



Santa Barbara Polo & Racquet Club
2021 Vic Graber Tournament & Harry East Memorial

SANTA BARBARA, CA. (May 30th, 2021) The Santa Barbara Polo & Racquet Club saw a packed weekend of polo that finished off with two finals on Sunday, May 30th. The Vic Graber tournament took the best two teams out of four competitive 12 goal teams and the Harry East took the best two of three to the finals. The result was two riveting games back to back, both with close ending scores.

The first final, the Harry East Memorial, took place on Field 1 at the Santa Barbara Polo Club. The match-up was between Dundas II and Farmers and Merchants Bank. FMB came out to win, this being their first final of the 12 goal season. Dundas II also played hard to see if they could win their first final of the season after qualifying for the last one. The game began with large efforts from Dundas II, scoring four goals from the field and converting two penalties in the first half. FMB stayed in it with one penalty conversion and three goals from the field to finish half down 4-6. In the final chukker, the score was all tied up at 10-10 until in the last two minutes when Jason Crowder scored two goals, winning the Harry East Memorial for Dundas II. For his valiant efforts, Jason Crowder was awarded MVP and best playing pony went to Danny Walker's mare, "Cachamay".

The Vic Graber Final occurred on the US Polo Assn. Stadium field at 4 PM between Klentner Ranch and Folded Hills/FMB Too!. Folded Hills/FMB Too! began with a two goal handicap due to player substitution of Lucas Criado for Santi Von Wernich. Klentner Ranch started off the half with two penalty conversions and one goal from the field while trying to get their bearings. Folded Hills/FMB Too! came out strong with three penalty conversions and three field goals to end the third chukker up 8-3. Klentner Ranch began to comeback in the second half scoring six more goals, but to no avail with Folded Hills/FMB Too! maintaining their lead to win the Vic Graber 13-9. Seventeen year old, Lucas Criado, was awarded MVP for his precise penalties and multiple field goals. The best playing pony, a bay mare by the name of "LAC Que Ramona" was played by Lucas Criado and owned by Santi Von Wernich.

About Santa Barbara Polo & Racquet Club

Santa Barbara Polo & Racquet Club is the premier destination for summer polo. Players and Patrons from all across the globe call Santa Barbara their home for the summer, bringing world class polo to the Southern California coast. No spectators will currently gather for matches due to COVID-19. We are taking all precautions during the 2020 season including weekly testing, face-masks, and social distancing. Please visit the Spectator Information page for more information.

For more information and to purchase tickets, visit our website, www.sbpolo.com.