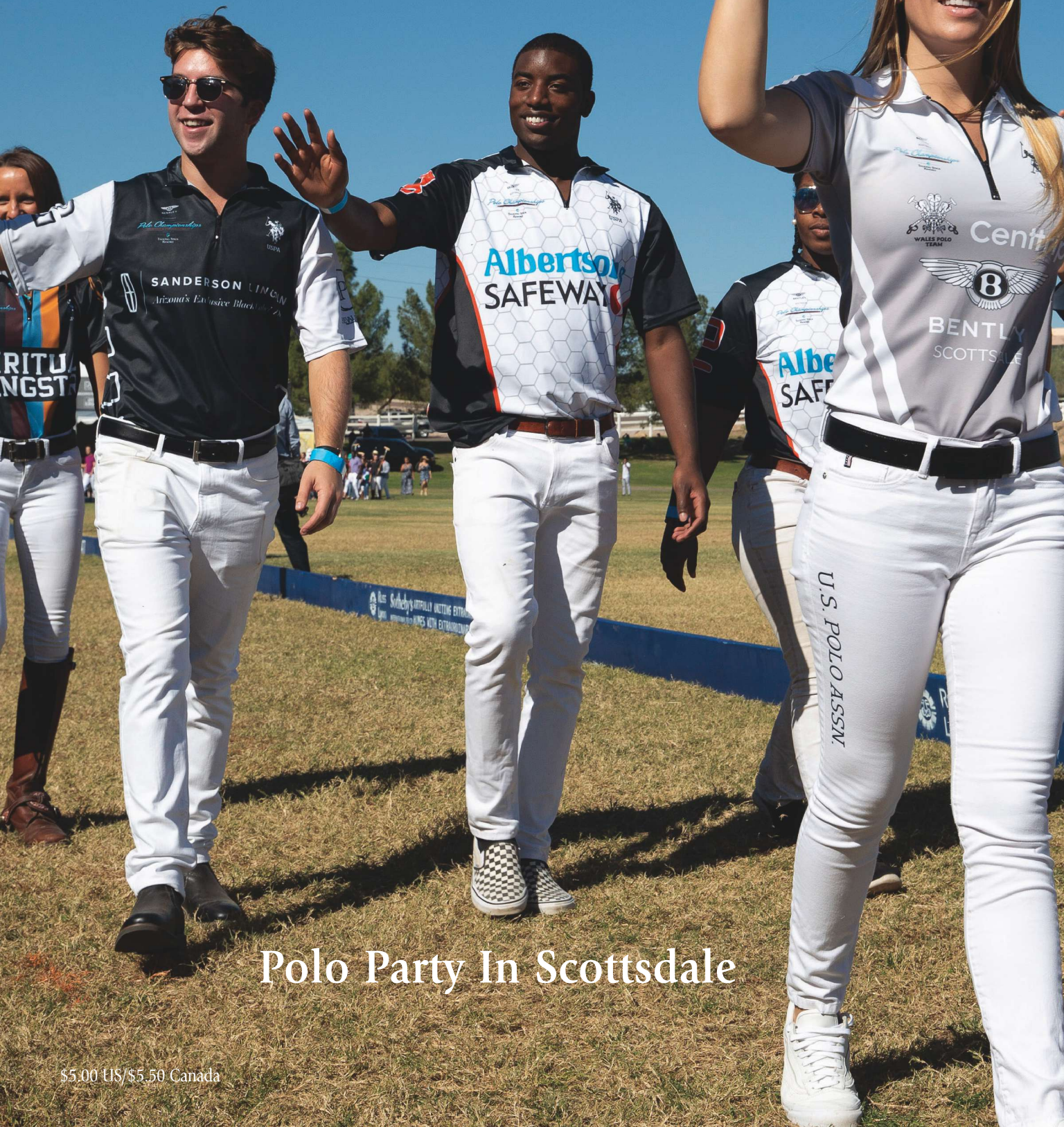


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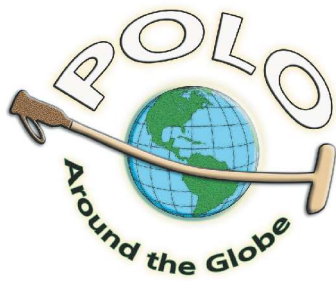
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Eighth edition of Lawyers Polo held in Tangier

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Commitment, companionship and above all: passion. That is what Lawyers Polo is about. A tournament that aims to bring together polo lawyers from different parts of the world for a week on a polo field. The main concept is the exchange of ideas and professional experiences in the most spectacular clubs in the world.

After seven editions (Buenos Aires, Madrid, Toronto, Dubai, Paris, Bangkok and Sotogrande) the 2018 tournament was held in Tangier, Morocco. PGH La Palmeraie, the exclusive polo club owned by Patrick

Guerrand-Hermès, includes three fields on the Atlantic Ocean.

Eight teams, 32 players and many family and friends were part of the Lawyers Polo 10th anniversary: a week of polo, beach and adventures among which there were 16 polo matches, a black-tie cocktail and a Moroccan party.

The eighth edition of Lawyers Polo (the tournament was not played in 2013, 2014 or 2017) also featured a series of special trophies offered by the Royal House under the blessing of Haut Patronage from the King Mohammed VI and the participation of the Royal Fantasy.

The eight teams included lawyers and players from: Argentina, Austria,



Fantasia, the traditional Moroccan ceremony, celebrates the bond between man and horse. A group of riders in elaborate costumes gallop in a straight line, brandishing muskets. A synchronized firing of guns makes it sound as if a single shot has been fired.

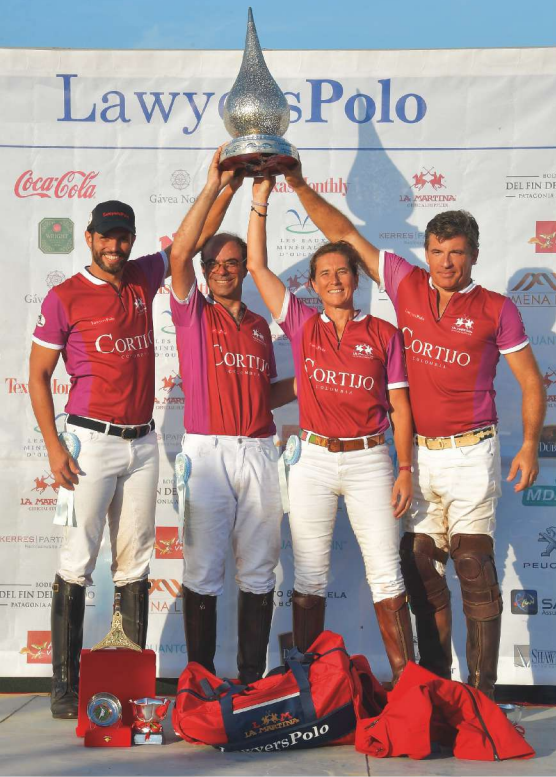


The event was held at PGH La Palmeraie, the exclusive polo club owned by Patrick Guerrand-Hermès. The club has three polo fields on the Atlantic Ocean.



A Moroccan dinner party, trips to the beach and other adventures gave everyone a chance to experience the local culture.

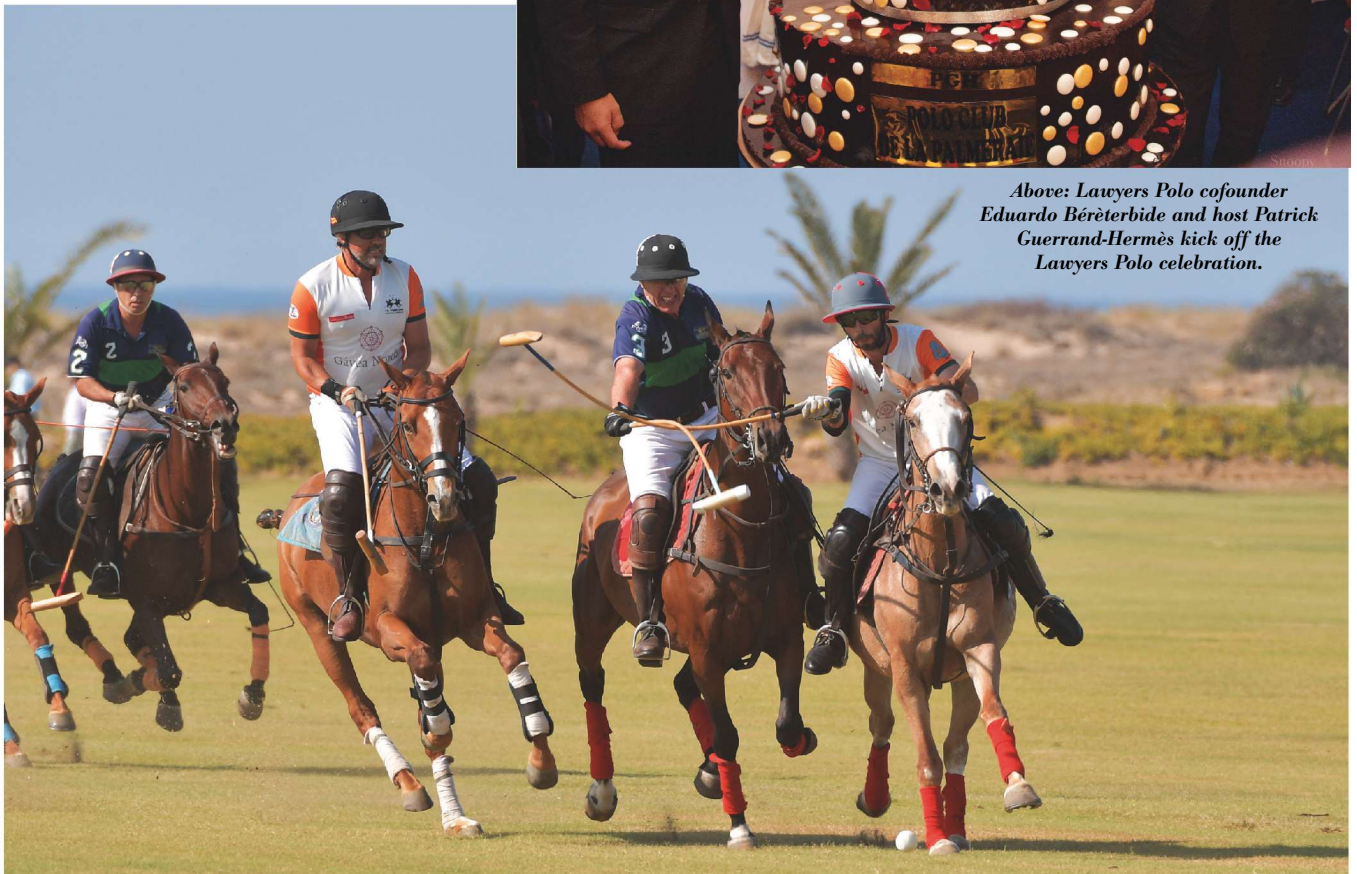
Cortijo's Alfredo Vargas, Luis Nieto, Elspeth Talbot and Felipe Mendes de Almeida took the Lawyers Polo title.



Above: PGH La Palmeraie club owner Patrick Guerrand-Hermès and artist Alejandro Moy present Eduardo Bèreterbide a Moy sketch for being Most Gentleman Player.



Above: Lawyers Polo cofounder Eduardo Bèreterbide and host Patrick Guerrand-Hermès kick off the Lawyers Polo celebration.



Shawn Coulson's Joel Romero solidly hooks Gávea North's Jacinto Peralta Ramos in the consolation for third and fourth place. Shawn Coulson won.

Canada, Colombia, France, Germany, India, Morocco, Malaysia, Portugal, Slovakia, Singapore, Switzerland, Chile, Venezuela, Brazil, United Kingdom and the United States.

The matches began on Tuesday, Sept. 25, with Mena Legal defeating Texas Monthly, 6-4; Cortijo defeating Bodega Fin del Mundo, 8-4; Gavea North defeating Quantocoin, 5-3; and Shawn Coulson defeating Kerres Partners, 9-1.

Second-round games had Bodega Fin del Mundo defeating Quantocoin, 3-2; Cortijo defeating Gavea North, 4-2; Shawn Coulson defeating Texas Monthly, 5-3; and Mena Legal defeating Kerres Partners, 9-4.

Mena Legal took its third win, defeating Shawn Coulson, 6-4; Gavea North edged Bodega Fin del Mundo, 3-2; Cortijo crushed Quantocoin, 9-4; and Kerres Partners got the best of Texas Monthly, 3-1.

The final and consolation matches were played on Saturday, Sept. 29. Texas Monthly prevailed over Quantocoin, 3-1,

Cortijo:	2
Luis Nieto (Columbia)	1
Alfredo Vargas (Venezuela)	1
Elspeth Talbot (United Kingdom)	0
Felipe Mendes de Almeida (Portugal)	0

Shawn Coulson:	2
Juan Vigo (Argentina)	2
Rachid Arfaoui (Morocco)	0
Joel Romero (Argentina)	0
Piero Dillier (Switzerland)	0

Gávea North:	2
Jacinto Peralta Ramos (Argentina)	2
Guillermo Steta Mondragon (Mexico)	1
Miguel Caetano Freitas (Portugal)	-1
Gerry Gan (Singapore)	A

Texas Monthly:	2
Sergio Eguiguren (Chile)	3
Mohamed Filali (Morocco)	0
Paul Hobby (United States)	0
Carlos Portugal Gouvea (Brazil)	-1

Quantocoin:	1
Eduardo Bereterbide (Argentina)	1
Alston Beinhorn (United States)	-1
Carlos Rivas (Venezuela)	1
Joseph Fitzsimons (United States)	0

Kerres Partners:	1
Ahmed Moukachi (Morocco)	1
Christoph Kerres (Austria)	0
Martin Magal (Eslovaquia)	1
Farid Rifaat (Austria)	-1

Bodega Fin del Mundo	2
Jose Frias Silva (Argentina)	2
Joachim Feller (Germany)	1
Misty Allen (United States)	-1
Rodrigo Sola Torino (Argentina)	0

Mena Legal:	1
Sidi Mojamet (Morocco)	2
Dinyar Madon (India)	0
Philip Saame (Germany)	0
Luca Frontini (Italy)	-1

for seventh place honors. Bodegas Fin del Mundo edged Kerres Partners, 2-1, for fifth place, while Shawn Coulson slipped Gavea North, 3-2, for third place. The final pitted Mena Legal against Cortijo, both with 3-0 records. It was a

close match but in the end Cortijo prevailed, 6-4.

Cortijo's Alfredo Vargas was named MVP, while Most Gentleman Player went to Quantocoin's Eduardo Bérèterbide. ♦



The players and teams were introduced at a black-tie gala. The event brings together lawyers from around the world to mingle, network and enjoy some polo competition.