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(8 Goal Tournament)

The 2024 Jaipur Polo Season is almost over, but this 8-goal tournament witnessed more intense matches than ever.

The Rao Raja Hanut Singh Cup featured three teams and four matches over five days. The players went up against one another, hoping to achieve this prestigious title. Here's how things went in the past few days:



Participating Teams

V POLO +7

Nimit Mehta 0

Gaurav Sahgal +1

Angad Kalaan +2

Gerardo Mazzini +4

CARYSIL POLO +8

Dino Dhankhar 0

Kuldeep Singh Rathore +2

Bauti Alberdi +3

Shamsheer All +3

JAIPUR +8

Mahendra Singh -2

Simran Shergill +3

Lance Watson +4

HH Maharaja Sawai Padmanabh Singh of Jaipur +3

JAIPUR POLO SEASON 2024

MATCH 1

Jaipur vs Carysil Polo

DATE: 16 OCTOBER

The initial game of the Rao Raja Hanut Singh Cup was between Jaipur and Carysil Polo. The game started off on equal footing, but Jaipur had no intention of making it a close call. As the rounds progressed, Jaipur started scoring goals successively to increase the gap in lead, which made any comeback from the opposite side impossible.

Winners:

Jaipur (8-4)



MATCH 2

Carysil Polo vs V-Polo

DATE: 17 OCTOBER

The second game on the next day witnessed a game between Carysil Polo and V-Polo. The former team had a great start to the game, asserting dominance in the start; however, V-Polo was not ready to back down from a fight and came back strong in the second half of the match and were 0.5 points ahead in the game's final moments. Carysil Polo stood firmly and waited for the perfect opportunity to strike, and they were able to do so just before the final bell rang.

Winners:

Carysil Polo (9-8.5)

MATCH 3

Jaipur vs V-Polo

DATE: 18 OCTOBER

After winning their first game, Jaipur was again on the ground to face V-Polo. V-Polo's game was severely affected after a loss in the previous game, and Jaipur didn't waiver to capitalize on it. They scored eight goals, which proved enough to win this game and get a ticket to the finals

Winners:

Jaipur (8-5.5)



FINAL
Carysil Polo vs Jaipur
 DATE: 20 OCTOBER

Jaipur started well, scoring three goals in the first round, followed by a couple of goals from Carysil Polo in the upcoming second round. However, Jaipur pulled back the game by scoring another three consecutive goals and was eyeing an easy win. From here, Carysil Polo pulled out their best performance and scored all four goals in the last chukker to pull off a spectacular win, beating all odds.

Winners:
Carysil Polo (7-6)

Date	Round	Team	Goals	Team	Goals
16 October 2024	League	Jaipur	8	Carysil Polo	4
17 October 2024	League	Carysil Polo	9	V-Polo	8.5
18 October 2024	League	Jaipur	8	V-Polo	5.5
20 October 2024	Final	Carysil Polo	7	Jaipur	6

JINDAL PANTHER SHIELD

(6 Goal Tournament)

The Noida Polo Season continues to blow minds away with blistering action and unprecedented apprehensiveness in the Jindal Panther Shield.

Four teams entertained people with some of the best mallet swings and scored dozens of goals to entertain the crowd. Five games unfolded at the Jindal Polo Grounds, listed below in case you missed all the fun.



Participating Teams

JINDAL PANTHER

Naveen Jindal 0

Vishwarupe Bajaj 0

Siddhant Sharma +3

Simran Singh Shergill +3

DELTA POLO TEAM

Akshai Malik 0

Salim Azmi +1

Dhruvpal Godara +2

Chris Duggan +3

MAYFAIR POLO

Anay Shah 0

Bhawani Kalvi +1

Hurr Ali +2

Naveen Singh +2

STALLIONS

Jayvirsinh Gohil +1

Mahesh Sharma 0

AP Singh +1

Pranav Kapur 0

MATCH 1

Mayfair Polo vs Stallions

DATE: 14 OCTOBER

The first game of the Jindal Panther Shield featured a clash between Mayfair Polo and Stallion. Going into the match, Stallions had an advantage in terms of points. The bell rang, and both teams looked to have control over the ball. Mayfair Polo quickly overcame the disadvantage and scored many goals, scoring almost twice as many points as the opponents.

Winners:

Mayfair Polo (10-5.5)

MATCH 2

**Jindal Panther vs
Delta Polo Team**

DATE: 15 OCTOBER

The next game on the next day was between heavyweights Jindal Panther and Delta Polo. Giving their fans many reasons to cheer, Jindal Panther showed exceptional teamwork and skills to bring home this game, which was once evenly matched.

Winners:

Jindal Panther (7-4)



MATCH 3

Jindal Panther vs Stallions

DATE: 17 OCTOBER

The next game in line was Jindal Panther going up against the teams of Stallions. Stallions were out-matched in this game, too, as Jindal Panther showcased exceptional skills. Stallions could score only twice, and even though they started with a 2.5-goal advantage, Jindal Panther could easily overcome all of these by quite a big margin to win their second consecutive game

Winners:

Jindal Panther (10-4.5)



MATCH 4

Delta Polo vs Mayfair Polo

DATE: 18 OCTOBER

In a closely contested match that kept the audiences on their toes, Stallions performed gracefully and precisely, resonating in a spur of 4 goals. But Delta Polo followed through, and the third chukker almost made the score equal. They turned it around in the final moments of the matches and scored the vital two goals, leading them to win.

Winners:

Delta Polo (7-6)

FINAL

Jindal Panther vs Delta Polo Team

DATE: 19 OCTOBER

The final of this eminent tournament, Jindal Panther Shield, was played between the most experienced and deserving sides, Jindal Panther and Delta Polo. Delta Polo was off to a great start by scoring four goals in the first round, keeping Jindal Panther in check. Jindal Panther had to bounce back in the second half of the game by not only scoring a couple of goals but also preventing Delta Polo from scoring even once to keep the lead in check. At last, Delta Polo threw the game, which once looked like an easy win, and Jindal Panther pulled off a miracle, winning this once after a horrible start.

Winners:

Jindal Panther (7-5)

Date	Round	Team	Goals	Team	Goals
14 October 2024	League	Mayfair Polo	10	Stallions	5.5
15 October 2024	League	Jindal Panther	7	Delta Polo Team	4
17 October 2024	League	Jindal Panther	10	Stallions	4.5
18 October 2024	League	Delta Polo	7	Mayfair Polo	6
19 October 2024	Final	Jindal Panther	7	Delta Polo Team	5

ELLERSTON SPRING TROPHY

(12 Goal Tournament)

This past week, the peak of Australian polo was on display, with the tournament going on in full flow with goals blazing and mallets clashing to produce our last-standing champions.

This high-goal tournament played on the grounds of Ellerston Polo Club, featured thirteen teams and was an entertainment carnival held for ten days. With multiple matches being held on the same days, enthusiasts never ran out of fun. Below is the list of the teams and players in case you missed out on all the fun.

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MATCH 1

White Deere Park vs Larapinta

DATE: 18 OCTOBER

White Deere Park had been phenomenal throughout the tournament, and they were up against the mighty Larapinta in the first semi-final game. Proceeding cautiously with the game, both teams were extremely defensive and were so evenly matched that they mirrored each other's point till the halfway point. In the next two rounds, Larapinta scored at a little better pace to give themselves a one-point lead. It was up to the final round, and White Deere Park struck back by scoring a couple of goals and saving their goalposts from taking any goal, which turned things around and won them the game..

Winners:

WHITE DEERE PARK (6-5)

The opening days of the Ellerston Spring Trophy saw the above teams go at each other with every weapon in their arsenal. From low-scoring thrillers to high-scoring encounters, the event portrayed the strength of Australian Polo worldwide. Let us glance at some of the tournament's later stages, which were filled with high anticipation.

Participating Teams

ELLERSTON WHITE (12)

David Paradise (1)

Monty Mc Gregor (2)

William Harper (5)

Tomas Williams (4)

PINNACLE POLO (12)

Alex Warner (0)

William Gilmore (3)

Jack Berner (4)

Ruki Baillieu (5)

AEC (12)

Steve Urquhart (0)

Alec White (4)

Jack Archibald (4)

Alfie Hyde (4)

LEISURE CONCEPTS (12)

Troy Mc Bean (0)

Aiden Nunn (3)

Patrick O'Dwyer (6)

Nick Keyte (3)

SEMI-FINAL 2

Ellerston White vs Gardenvale

The teams had little gap regarding experience or grit; by the end of the third round, both teams had the exact number of points. Gardenvale then decided to push a little harder and got a small lead by the next round, but Ellerston White fired back with three consecutive goals of their own in the fifth round, which helped a lot in the victory of this match.

Winners:

ELLERSTON WHITE (8-6)

SUBSIDIARY FINAL

Leisure Concepts vs Garangula

DATE: 20 OCTOBER

The subsidiary final between Leisure Concepts and Garangula took place alongside the mainstream matches. The latter team gave themselves a boosted start in the first half, but gradually, Leisure Concepts picked up the pace, caught up with the opposition in the second half, and scored a couple of goals in the last round to win the game

Winners:

LEISURE CONCEPTS (7-6)



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TOWN & COUNTRY (12)

Jeremy Bayard (1)

Ed Thirwell (1)

James Fewster (5)

Sam Hopkinson (5)

ARUNGA (11)

Chris Dailey (0)

Adam Tolhurst (3)

Dylan Jones (3)

Bautista Panelo (5)

GARANGULA (12)

Ashley Glenie (1)

Ollie Cork (4)

Ed Hitchman (4)

Matt Evetts (3)

GARDENVALE (12)

Shane Finemore (0)

Jaime Bourdieu (1)

Tomas Fernandez (4)

Raul Laplacette (7)

ELLERSTON BLUE (12)

Ben Barham (0)

Lucas Grimes (1)

Matt Grimes (4)

James Harper (7)



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MATCH 1

White Deere Park vs Ellerston White

DATE: 20 OCTOBER

Finally, it was time for all-time consistent White Deere Park to face Ellerston White to claim the prestigious title of Ellerston Spring Trophy. Both teams were going at one another with all they got, and with each passing round, the anticipation kept growing. Ellerston White was ahead by the end of the second last round by a point, and going into the last round, White Deere Park did what they do best and came back by scoring three points when it mattered the most and claimed the title to their name.

Winners:

White Deere Park (8-7)

Date	Round	Team	Goals	Team	Goals
16 October 2024	Quarter-Final	White Deere Park	7	Pinnacle Polo	5
16 October 2024	Quarter-Final	Gardenvale	8	AEC	7
16 October 2024	Quarter-Final	Larapinta	9	Wright Pastoral	8
16 October 2024	Quarter-Final	Ellerston White	11	Arunga	10
18 October 2024	Semi-Final	White Deere Park	6	Larapinta	5
18 October 2024	Subsidiary Semi-Final	Garangula	7	Wright	6
18 October 2024	Semi-Final	Ellerston White	8	Pastoral	6
18 October 2024	Subsidiary Semi-Final	Leisure Concepts	9	Gardenvale	5.5
20 October 2024	Subsidiary Final	Leisure Concepts	7	Arunga	6
20 October 2024	Final	White Deere Park	8	Garangula	7

WRIGHT PASTORAL (12)

- Glen Wright (0)
- Cody Grimes (3)
- Jack Spilsbury (3)
- Mariano Aguerre (6)

LARAPINTA (12)

- Balfour Irvine(0)
- Blake Grimes (2)
- Lachlan Gilmore (5)
- Thomas Hunt (5)

WHITE DEERE PARK (12)

- Alex Zak (1)
- Federico Iraola (2)
- Gus Aguirre (4)
- Dirk Gould (5)

SANDALFORD (12)

- Warwick Prendiville (1)
- Dave Marshall (2)
- Byron Watson (5)
- Zac Hagedoom (4)

POLO EVENTS

Several international events made headlines across the globe with an abundance of action.

THIS WEEK

1 ELLERSTON SPRING TROPHY

Date: 11 - 20 October
Location: Ellerston Onassis Polo, Australia

GOAL LEVEL: 12

Winner:
White Deere Park (8) vs Ellerston White (7)



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2 ARCHIBALD - CUDMORE TROPHY

Date: 12 - 20 October
Location: Ellerston Onassis Polo, Australia

GOAL LEVEL: 6

Winner:
Garangula K.O. Angus (8) vs The Table Club (7)



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3 COPA MUNICIPALIDAD DE PILAR

Date: 1 October - 23 October
Location: Asociación Argentina de Polo, Argentina

GOAL LEVEL: 24-27

Winner:
Sol de Agosto (11) vs La Natividad (10)



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UPCOMING WEEK



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1 LA FIJA SPRING CUP

Date: 23 - 27 October
Location: La Fija Polo Club, Argentina

GOAL LEVEL: 10

2 COPA CAMPANA DEL DESIERTO

Date: 15 October - 4 November
Location: Asociación Argentina de Polo, Argentina

GOAL LEVEL: 23-24

3 84TH ABIERTO DE TORTUGAS

Date: 12 October - 1 November
Location: Asociación Argentina de Polo, Argentina

GOAL LEVEL: 31-40

4 SPRING TROPHY (6 GOAL)

Date: 28 October - 3 November
Location: Garangula Polo Club, Australia

GOAL LEVEL: 6

5 SPRING TROPHY (12 GOAL)

Date: 25 October - 3 November
Location: Garangula Polo Club, Australia

GOAL LEVEL: 12



UNDER THE SEA: THE DISNEY ADVENTURE SETS SAIL IN ASIA

This cruise seamlessly blends Disney's coveted storytelling with the thrills of a luxury family vacation with Disney Adventure.

Having redefined the world of children's entertainment and created some of the most beloved amusement parks globally, Disney is now crafting yet another extraordinary experience at sea with the launch of the Disney Cruise Line. With six ships in their fleet already, they've

added a new Disney Cruise Line designed exclusively for the Southeast Asian audience. Giving Disney enthusiasts yet another experience to look forward to, this venture seamlessly blends Disney's coveted storytelling with the thrills of a luxury family vacation with Disney Adventure.

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LET'S TAKE A TOUR OF THE DISNEY ADVENTURE

Every inch of the Disney Adventure has been meticulously crafted to welcome guests into the magical world of Disney. Whether it's enthralling live shows, culinary delights, or kid clubs, there's something for everyone here. On the ship, immerse yourself in Disney Magic with the 7 themed areas - Disney Imagination Garden, Disney Discovery Reef, San Fransokyo Street, Marvel Landing, Toy Story Place, Town Square, and Wayfinder Bay. For the thrill-seekers, the upper decks are filled with roller coasters and rides

that will provide an action-packed holiday. For water lovers, the ship's water slides and splash zones at the Toy Story Palace create a fun aquatic paradise you'll never want to leave the waves behind. The San Fransokyo Street blends technology and adventure sports, giving the space a futuristic vibe.

We then move on to the Dining Space, which has two entertainment restaurants and an array of other premium dining and quick service options. From authentic Italian and Japanese dishes to delightful Hawaiian specialties, the Disney Adventure

offers a world of cuisines that cater to every palate. One can head to the Walt Disney Theatre after nightfall to get a taste of a Broadway show.

WHAT'S NEW AT DISNEY ADVENTURE?

Among the many themed areas on the ship, the Disney Imagination Garden is a new addition inspired by 100 years of Disney's heartwarming tales. Here, you and your loved ones can enjoy shopping and dining amidst picturesque gardens, and who knows—you might even catch a mesmerising show or two!

One of the most awaited introductions to the ship is the Marvel Landing, a space that brings the Marvel Universe alive with jaw-dropping stunts, incredible special effects,



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and action-packed live shows. The Ironcycle Test Run, one of the most thrilling roller-coasters at sea soaring above the ship decks at 820 feet is one of the latest additions at the Marvel Landing. It has everyone at the edge of their seats with anticipation. Avengers Assemble is an exciting live show at Marvel Landing that immerses guests in the action as Marvel's greatest superheroes battle their most notorious villains.

A CULINARY EXTRAVAGANZA

The most anticipated among these culinary experiences are Disney Adventure's two entertainment restaurants that will incorporate special appear-

ances and interactions with iconic Disney characters like Mickey and Minnie Mouse. The Navigator's Club pays homage to the honoured tradition of 'captain's table' dinners. On the other hand, we have the Hollywood Spotlight Club, which highlights Hollywood's golden era. Adding to the experience, the ship will welcome guests to two animated restaurants celebrating the legacy of Disney and Pixar animated films - Animator's Palette and Animator's Table.

From Palo Trattoria, an upscale Italian restaurant, to Mike & Sulley's - Flavours of Asia, a full-service Japanese steakhouse, premium dining has a different meaning here. If you're looking for a



quick bite, Bewitching Boba and Brews, Mowgli's Eatery, Gramma Tala's Kitchen, and Stitch's Ohana Grill are great casual dining options.

ACCOMMODATIONS AND LUXURI- OUS SERVICES

The rooms on the Disney Adventure blend modern comfort with the charm of Disney, Pixar, and Marvel stories. Each stateroom is meticulously built with family-friendly features and delightful Disney touches, such as split-bathroom layouts for simple preparation and raised bed frames for more storage. Whether passengers want cozy places for families, innovative getaways for companions, or luxurious suites for maximum enjoyment, Disney Adventure has various accommodation options to meet any traveler's demands. Complimentary baby supplies and well-planned places guarantee an easy, comfortable visit for all ages.





FUTURE ON WHEELS: BOLD INNOVATIONS AT THE PARIS MOTOR SHOW 2024

The Parisian automotive event upheld its legacy of innovation, showcasing cutting-edge technologies and sustainable solutions shaping the industry's future.

After its hiatus, following the 2022 edition, the Paris Motor Show 2024 (Mondial de l'Auto Paris 2024), held from October 14th to 20th, came back strong, regaining much of the excitement and appeal it's known for. Though many luxury and sports car makers were absent this year, the Parisian automotive event upheld its legacy of innovation, showcasing cutting-edge technologies and sustainable solutions shaping the industry's future. This year, in particular, primarily focused on electric vehicles and SUVs. Here are some key moments.

EVENTS



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NOTABLE MOMENTS FROM THE PARIS MOTOR SHOW 2024

- The return of German titans Volkswagen, Audi, and BMW to the Paris Motor Show marks an important and positive shift in the automobile industry. These firms, who previously restricted their involvement in international events outside of Germany, are now re-engaging with a worldwide audience, demonstrating the value of reconnecting with customers.

- Alpine made a statement at

the Paris Motor Show with the premiere of its sporty A290, a variation of the Renault 5, with two interesting concepts: the A390, previewing 85% of the brand's future electric four-door coupe, and the Alpenglow, featuring a hydrogen-powered V6 engine. Dacia also made news when it unveiled the Bigster, a striking C-segment family SUV destined to shock the market like the Duster has done in the B-segment since 2010.

- With a surprising turn of events, Stellantis adopted a more

strategic approach at the Paris Motor Show, emphasizing multi-energy platforms rather than going all-in on electric. Peugeot showcased its E-408 sedan, moving closer to offering a fully electric option for every model in its lineup. Citroën revealed the versatile C3 Aircross SUV, available in gasoline and electric versions, while surprising attendees with a nearly finished concept of the future C5 Aircross. Alfa Romeo joined in with the debut of the Junior, offering both hybrid and electric versions, adding to the brand's growing lineup.

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- Leapmotor made its European debut at the Paris Motor Show, introducing four models spanning the tiny T03 city vehicle to the six-seater C16 SUV, featuring Stelantis handling distribution. Xpeng, a Chinese business sponsored by Alibaba and Didi, focused on luxury technology with its G9 SUV and P7+ sedan. Skyworth, formerly an electronics giant, unveiled four electric vehicles ahead of their European debut in 2024, including a utility vehicle. Meanwhile, Hongqi, which supplies cars to

Chinese government officials, has positioned itself as a “new global luxury brand” trying to compete with Bentley and Rolls-Royce.

BRINGING IN THE ELECTRIC AGE OF AUTOMOBILES

The industry’s most apparent trend at this year’s convention was the dawn of the Electric Era. One of the most unique innovations in this year’s edition was the introduction of license-free electric cars, otherwise known as microcars or quadricycles. Renault spear-headed this movement with their brand

Mobilize, which unveiled two new microcar models at the event. The Duo, first presented at the 2022 convention, can be driven by anyone over 14 and boasts speeds of up to 45 km/h with a mileage of 161 km on a five-and-a-half hour charge. Another crowd favorite at Renault is the 2024 Estafette Concept, a modern electric van that embodies the brand’s vision for the future of urban transport. Drawing on elements from previous designs, the Estafette combines the 3.5-meter length of the Kangoo L2, the agility of the Clio hybrid, and the payload

capacity of the traffic L1H2 to give us a new and improved version of the electric van.

A unique feature at this year’s convention was the addition of go-karting tracks. But why were they included? Well, this was done to showcase the go-karts of the future, the Speed2Max, a fully electric go-kart model that recharges in just 8 minutes and can be used on outdoor and indoor circuits.

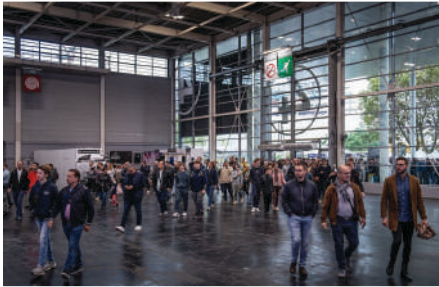


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UPCOMING MATCHES

Zoom Communication Bhopal-Pataudi Cup (6 Goals) (Delhi)

21 - 27 October

General Amar Singh Kanota Cup (6 Goals) (Jaipur)

21 - 27 October

Baria Cup (4 Goal)

25 - 3 November

Habanos Cavalry Gold Cup (8 Goal)

4 - 10 November

Field Marshall Cariappa Cup (Out of Hats) (2 Goal)

4 - 16 November

Umaid Bhawan Palace Sir Pratap Singh Cup (12 Goal)

11 - 17 November

DGST Trophy (6 Goal)

11 - 22 November

India Sotheby's International Realty Indian Masters (14 Goal)

18 - 24 November





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