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THE EXPENSIVE RACING SHOW



Formula 1 is not only a race, but also a big show. Fast cars, famous drivers, millions of fans...

Every year, the season starts and people all over the world watch it. The cars go at more than 300 km/h, so the excitement is always high.



But why is this sport so expensive? The first reason is the cars. They are not normal cars. Every part is special and costs a lot of money. Even one tire can cost thousands of dollars. The second reason is the teams. Each team has engineers, mechanics, trainers, and managers. They all need good salaries.

The budget of a Formula 1 team is crazy. Some teams spend more than 100 million dollars in one season. They pay for cars, travel, hotels, and promotion. Without sponsors and big companies, no team can survive.



Formula 1 is also a business. Brands want to show their names on the cars. They pay millions for this. That is why Formula 1 looks like a moving advertisement, but fans still love it.

**Fast cars, big money and glamour...
Formula 1 is not just a sport,
but it is a lifestyle as well.**



**FORMULA 1
SINCE 1950**

HORSE RACE

HORSE RACING IS A SPORT TO SEE WHICH HORSE REACHES THE FINISH LINE FIRST. HORSES ARE RIDDEN BY JOCKEYS. THE HORSES START RUNNING WHEN THE RACE BEGINS. THE JOCKEY SHOULD STAY ON THE HORSE UNTIL THE FINISH LINE. SPORT IS MOSTLY WATCHED BY SOCIETY. SOME PEOPLE PLACE BETS ON HORSE RACING. PEOPLE WATCH THIS SPORT FOR EXCITEMENT, TRADITION AND GAMBLING.

Horse racing is an expensive sport; it has more than one cause. Here are some causes;

- ✓ People must buy a horse for race and horses are expensive animals to buy.
- ✓ They also need trainer to run faster.
- ✓ Horses need a doctor and medicine to stay healthy
- ✓ Horse races need big places, many workers, and special equipment.

**ALL THESE AND MORE THINGS LIKE THESE
MAKE THIS SPORT AN EXPENSIVE SPORT**

There is another side which makes horse racing an expensive sport. Some rich people spend a lot of money on horse racing. They like to buy fast horses and pay for good jockeys. Some people are addicted to betting, and they also spend big money on horse races. They hope to win more money, but sometimes they lose. Because of these big costs, horse racing is an expensive sport.



GOLF

GOLF EXPLANATION :

Golf is a sport played on a large outdoor course. The aim of this sport is to put the ball into the hole with fewest number of shot. The game usually has 18 holes and each hole has a starting point called tee and ending point called green. Players hit the ball from the tee and try to move it closer to the green. When the ball reaches the green, the player uses a putter to roll the ball into the hole. Each hole has a standard number of shots, called par. Golf can be played alone or with other people. This sport needs patience, skill and focus.

BUDGET OF GOLF;

Golf is one of the exclusive sports. Players need clubs, balls and shoes which can cost a lot and playing on a golf course also costs money. You must pay a green fee or buy a membership. Many players takes courses from a coach.

Many people enjoy it because of fresh air, exercise and socializing.



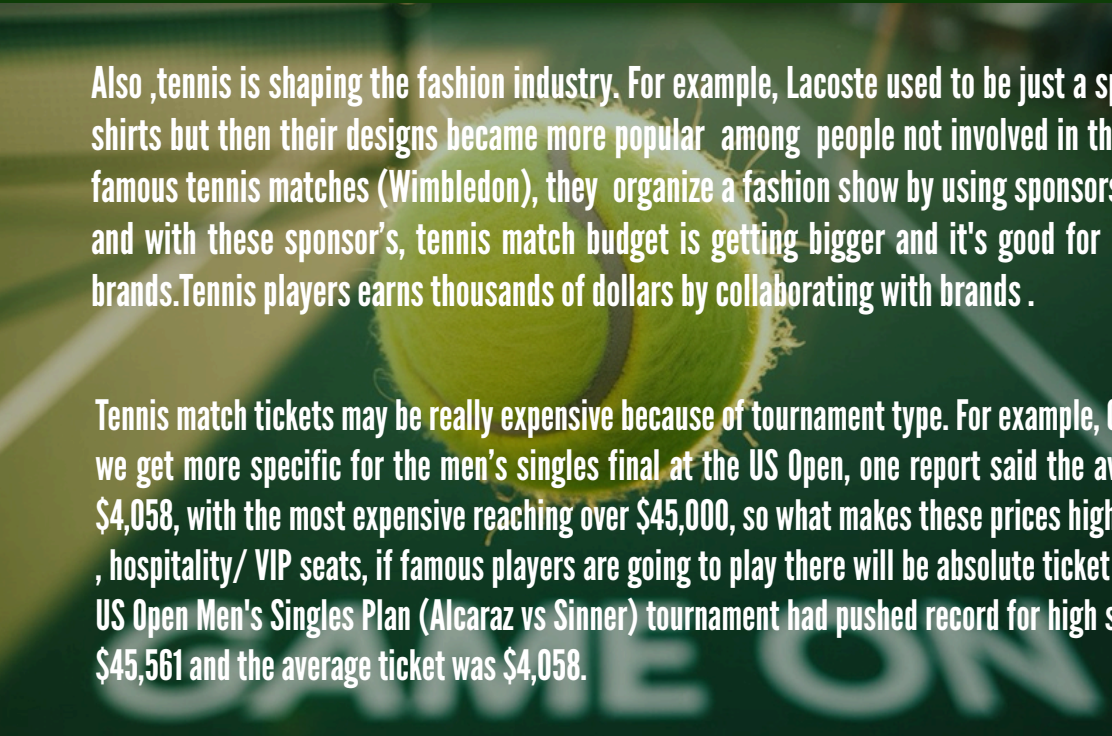


CLASH OF RACKETS

What is this?

Tennis is a global sport which has a fast tempo sport played between two or four players on court divided by mesh. Its played with rackets, ball and special shoes that special for a court. Rules are simple; aiming to other side of the court and throwing the ball into the other player's area. To play this game its necessary to be fast and strategist. This sport is very dignity.

But why is this sport is expensive? We have plenty of explanation for this. Tennis is not like football. It requires specific equipment to play comfortably such as quality rackets, strings and special shoes which is depending on court and their prices could be thousands of dollars if the player wants to play intermediate or as a professional. Let's talk about another big reason and this is the fees of courts. There are two types of courts; public courts and club courts. Public courts often have affordable prices but club courts have really high prices which cost millions of dollars per year and these are for professionals. Tournaments are also expensive because tournaments are all around the world such as Wimbledon so this may be expensive who come from far away.



Also ,tennis is shaping the fashion industry. For example, Lacoste used to be just a sport brand which makes tennis t-shirts but then their designs became more popular among people not involved in the sports. At the beginning of the famous tennis matches (Wimbledon), they organize a fashion show by using sponsors clothes, sports equipments etc. and with these sponsor's, tennis match budget is getting bigger and it's good for both tennis players and sponsor brands.Tennis players earns thousands of dollars by collaborating with brands .

Tennis match tickets may be really expensive because of tournament type. For example, Grand Slam Final, Wimbledon etc. If we get more specific for the men's singles final at the US Open, one report said the average resale ticket price is about \$4,058, with the most expensive reaching over \$45,000, so what makes these prices high? It depends on where your seat is , hospitality/ VIP seats, if famous players are going to play there will be absolute ticket fee rising. For example, in 2025 in US Open Men's Singles Plan (Alcaraz vs Sinner) tournament had pushed record for high selling. Highest-fee sold ticket was \$45,561 and the average ticket was \$4,058.

2025

How Sports Influence Fashion:

Formula 1 on the Red Carpet

Fashion and sport may look different, but today they often work together. Formula 1, one of the fastest and most glamorous sports in the world, has recently entered the world of fashion in a surprising way. At the last Met Gala, several celebrities wore outfits inspired by F1 racing. Black-and-red jumpsuits, leather gloves, and shiny silver details turned the red carpet into a futuristic racetrack.



**MET GALA
2025**



**LEWIS
HAMILTON**



Brands understand the power of F1. Famous fashion houses like Tommy Hilfiger, Hugo Boss, and Puma have collaborated with F1 teams for years. These collections mix speed, technology, and style. For example, Mercedes-AMG Petronas drivers wear Tommy Hilfiger designs, while Ferrari often works with Puma. These clothes are not only for the track but also for the street, making motorsport fashion a part of daily life.

The influence is also cultural. Young people today see F1 as not only a sport but also a lifestyle. Netflix's *Drive to Survive* made drivers like Lewis Hamilton and Charles Leclerc global style icons. Hamilton, in particular, is known for his bold outfits, from colorful suits to streetwear looks. Thanks to F1, fashion is now faster, bolder, and more exciting than ever.

CHARLES LECLERC



RACING IN STYLE

THE FASHION OF HORSE RACING

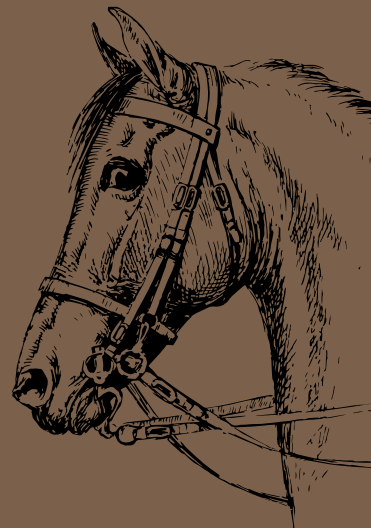
HORSE RACING IS NOT ONLY ABOUT SPORT, BUT ALSO ABOUT FASHION. MANY PEOPLE WHO GO TO HORSE RACES LIKE TO WEAR SPECIAL CLOTHES TO LOOK STYLISH AND ELEGANT.



FOR WOMEN, BIG COLORFUL HATS ARE VERY POPULAR, AND THEY ARE ALMOST A TRADITION IN FAMOUS RACES LIKE THE ROYAL ASCOT. DRESSES ARE OFTEN FORMAL, WITH BRIGHT COLORS OR CLASSIC DESIGNS.



MEN USUALLY WEAR SUITS, TIES, AND SOMETIMES TOP HATS, WHICH MAKES THE EVENT LOOK VERY CLASSY. BECAUSE OF HORSE RACES, FASHION BRANDS OFTEN CREATE NEW STYLES FOR THESE EVENTS, AND PEOPLE LIKE TO SHOW THEIR BEST OUTFITS



THE CONNECTION BETWEEN HORSE RACING AND FASHION IS VERY STRONG, AS THE RACES ARE SOCIAL EVENTS WHERE STYLE IS AS IMPORTANT AS THE COMPETITION. IN THIS WAY, HORSE RACING HAS INFLUENCED FASHION BY MAKING ELEGANT AND CREATIVE CLOTHING MORE POPULAR, AND FASHION HAS ALSO MADE HORSE RACING MORE EXCITING AND GLAMOROUS FOR THE PUBLIC.



Golf Influence Fashion

Golf is not only a sport also a style that affects the way we dress. Many clothes we use today first became popular in golf. People can wear it everywhere because the clothes worn in golf are both comfortable and stylish.

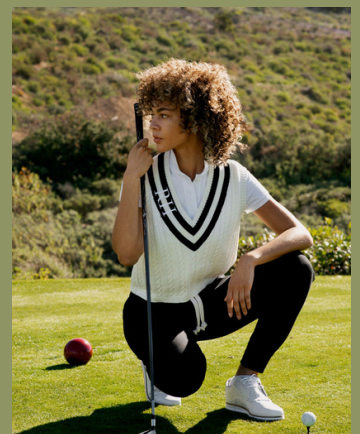
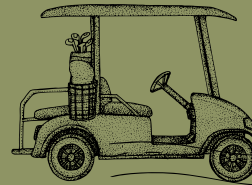
For example polo shirt started as golf clothing because it is light and comfortable but now people wear it everywhere (at school, at work...)

Golf trousers are another examples. They are made from soft and flexible fabric so players can move freely. This style became part of normal fashion, especially in the summer. Golf cap also began on the golf course to protect players from the sun, but now it is a fashion item for people all over the world.

Golf fashion is also connected with elegance. Players usually wear clean and classic outfits, and many famous brands, like Lacoste, Ralph Lauren, Burberry, Loro piana...

Nike golf: Became popular with Tiger Woods. His red shirt on Sundays is very famous.

Under Armour: With Jordan Speith, the brand made of gold fashion more modern and popular with young people



HOW FASHION INFLUENCE TENNIS

Tennis isn't only a sport, but also a place where fashion plays an important role. From the early days, players wore simple white clothes, but today tennis outfits are colorful, stylish, and designed to show personality and also designed by famous fashion brands. Fashion in tennis is more than looking good. Clothes are made with special materials that help players move easily, stay cool, and play with comfort. Famous players like Serena Williams, Roger Federer, and Naomi Osaka also influence fashion by wearing unique designs on the court. Big brands sell clothes inspired by these stars and these are very popular among people. Tennis fashion even appears outside the sport, in everyday streetwear and in luxury collections. This shows that what athletes wear can change trends all over the world. In tennis, fashion is part of the game, it gives confidence and unique look to players and creates excitement for tennis spectators. Tennis style is now as famous as the sport itself.



Serena Williams, the U.S. Open



BACKSTAGE OF F1

Gossip of F1

Formula 1 is famous for speed, but it is also famous for gossip. Behind the races, drivers and teams are always in the news. People talk about new contracts, drivers changing teams, or secret meetings in the paddock. Sometimes the gossip is about personal life. For example, in 2007 Lewis Hamilton and Fernando Alonso had a big fight inside McLaren, and fans still remember it. Another famous drama was between Nico Rosberg and Hamilton in Mercedes. Their friendship turned into a cold rivalry, and every race felt like a movie. Social media makes the gossip even bigger because every photo and video becomes news. Some fans enjoy the drama more than the championship, because it makes F1 look like a reality show.



Illegal Races

Another hot topic is illegal races. Even if drivers already race in the most expensive sport, some of them still want extra adrenaline. Newspapers sometimes write that a young driver joined a midnight street race with friends. For example, in 2007 Lewis Hamilton was stopped by the police in Australia for driving too fast in the city. Kimi Räikkönen was also famous for his night life and wild driving after parties. Teams always deny these stories, but fans keep talking. Illegal races are dangerous and not professional, but they make drivers look wild and free. This kind of gossip adds mystery to Formula 1 and keeps fans excited all season.

SECRETS BEHIND THE GLAMOUR OF HORSE RACING

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Horse racing is not only about fast horses and beautiful hats—it also hides some secrets. While rich people enjoy the races in expensive lounges with champagne and fine food, others talk about rumors and gossip. Some people whisper about illegal races that happen far from the public eye, where big money is made in secret. There are also stories about race tickets sold on the black market for very high prices. Behind the shining lights and elegant clothes, there is a world full of mystery, competition, and secret deals. Horse racing looks glamorous, but not everything is as perfect as it seems.

THE FINE COTTON RING-IN



a famous horse racing scandal where cheating and secret betting shocked the racing world.



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The Whisper About the Queen's Horse



One of the most famous horse racing gossips is about the Queen's horse, Estimate. In 2014, this royal horse shocked the world when it tested positive for a banned substance after a big race. People could not believe it—how could a horse owned by the Queen be involved in such a scandal? The Queen's team said it was a mistake caused by the horse's feed, not cheating. Still, newspapers and fans talked about it for weeks. The story showed that even in the royal and elegant world of horse racing, surprises and secrets can appear at any time.





Golf is usually known as a fair and honest sport. Players are expected to follow the rules carefully, even when nobody is watching. However, there have been some famous scandals in golf history that show even professional players can make mistakes.

Other side of golf

One well-known scandal happened in 1972 with Jane Blalock, a professional golfer. She was accused of marking her ball in the wrong way and was suspended from playing. This event caused many people to discuss fairness and equality in sports.

Another interesting story is about Lexi Thompson. During the final round of a tournament, on the 17th hole, she put her ball in the wrong place before putting. Some viewers noticed the mistake on TV and told the officials. Later, Lexi received a penalty for marking the ball incorrectly and for signing the wrong scorecard. After this event, the golf rules were changed about how video replays can be used to make decisions.



📍 USA

There are also other scandals, like players using banned substances or trying to cheat by changing their handicaps. These situations hurt the reputation of golf but also teach an important lesson.

In conclusion, golf is a sport that values honesty and respect. Even when scandals happen, the sport continues to improve its rules and protect fair play.



BACKSTAGE OF TENNIS



Tennis is not only about strong serves and fast backhands or forehands it is also full of gossip and rumors that fans love to hear. Many people follow and check players' lives out of the court. Who is dating who, which players are best friends, or who had an argument during a tournament or had an argument in general these topics are always common. Sometimes fans see players talking secretly during workout smiling at each other and talking at parties, and soon the internet starts to estimate what is happening. Reporters also try to find out details about players' private lives, fashion choices, personal life or travel photos. Of course, not every rumor is true, but tennis gossips make the sport even more desirable for many people. Behind the serious matches, there are friendships, competitions, and surprising stories/rumors that make tennis feel more people and fun to watch.





The Crash That Shocked F1:

When Victory Turned into Scandal



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The 2008 Singapore Grand Prix was F1's first ever night race



ALONSO ON THE PODIUM OF THE 2008 SINGAPORE GRAND PRIX, WITH BRIATORE FAR RIGHT (WHITE SHIRT)

The glamorous world of Formula 1 hides secrets faster than its cars. And 2008's Singapore Grand Prix? Oh, that night was pure chaos in glitter. The race that should've been a dream victory for Fernando Alonso turned into one of the biggest scandals in F1 history.

NEWSFLASH



Nelson Piquet Jr.



Rumor has it, his teammate Nelson Piquet Jr. was told to crash on purpose to help Alonso win. Cameras caught the "accident," but fans weren't fooled. Months later, the truth exploded... team orders, hidden radio messages, and a crash that wasn't so accidental after all.

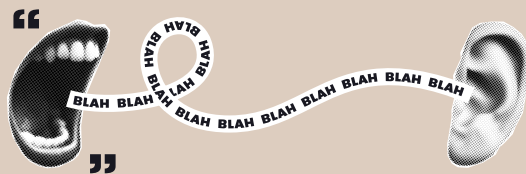


Renault's bosses were banned, the team's image burned, and the paddock buzzed for weeks. Drivers whispered in garages, fans screamed on Twitter, and F1 realized one thing: in the race for fame and glory, some people will risk everything...even integrity.



Brazilian Felipe Massa was leading the Grand Prix for Ferrari before Piquet Jr.'s crash

Scandal, speed, and betrayal....THE PERFECT FUEL FOR FORMULA 1'S DARKEST HEADLINE.



A silhouette of a jockey riding a horse on a track at sunset, framed in an oval. The jockey is in a crouched position, and the horse is galloping. The background is a bright, hazy orange from the setting sun, with a white railing visible behind the horse. The entire scene is enclosed within a large, light-colored oval frame.

BEHIND THE GLAMOUR OF HORSE RACING



A man in a light-colored suit and dark tie is holding the head of a brown horse. He is looking towards the camera with a slight smile. The background shows a white building and some greenery.

A man with short brown hair, wearing a dark blue jacket, is smiling and holding the head of a brown horse. The horse is facing right. The background is a bright, slightly overexposed outdoor setting with some trees visible in the distance. In the bottom left corner, there is a small logo that says "iStock Photo".

In 2020, 27 people (trainers, veterinarians, drug suppliers) were indicted for administering performance-enhancing or pain-masking drugs to racehorses, including dangers like "blood builders," "red acid," etc. Horses died in some cases, and there were claims of abuse of animals.

John "Shark" Hanlon had his licence suspended after a dead horse was transported uncovered on a public road, visibly. This raised questions about respect, welfare, and public image.

A group used inside information and tampered with the betting system to alter tickets after several races, so that a ticket would win in a way it shouldn't. Key players were caught, convicted of wire fraud and money laundering.

GOLF SCANDALS AROUND THE WORLD

Golf is usually known as a sport of honesty, respect, and calm behavior. However, in recent years, several scandals have shocked the golf community. Some players were punished for breaking rules, some fans showed bad behavior, and some events caused political problems. These incidents changed the way people see golf and reminded everyone that even this elegant sport can face serious issues.



MARCO PENGE

1. English golfer Marco Penge was suspended by the DP World Tour because he made bets on golf events. Even though he didn't bet on tournaments he played in, this broke the sport's honesty rules.



RYDER CUP FAN PROBLEMS

During the 2025 Ryder Cup, some American fans were rude to Rory McIlroy and his wife. McIlroy said golf should have higher standards and more respect. There was also criticism after PGA President Don Rea was seen singing karaoke after the team's loss.

LIV Golf vs PGA Tour

The new LIV Golf league, supported by Saudi Arabia, created a big fight in the golf world. Many players left the PGA Tour for LIV Golf, and fans were divided. The two sides later tried to make a deal to work together.

TENNIS SCANDALS IN MATCHES



Tennis is usually known as a fair and respectful sport, but there have been many scandals in the world. For example, Russian player Maria Sharapova was banned for using a drug called meldonium. This situation hurt her reputation.

Another example is Novak Djokovic, who was disqualified from a match after he accidentally hit a line referee with a ball.

Nikolay Davydenko was investigated for match fixing, and some lower ranked players were punished for betting on their own matches. There were also problems with players' behavior, like Daniil Medvedev, who often argued with referees and was fined many times. These examples show that even in a fair and respected sport like tennis, scandals can happen. Still, most players work hard and play honestly to keep tennis fair and exciting for everyone.



The World Where Money Meets Passion

From the roaring Formula 1 circuits to the elegant golf courses, from the stylish tennis courts to the glamorous horse racing tracks, every sport tells a story about ambition, fame, fashion, and fortune.

In Formula 1, millions are spent for a single second of victory.

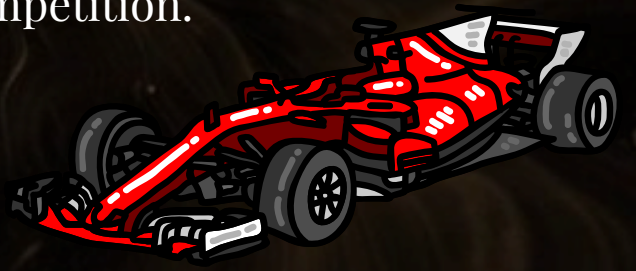
In horse racing, luxury and scandal gallop side by side.

In golf, calmness hides competition and million-dollar deals.

In tennis, elegance meets global fame and high fashion.

Expensive Sports Magazine 2025 explored not only the games but also the secrets behind them the money, the power, the glamour, and the truth that every victory has its cost.

Because in the world of expensive sports,
luxury is the real competition.



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