

## Curriculum Vitae

Klarina Pichler

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**Languages:** (*fluent*) English, German, Spanish (*conversational*) French

### Current Polo Management Roles:

**2021 (November)-today** Polo Management Team, Iridike Polo Club, Sotogrande, Spain

**2019-today** Director International Polo Events Ltd. (Companies House, London, number 12348482)  
Clients including the Mauritius Tourism Authority, Gastein (Austria) Tourism Board

**2017-today** Manager Polo Andalusia ([www.PoloAndalusia.com](http://www.PoloAndalusia.com))  
Clients including the Royal Dragoon Guards of the British Army and the Royal Air Force.

### Previous Polo Management Roles:

**2021 July-November** Polo Manager, Leadenham Polo Club, Lincolnshire.

**2018-2021 (July)** Polo Management Team, Iridike Polo Club, Sotogrande, Spain

**2013-2018** Polo Manager, Seville Polo Club at La Mata del Herrador, Spain

**2009-2013** Polo Manager and Founder, Carinthia Polo Club, Austria.

**2008** Head of Stables for Philip Maeder, Federico Bachman in Winterthur, Zürich, Switzerland

**2007** Groom for Piere Dillier and Lucas Labat

**2006** Groom at Royal Barcelona Polo Club, Spain

### Professional Polo Playing:

*HPA Handicap: +4 (Ladies), 1 (Mixed)*

*HPA Qualified Polo Coach (overseas)*

**Tournaments** (*over 100 played, including*) Torneo de Santa Maria de Lobos Sotogrande, Memorial de Inigo Arteaga, Sotogrande Santa Maria Cups, Mercedes Benz Salzburg, Slovakian Open, Hungarian Diplomats Cup, Niederweiden Cup Austria, Ebreichsdorf Spring Cup, Copa de Andalucia, Memorial Joaquin Garrige, Iridike Cups, La Mata de Herrador Cups, Snow Polo Turracher Höhe, Snow Polo Seefeld, Beach Polo Zahara Spain, Torneo femenino Internacional, Campeonato de España Femenino, Santa Maria de Lobos Ladies Cup, Ladies VAS, Ibiza Beach Polo, *etc.etc.*

**Polo Pony Breeding:** (*full breeding herd, resident in Sotogrande, Spain*)

**Stallion:** Thoroughbred, El Star, born 2005, by Two-Twenty-Two, who was by Fairy King (full brother of Sadler's Wells, the sire of Frankel, the highest ranked racehorse in history.) Fairy King was by Northern Dancer, out of Fairy Bridge. General Stud Book: <https://www.pedigreequery.com/elstar2>

**Mares:** Argentinian, from the herds of Lucas Labat, Federico Bachmann and Ignacio Tillous.

## **Polo Pony Provision:**

### **Tournaments** (*including*)

**2020:** St Mortiz Snow Polo.

**2019:** Polo In The Port, Montenegro, St Mortiz Snow Polo, Snow Polo Kitzbühel.

**Previous Tournaments:** Slovakian Open, Geneva Open, Snow Polo Cortina, Snow Polo Klosters, European Masters VAS, Torneo Land Rover Sotogrande, Ibiza Beach Polo, St Mortiz, Kitzbühel, *etc.*

### **Individual Players** (*including*)

Alejandro Novillo Astrada, Henry Brett, Melissa Ganzi, Augustin Merlos, Juan Martin Nero, Pelon Escapite, Tarquin Southwell, Andrea Vianini, Maharaja Sawai Padmanabh Singh, Wolfensberger, Stefan Proietti, Hazel Jackson, Nina Clarkin, Aki van Andel, Steffi van Pock, Henk Van Druten.

## **Qualifications: Equestrian**

**1994** *Volteo* (Equestrian Vaulting): Fornatter/ Dürauer. Gastein, Austria

**1996** Eventing and Dressage: License, Reitclub Gastein, Austria

**1998** Racehorse Training: Wolfgang Figge, Munich, Germany

## **Qualifications: Academic**

**2009-2010** University of Vienna, Austria, Certificate, MGT Institute, Kreativtrainerin

**2005-2006** University of Barcelona, Spain, Diploma, Metafora, Centre d'Estudis d'Artteràpia

**1994-1998** Gymnasium, Gastein, Austria Baccalaureate (*equivalent: Matura*)