Geneva Polo Club

2025 Season

Polo First Steps



First steps toward polo at Geneva Polo Club!



Welcome to polo training for NEW PLAYERS!

The club offers polo training and competitions for players of all ages and levels on its 30 ha regenerative farm just outside Geneva.

Exhilaration, grace, speed or adrenaline are just some of the terms used to describe the "sport of kings". Come experience the thrill of polo!

"Discovering" sessions

New players with basic riding experience* can join our regular training programs as below:

- **First time Trial**: Come try it out: in a 45 minute session we will give you a basic orientation, familiarize you with polo, get on the horse, and stick and ball at a slow pace with our pro. Catch the vibe! **EUR 120**.
- Book of 3 Group training sessions: Join our weekly group training sessions on Tuesday, Thursday, Friday evenings (other times possible TBC). Stick & Ball training and slow instructional chukka organized by our experienced members and club pros. **EUR 600** (see notes).

Notes: *All players, regardless of level, must obtain the FFP handicap card that carries accident insurance in order to train at the club. **First time trials and Books of 3 sessions are limited to one. *** Trainings are not qualified as lessons! Other members and pros are there to also train and will gladly provide advice and structure but they are not providing lessons. ****Licensed riding instructors may at times be present on the field and only they are authorized to give formal lessons.



"Custom Polo"

New players can also choose from among semi-private or individual polo training with professional club players as below:

- **Semi-private session** (2 persons): By appointment, more personalized training (stick & ball, technique, excercises) **EUR 150**. (EUR 300 for 2)
- **Individual session**: By appointment, more personalized training (stick & ball, technique...) **EUR 200**.

Note: the club reserve the right to accept or decline based on the availability of horses and the schedule of sessions.



Paddock Polo

Paddock polo as structured by the FFP is a simple and fun practice of polo typically using minimally groomed fields, and, or, the sand arena, and the large plastic, or rubber air ball.

This is a great way to get started with the sport of polo and it is also very well adapted for kids given the slower speed.

Sessions take place on Thursdays at 7pm.

Annual membership:

Adult: €600, Kids : €300

Groupe session €80, private session €150.

Note: Paddock Polo need its own FFP Licence.

Get it here: https://www.francepolo.com/form-licence/



Notes

- The above "discovering" training programs are designed for players wishing to try out/ start playing polo and do not require the payment of green fees.
- Participants must apply for a FFP polo licence that also carries handicap card available here: https://www.francepolo.com/form-licence/
- There are limitations on how many of the above services are offered and beginning players should become Training Members after having participated in several of the above training programs. The training membership (EUR 2,500 per season) gives the right to purchase further books of 5 or 10 group trainings. In the case where the player has the appropriate level and wishes to play chukkas this is possible and coupons from the training books may be used at the rate of 1 coupon per chukka.
- Services included in trainings include: horse preparation and rental, polo instruction from our pros, use of the players/ hospitality area..
- All players must carry valid insurance covering equestrian sports (FFP hcp card or other) as a security measure and for liability.
- Players recognize that the club (Geneva Polo Club, EARL SCCF and its affiliates) are not officially giving any form of riding lessons but rather facilitating polo training for new players according to the provisions of the FFP and paddock polo.
- Registration payments can be sent via bank transfer to : GENEVA POLO CLUB HAUTE SAVOIE, IBAN FR76 3000 3001 0400 0372 6245 435, SWIFT: SOGEFRPP



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