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A Private Polo Experience With Nacho Figueras in Uruguay

In the hills of the chic coastal enclave of José Ignacio in Uruguay sits Estancia Vik, a luxurious private retreat of just 12 spacious suites, which is an ideal buyout for a group whose passions encompass fine art, wine, cuisine, outdoor sports and horses. The beautiful Spanish colonial resort sprawls across 4,000 acres that include a golf course, two grass tennis courts, a pool, a spa and a gym as well as a stable full of horses to play on the private polo field, all for your exclusive use during your weeklong stay. To help you with your game—and offered exclusively to a *Robb Report* reader—celebrated Argentine polo player Nacho Figueras will be on hand to give lessons to your party.

Marked by warm, attentive service, the Estancia Vik is a true escape, surrounded by pastureland and very secluded, though

it's only a short drive to the shores of the Atlantic. Works by Uruguayan artists adorn the private suites and public spaces, including murals by José Trujillo in the gym and spa and a dramatic marble sculpture by Pablo Atchugarry in the living room. Cuisine at the on-site restaurant, El Asador, focuses on traditional gaucho open-hearth cooking, and wines include the estate's own label as well as premium bottles from around the world. Additional activities such as Spanish lessons for both children and adults, horseback riding, cooking classes with the chef, historic sightseeing and workshops with local artists can also be arranged. *From \$75,000, for up to 24 people, double occupancy, some blackout dates apply; reservations@estanciavik.com*
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On the polo field
at Estancia Vik