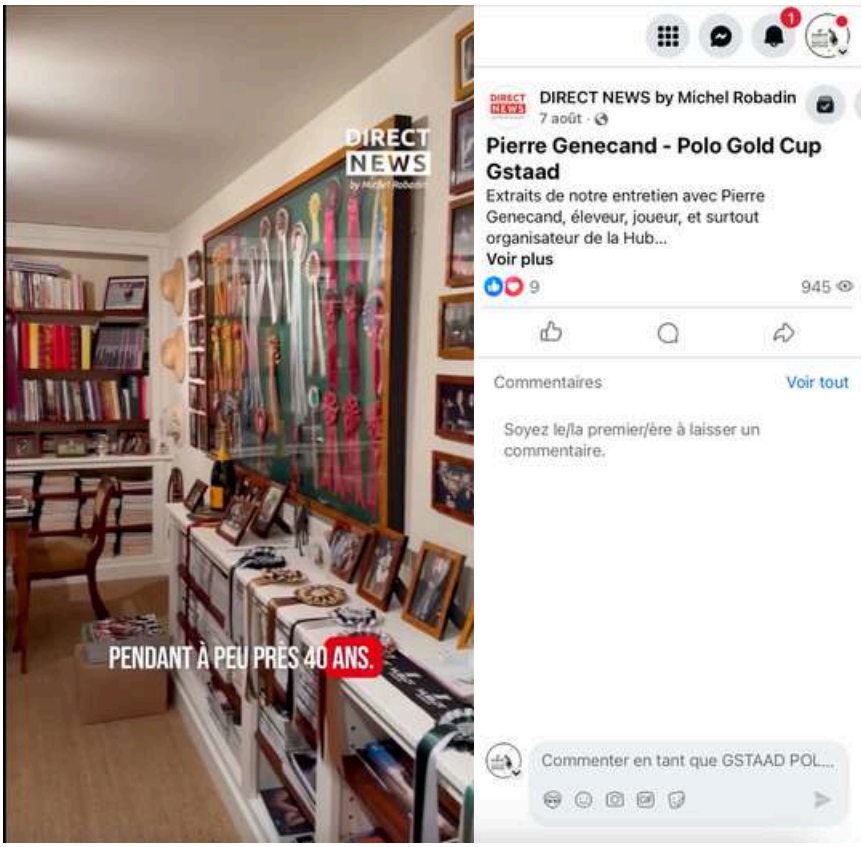


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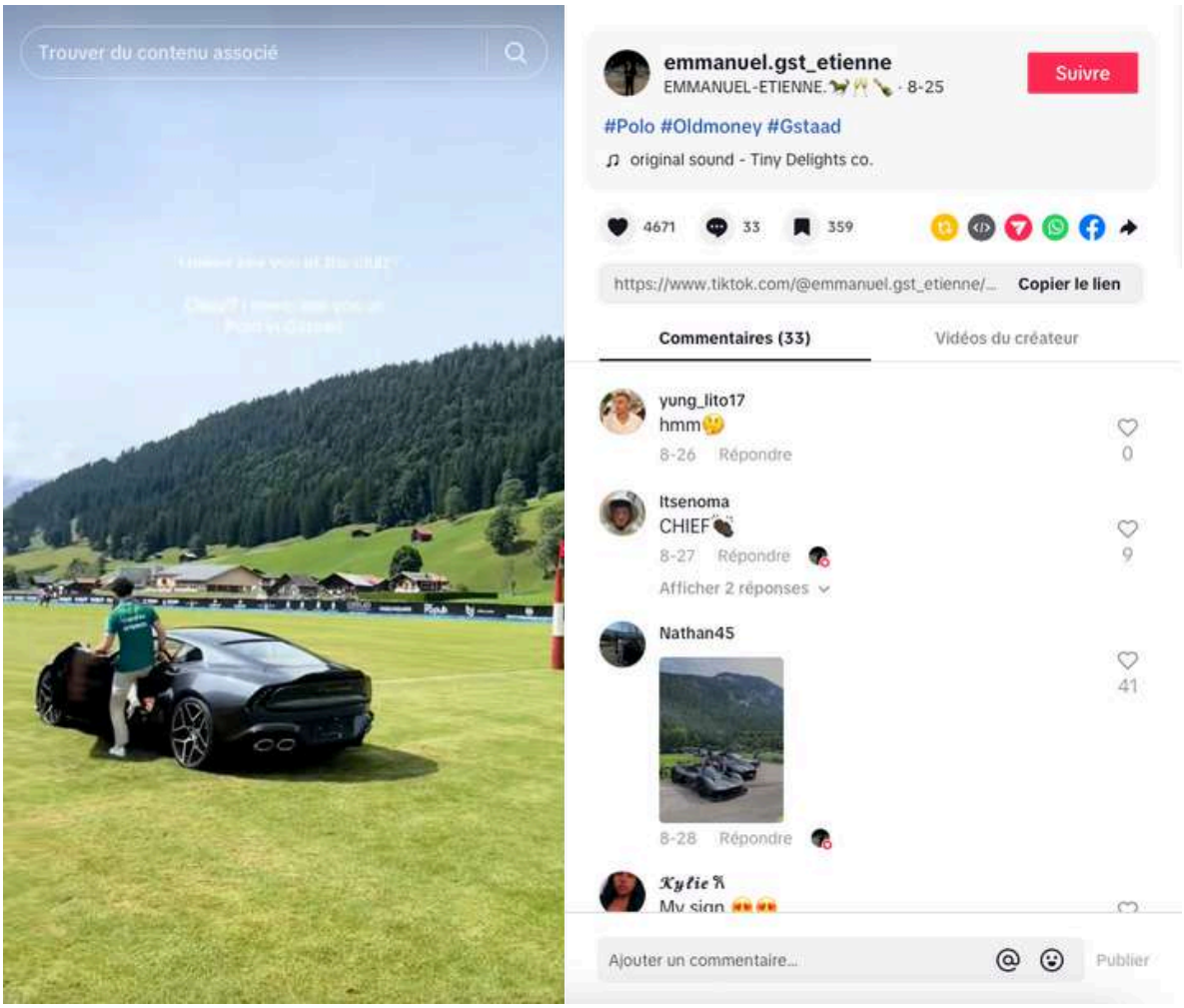
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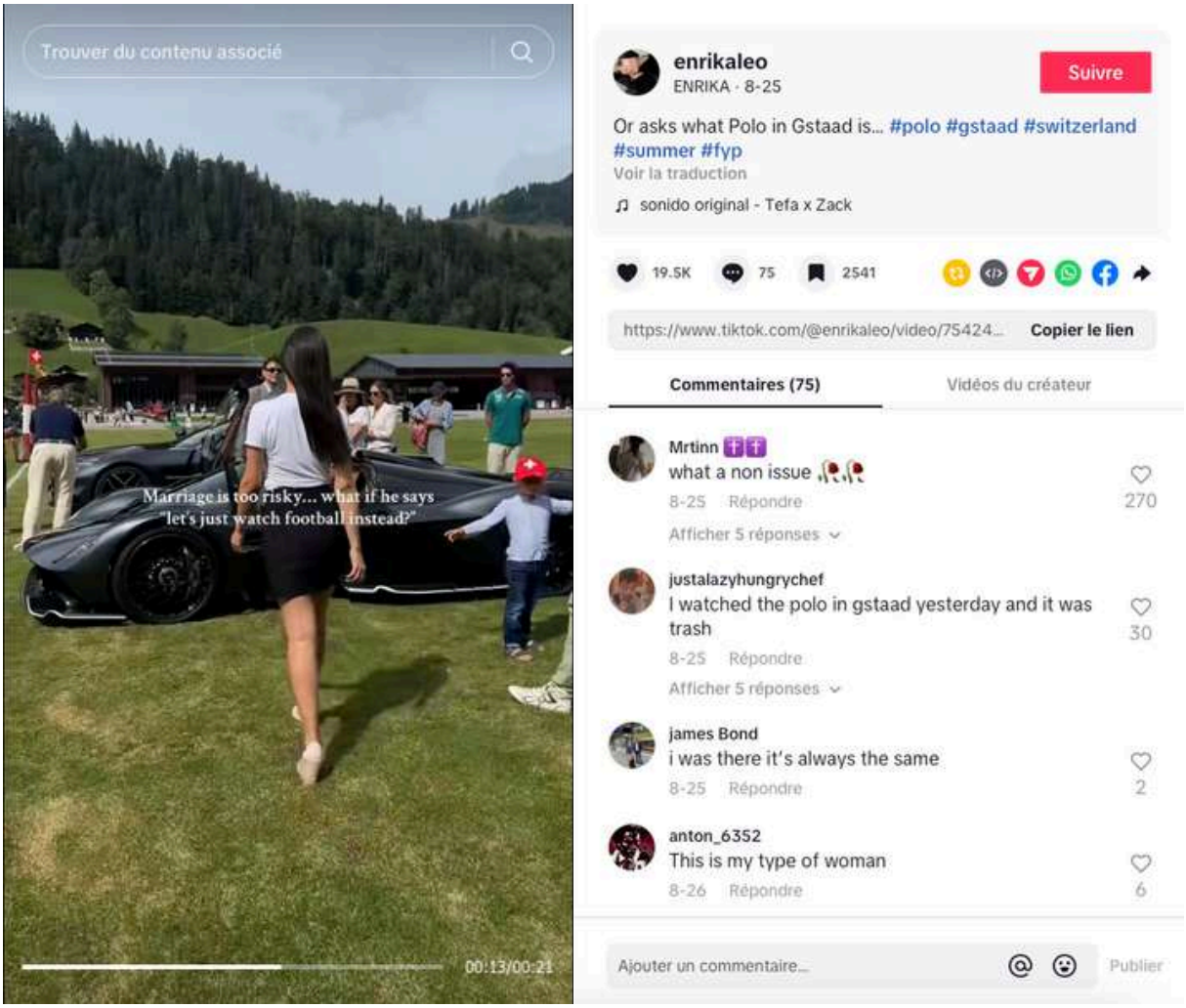
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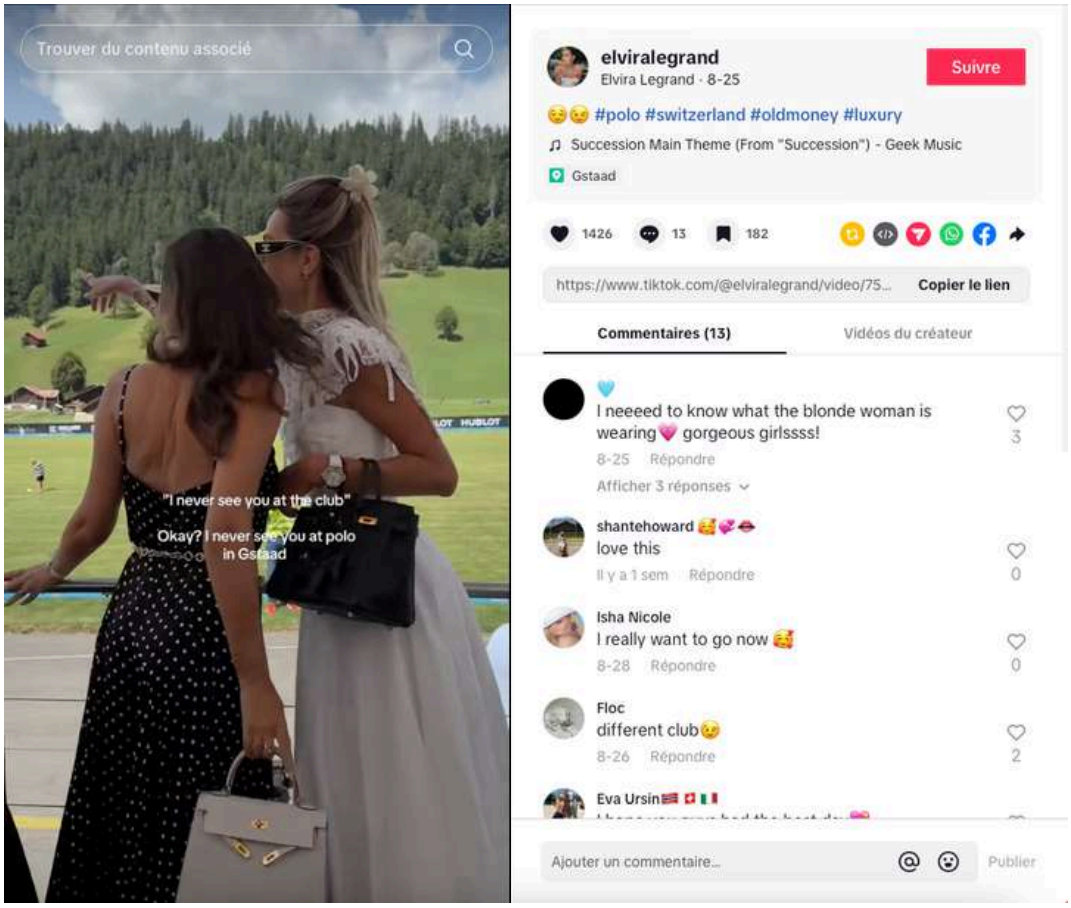






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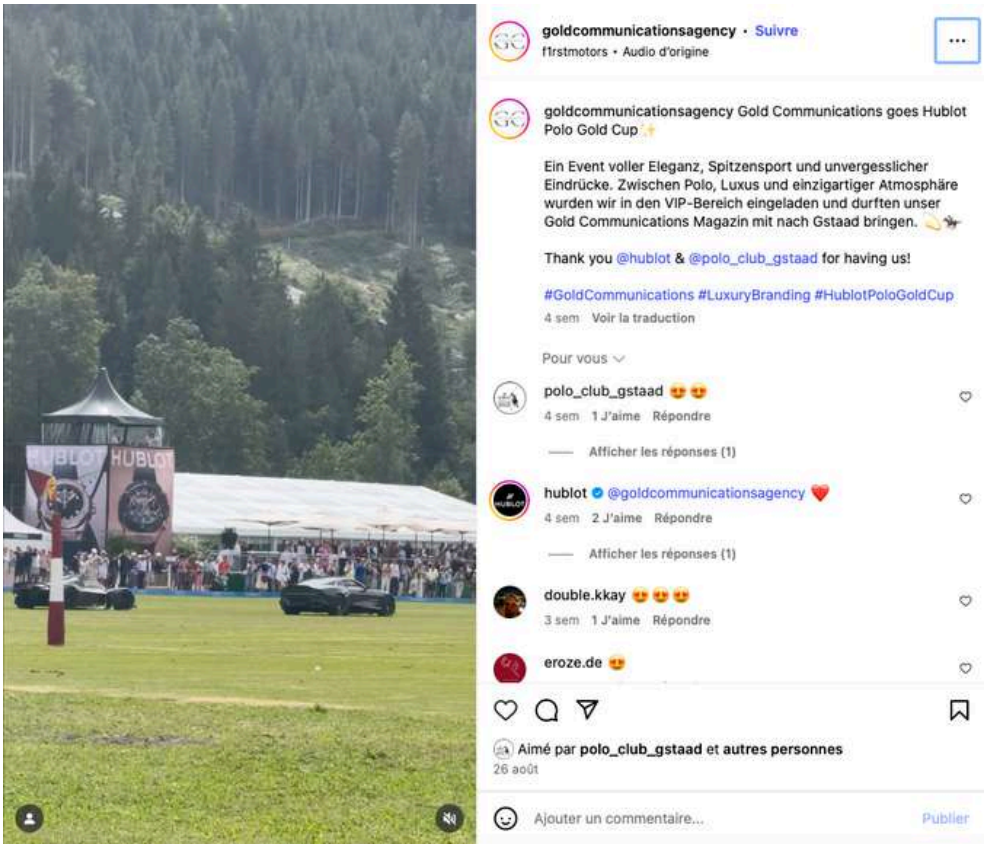
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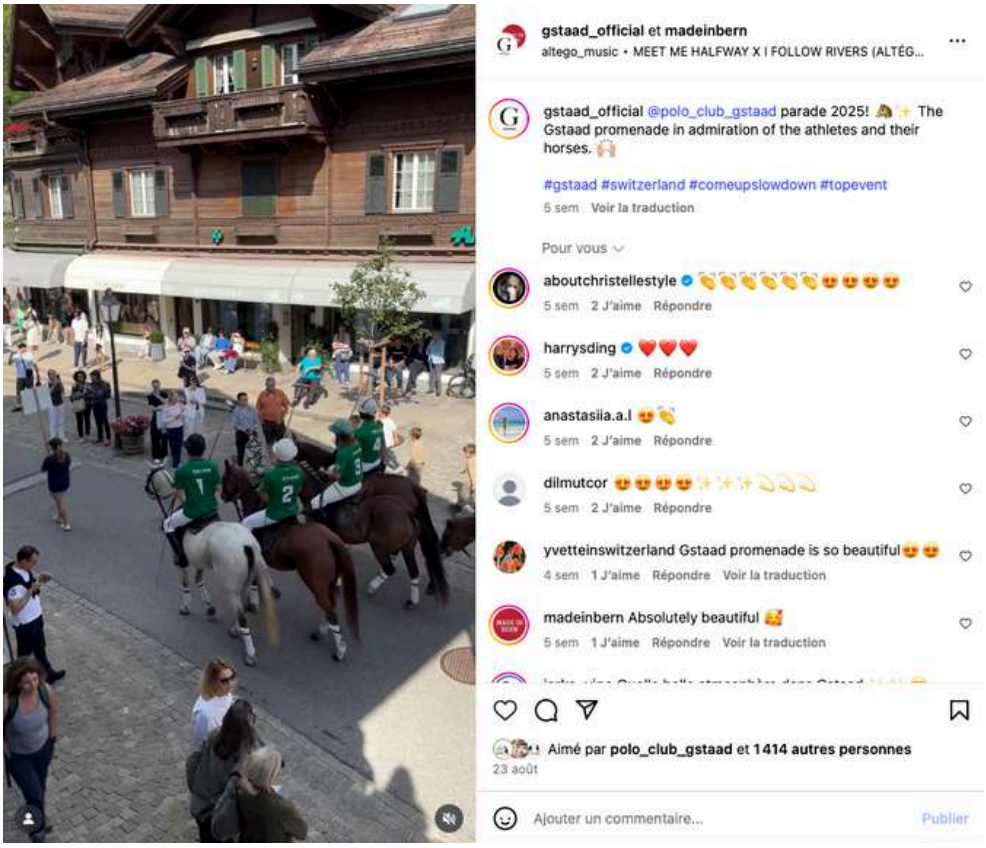
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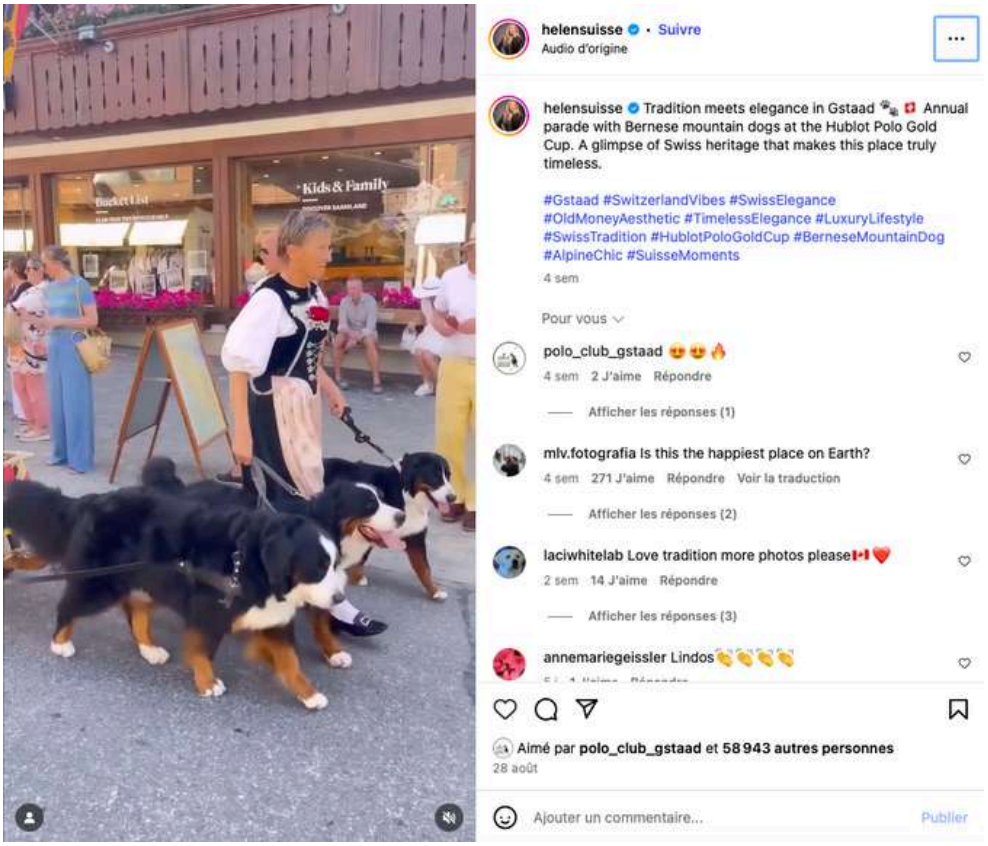
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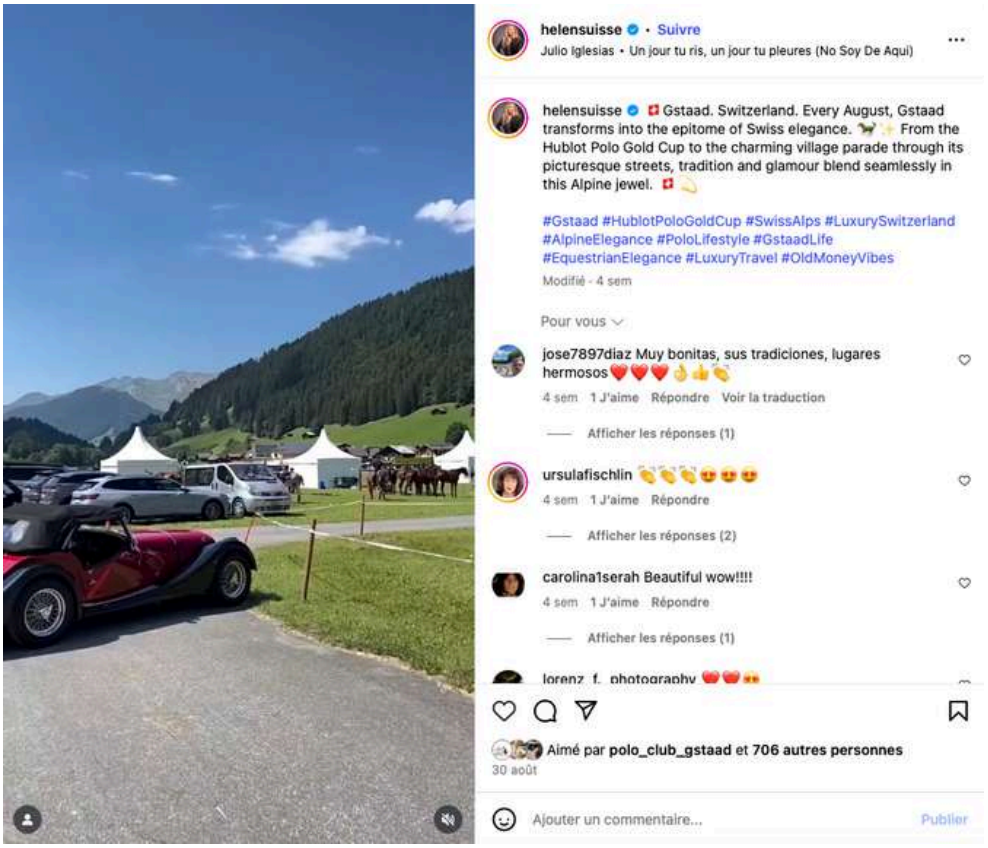


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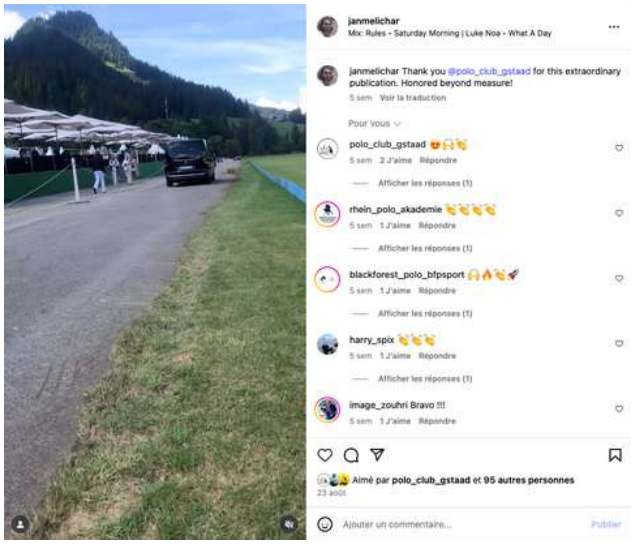




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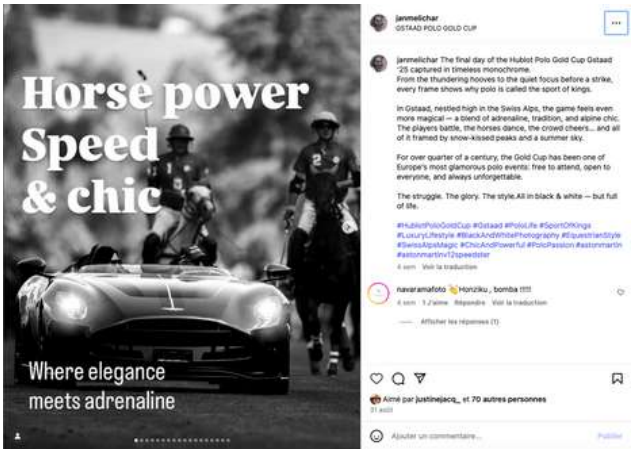
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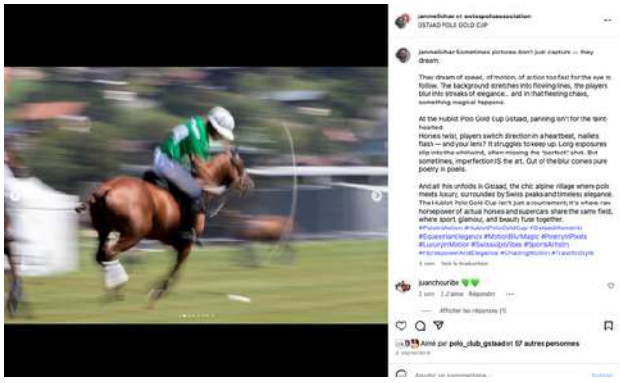
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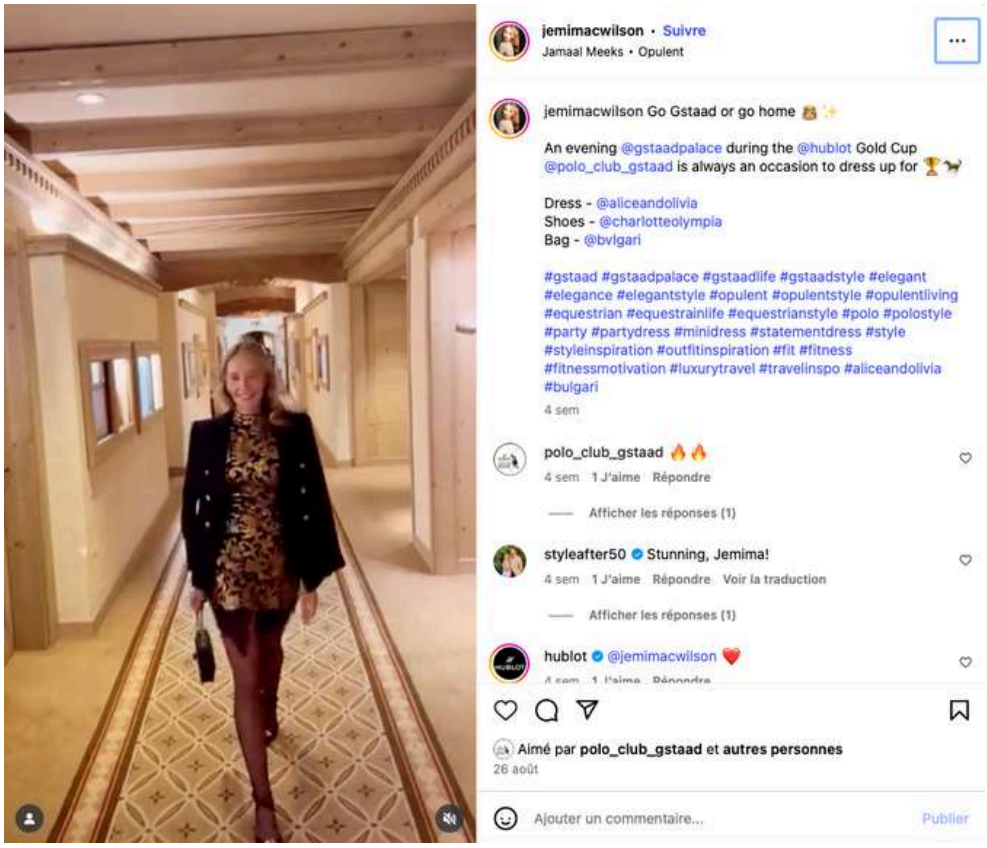


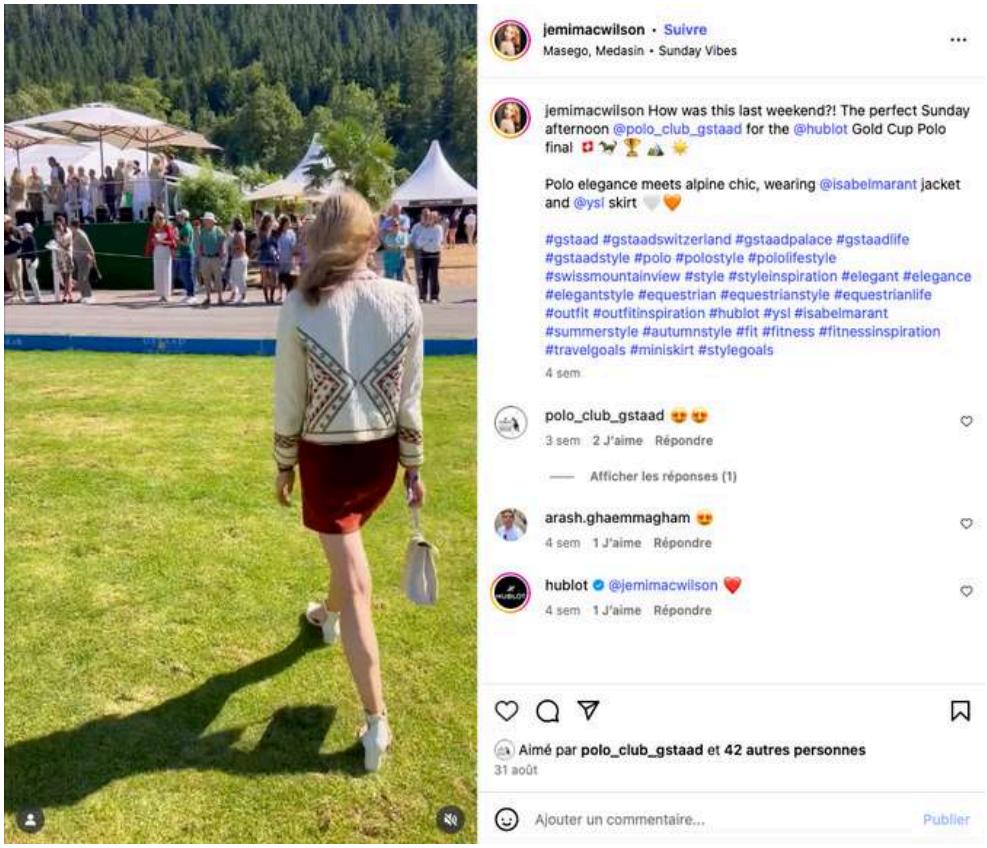


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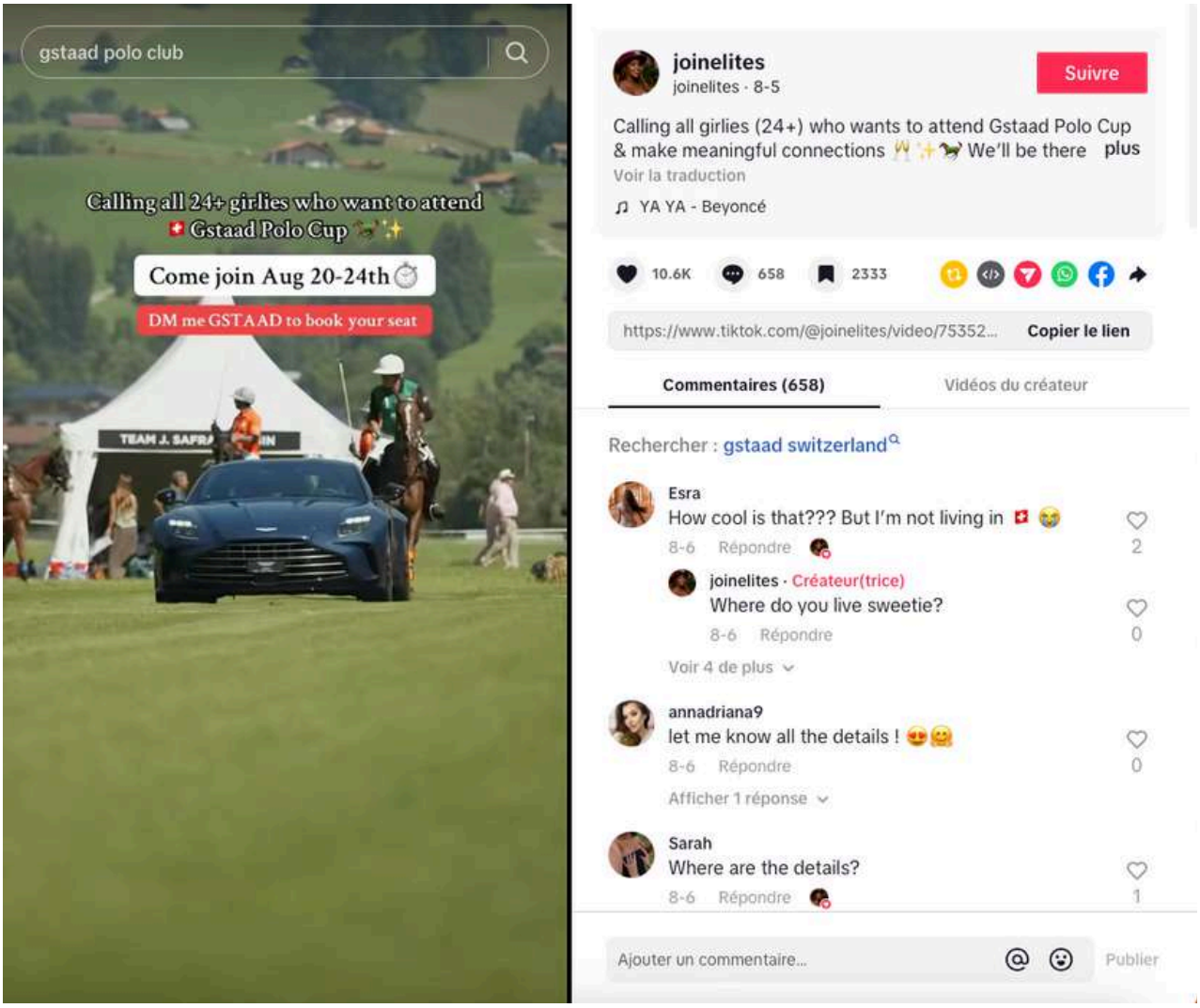




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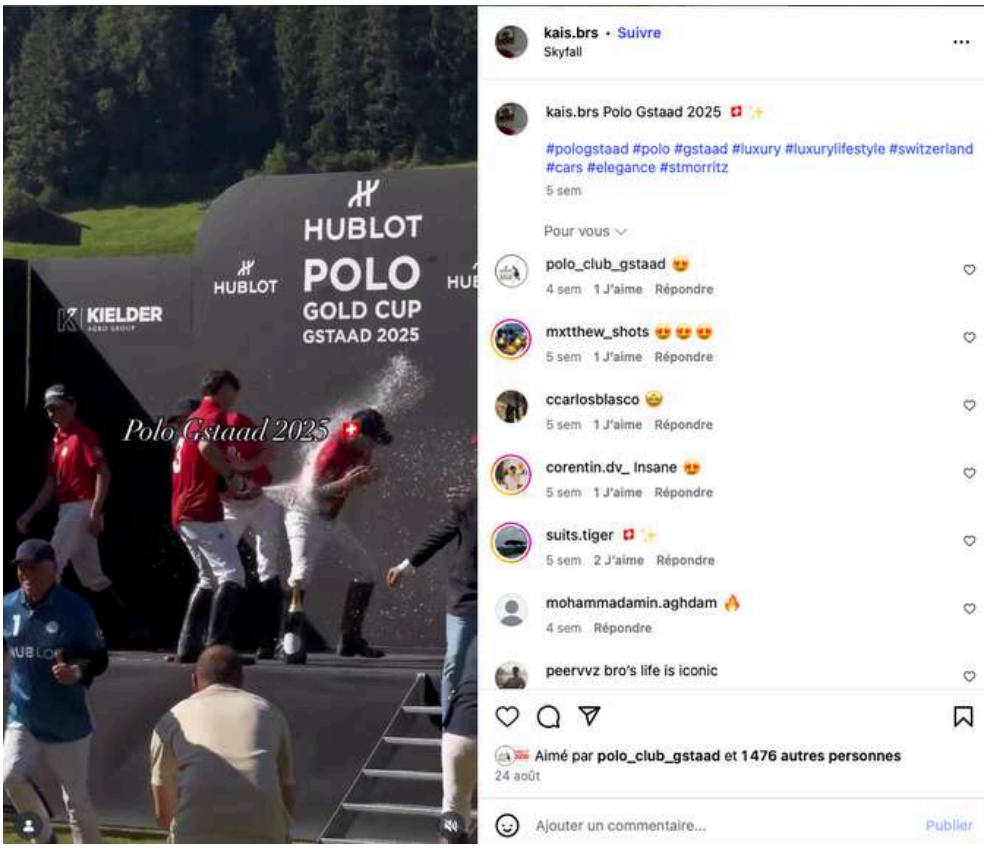
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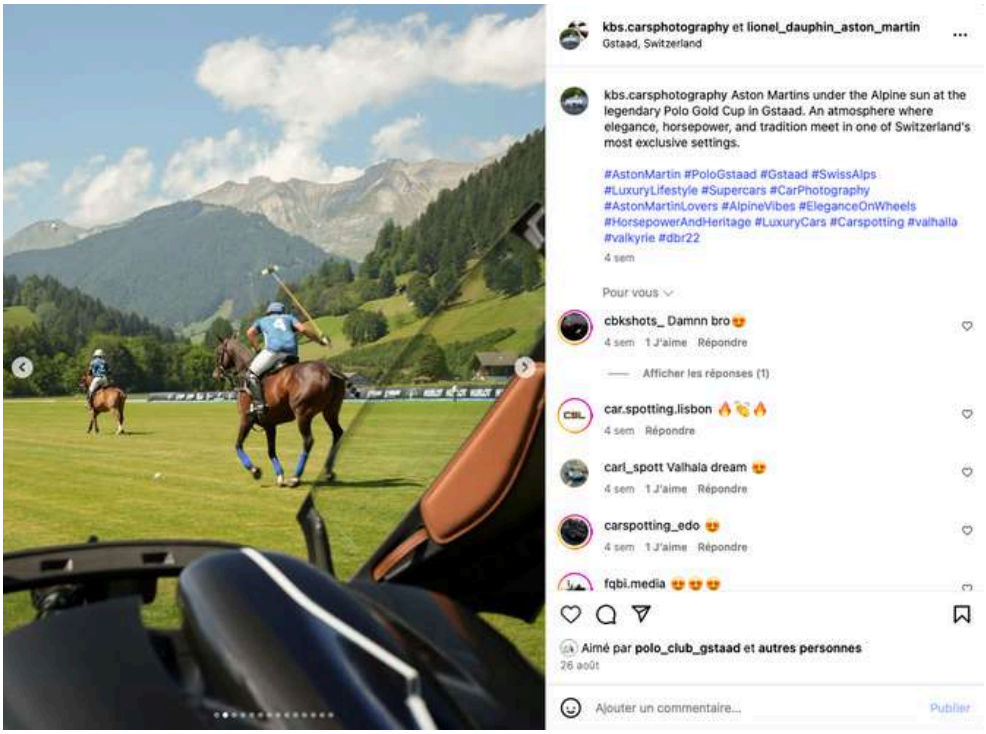
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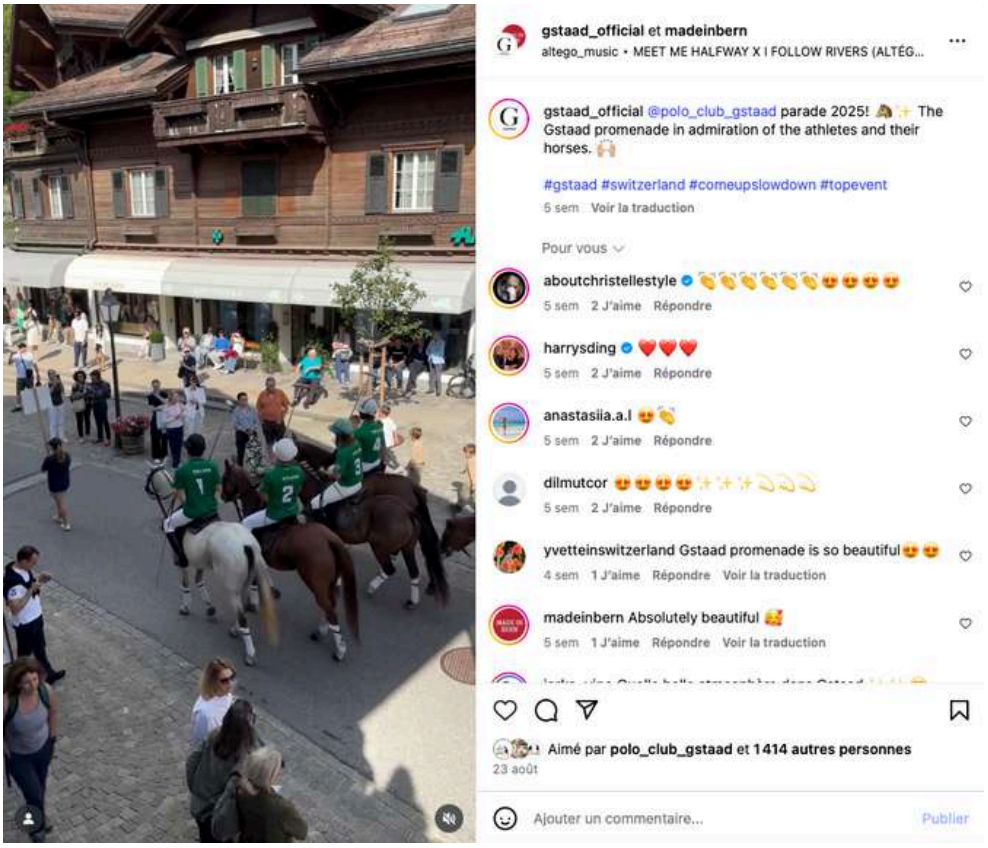
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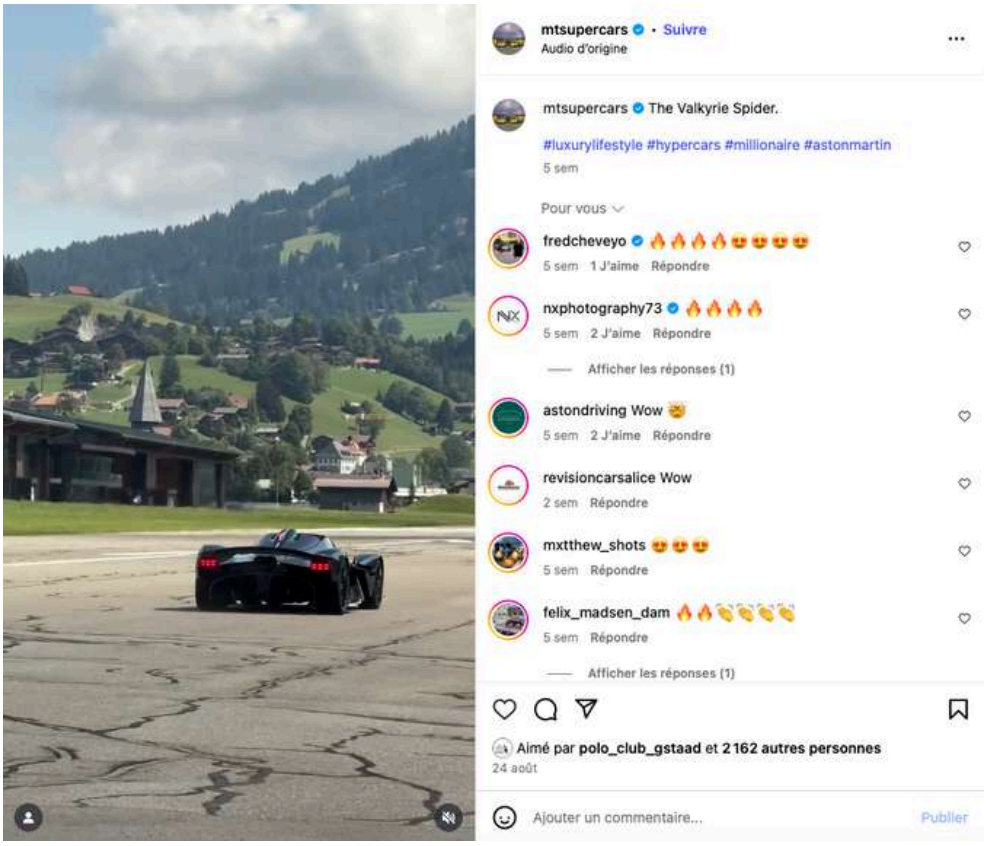
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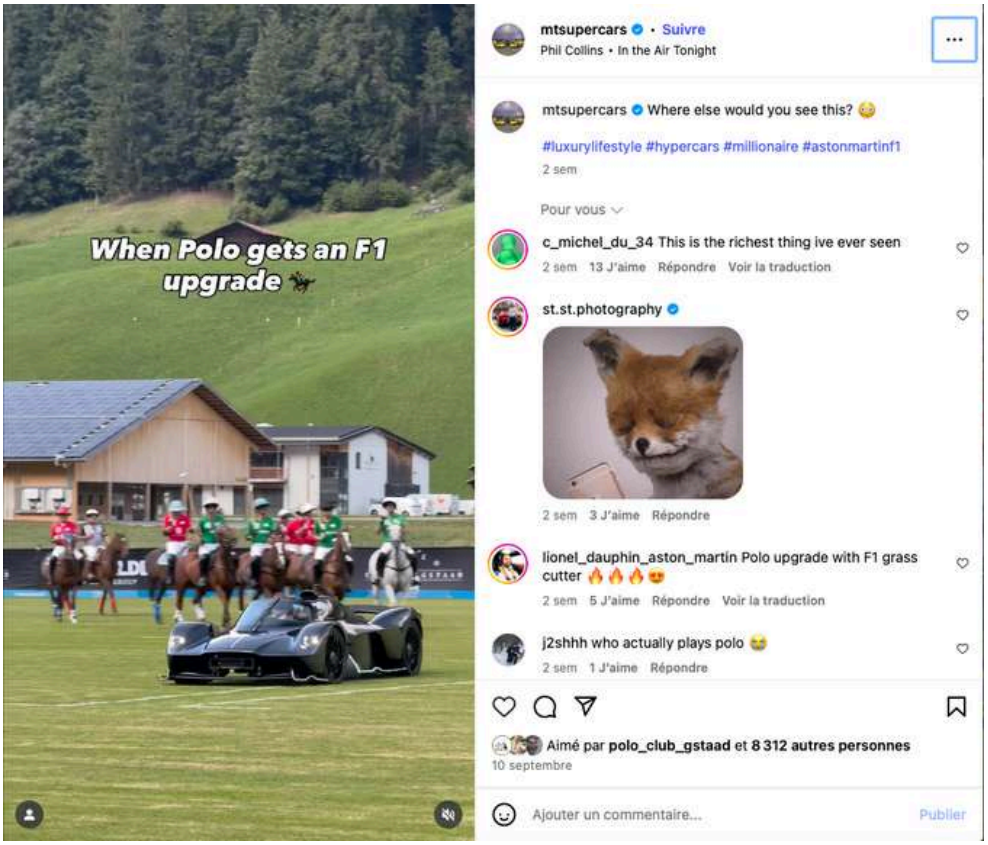
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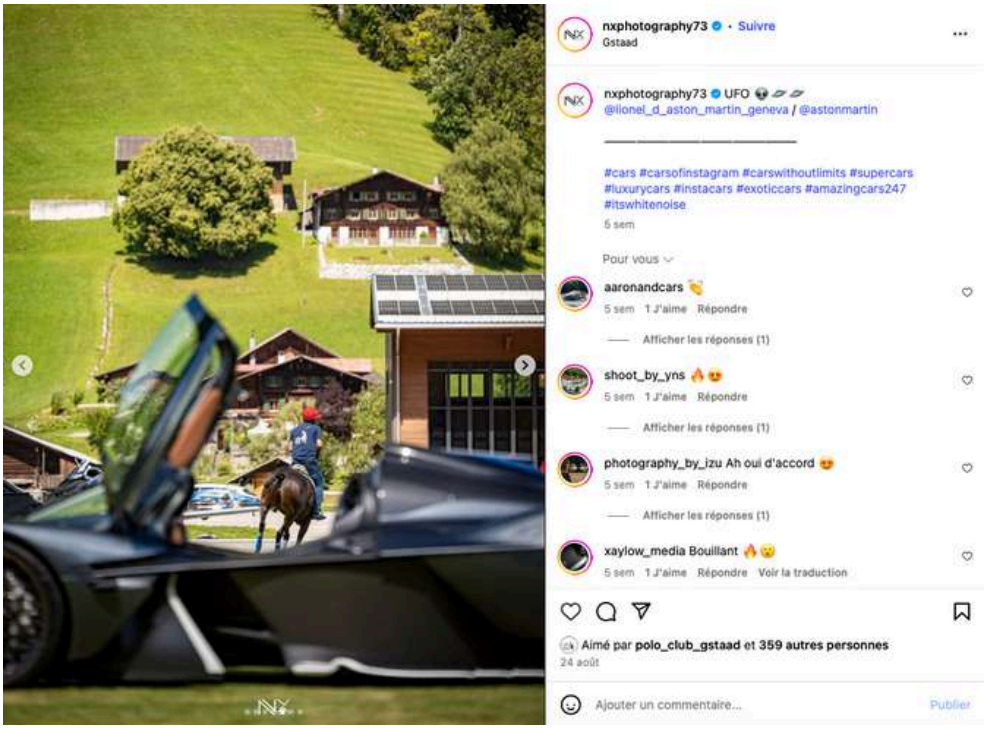

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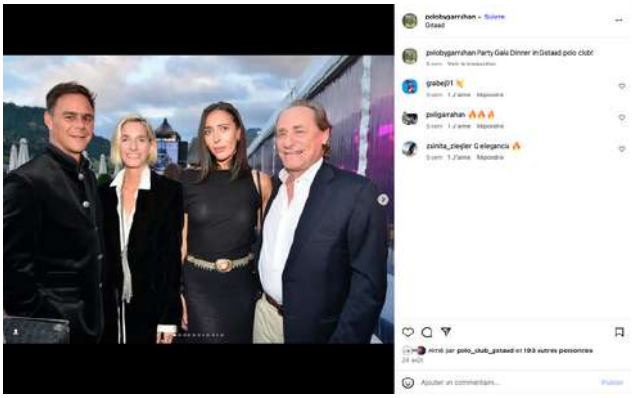
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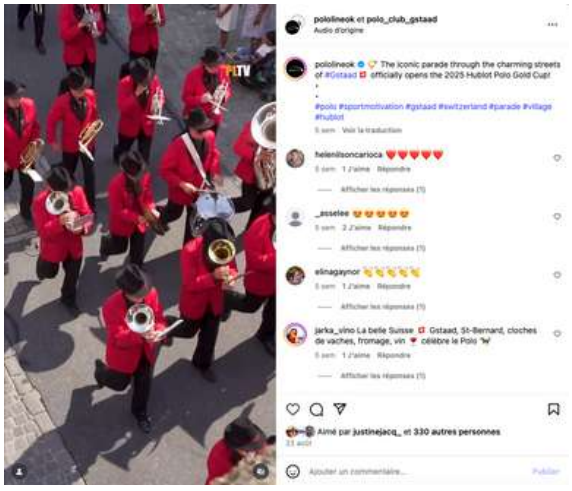
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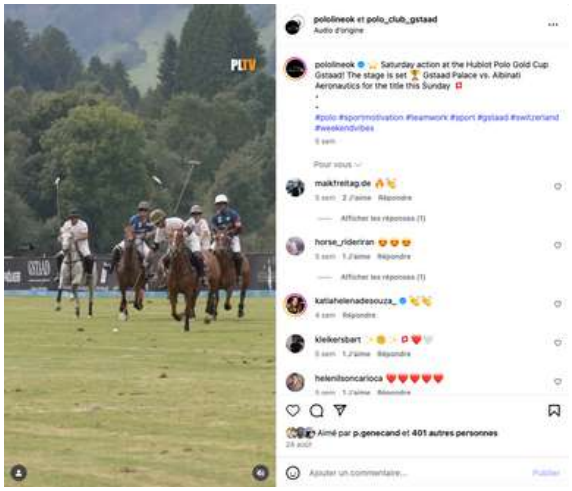








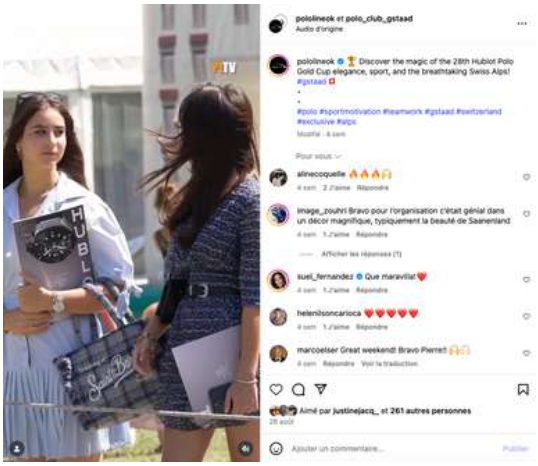




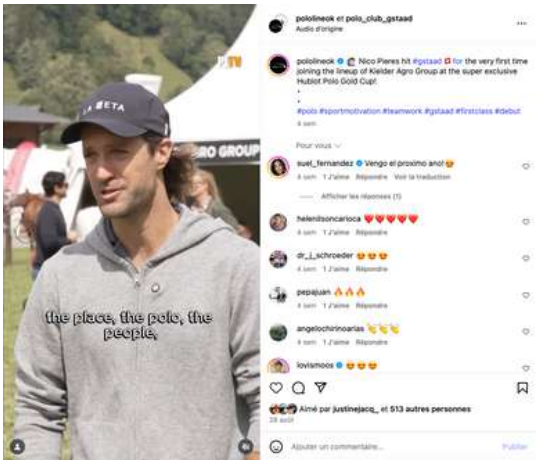
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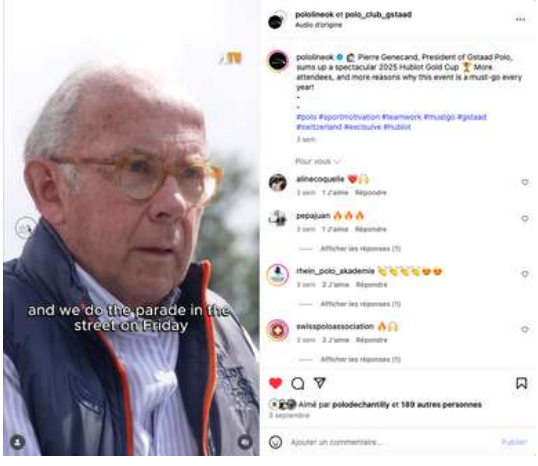










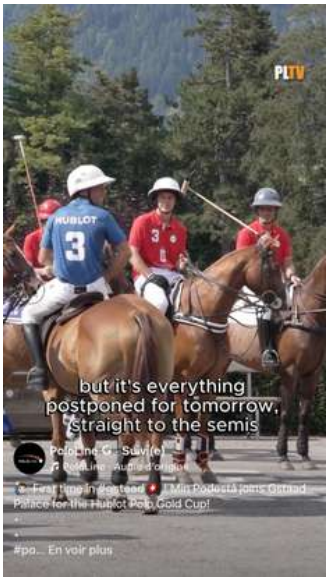


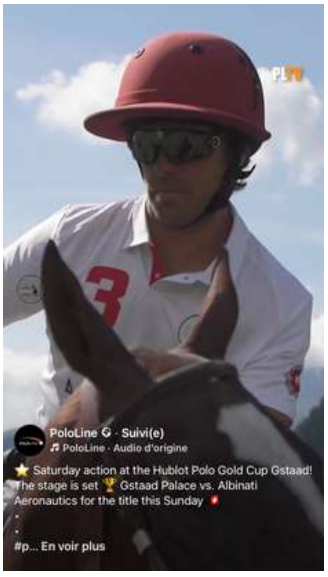
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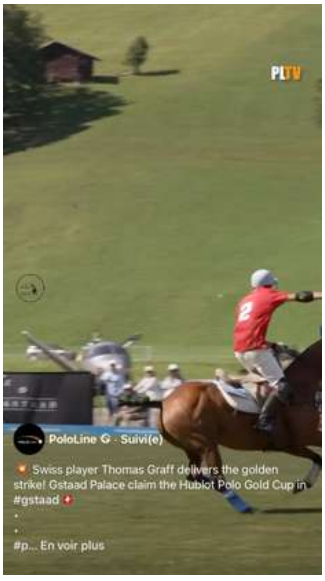
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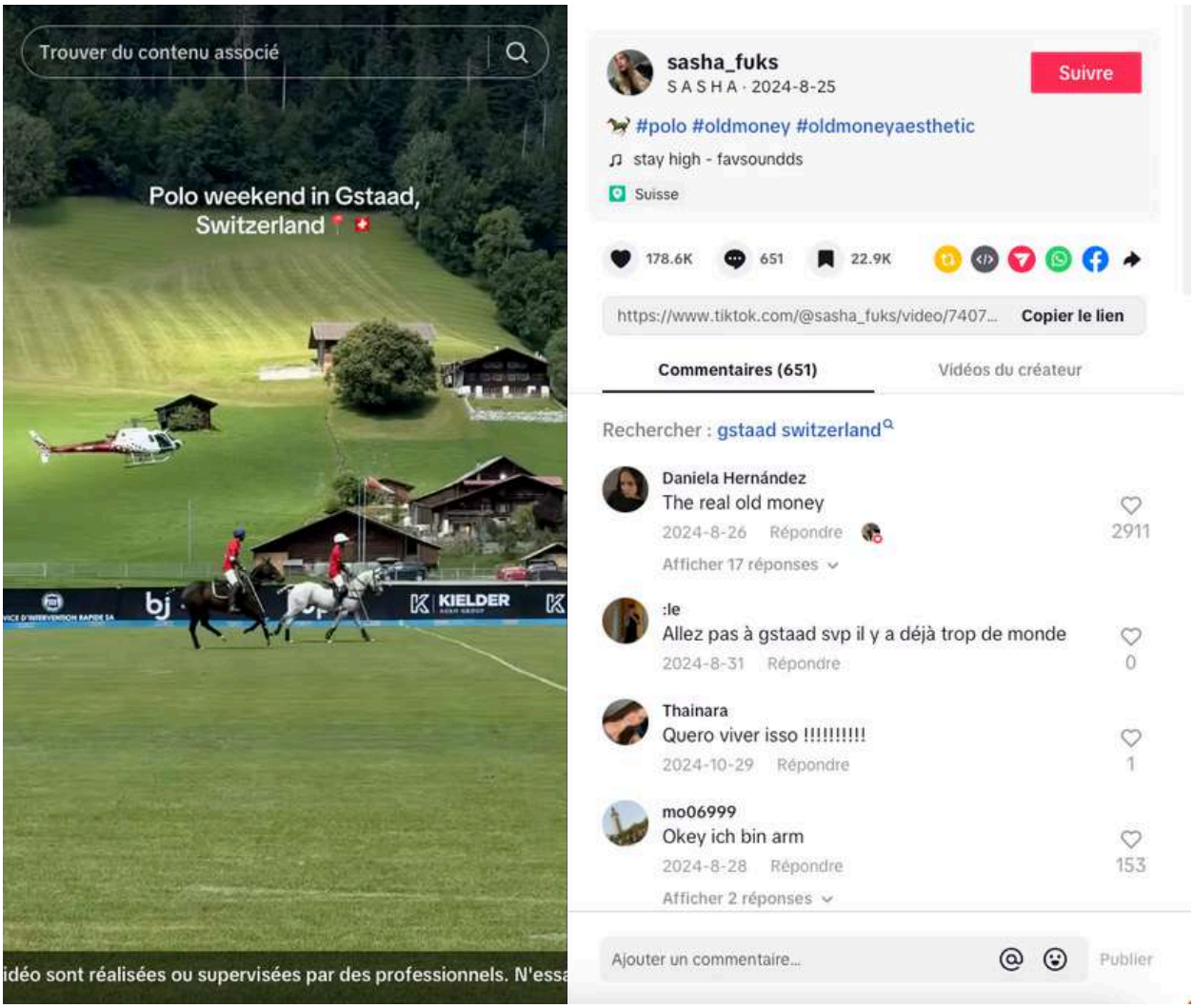
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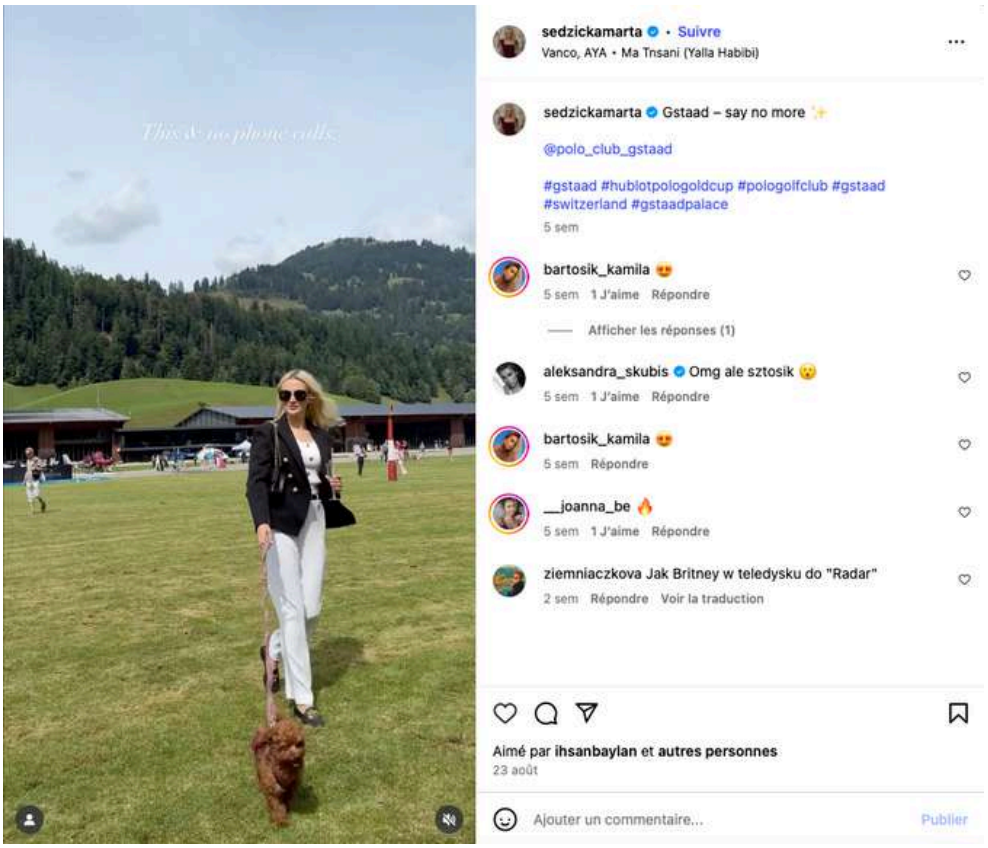
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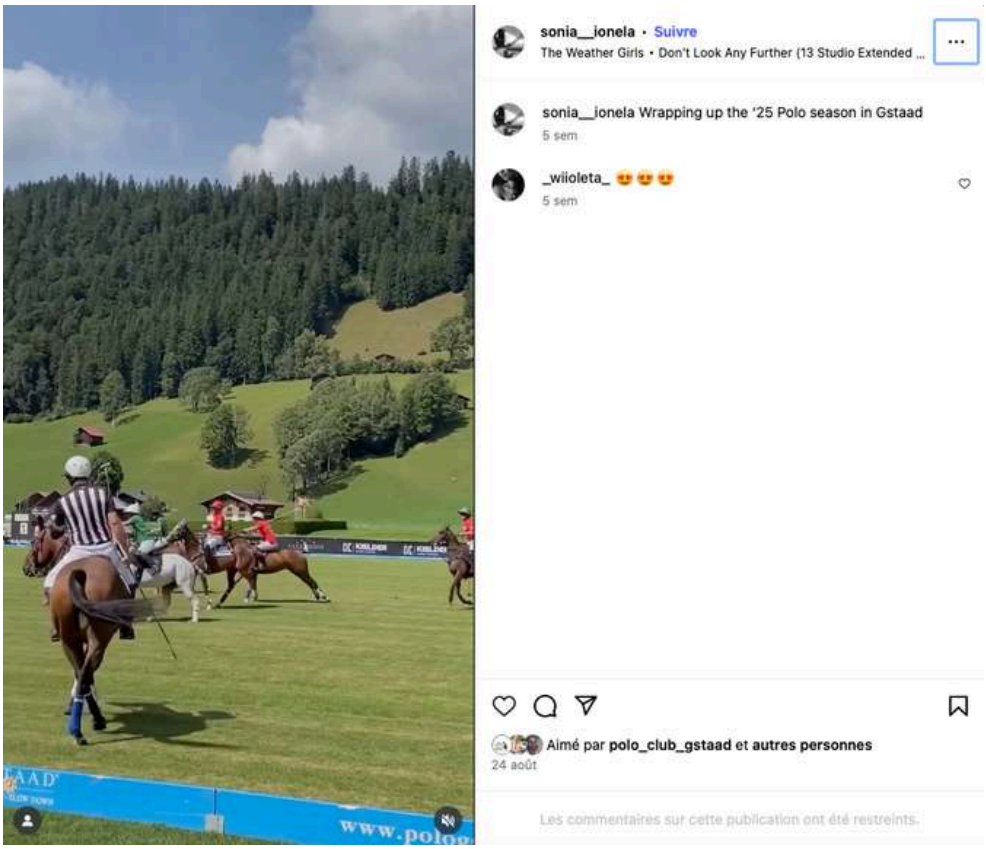
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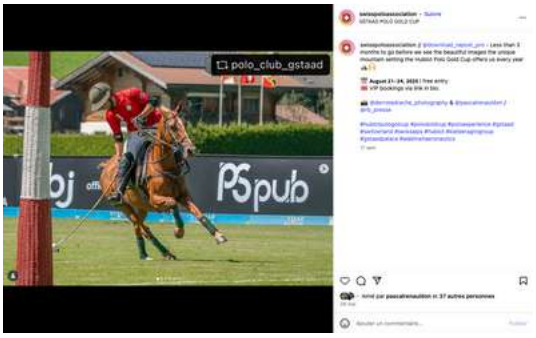
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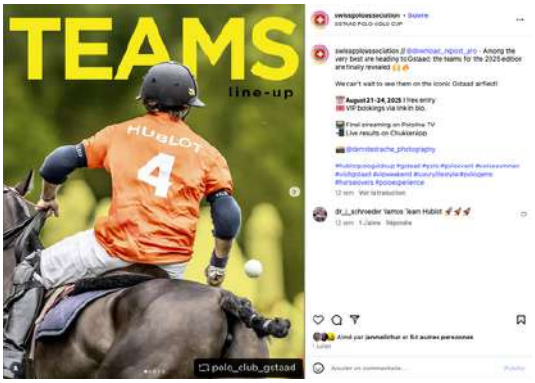


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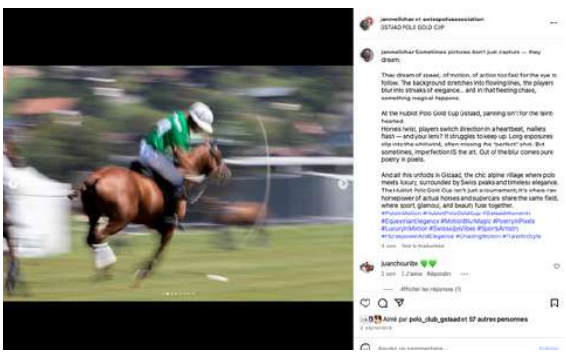












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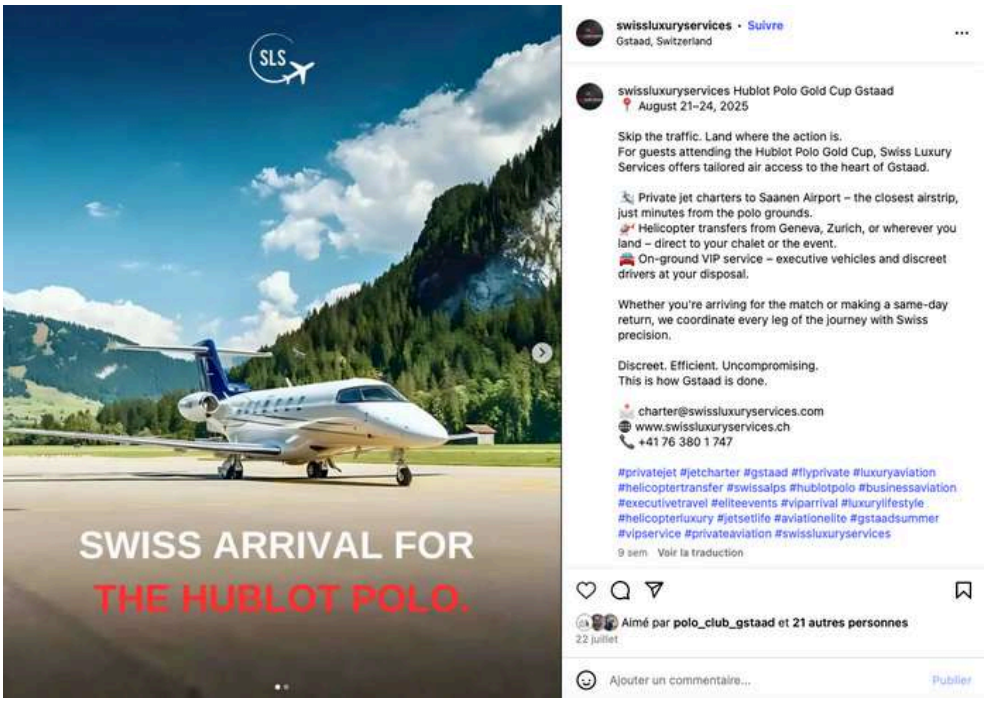




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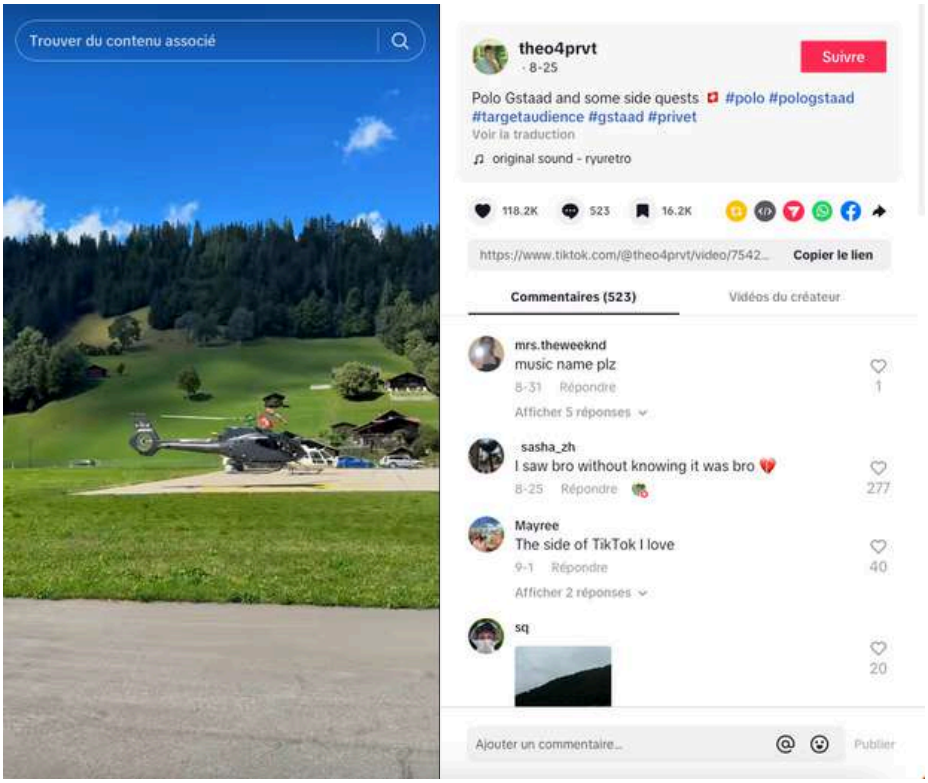
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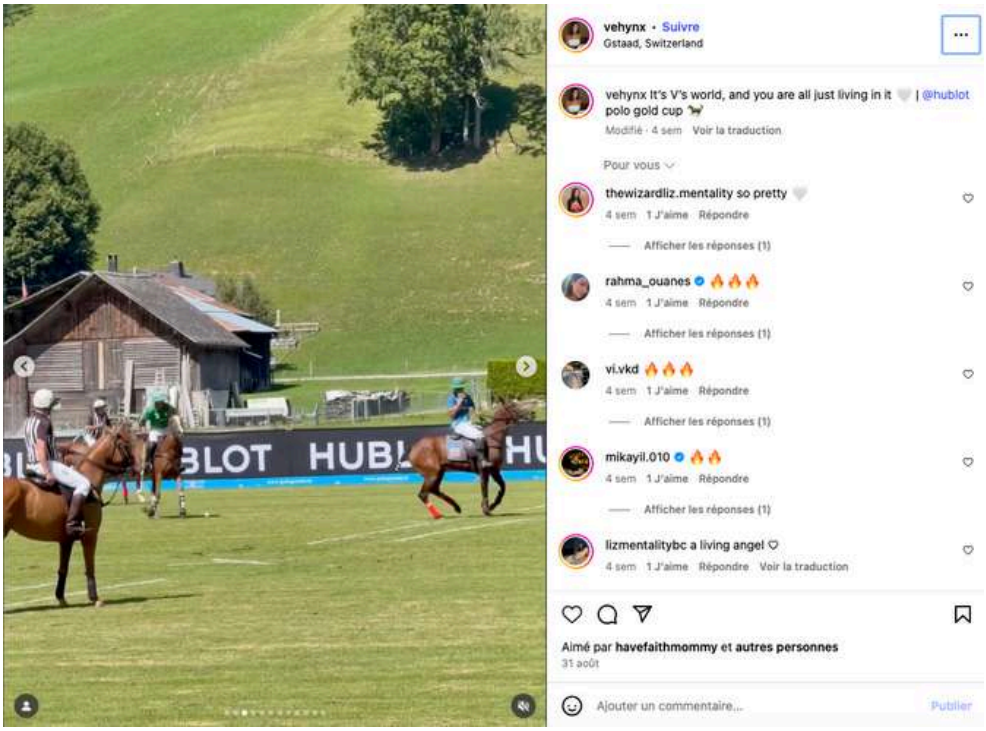
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STATISTICS



POLO CLUB GSTAAD

From April to August

High visibility on Facebook and Instagram

- **Facebook**: more than **67,000 people reached** and **64,000 views** during the season, including **15,000 reached** and **13,000 views during the event**.
- **Instagram**: even stronger, with over **156,000 people reached** and **644,000 views in total**, including **42,000 reached** and **288,000 views during the event**.

Tens of thousands of people saw and followed the tournament online.

Strong momentum during the event

- The **final weekend (24 August)** was a **record-breaking moment**:
  - Facebook: over **8,000 people reached** and **8,000 views** in a single day.
  - Instagram: over **18,000 people reached** and **18,000 views** on the same day.
- These days also generated the highest level of interactions (likes, comments, shares).

The tournament truly captivated its audience at the key moment.

A growing community

- **Facebook**: nearly **+100 new followers** gained over the period.
- Instagram: more than +**1,500 new followers in four months**, including almost **+400 during the event**.

The community is expanding quickly, especially on Instagram.

POLO CLUB GSTAAD
From April to August

A qualified and international audience

- **Facebook**: mainly Switzerland, Italy, France (with Geneva and Gstaad leading).
- **Instagram**: more **international** (Switzerland, United States, France, Argentina, United Kingdom).

The tournament reaches both its local audience and an international luxury/polo community.

Strong engagement

- Facebook: nearly **1,000 interactions during the event**.
- Instagram: more than **1,800 interactions over 4 days**.

Fans don’t just watch; they engage and interact.

Key takeaways

- **Massive international visibility** (more than 700,000 total views).
- The **final was the highlight**, widely followed and commented.
- The **community is growing fast,** especially on Instagram.
- The tournament attracts both a **Swiss local audience** and an **international audience**.

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