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HOTEL ZAZA HOUSTON TRANSFORMED INTO POLO PLAYLAND FOR ANNUAL SPRING SOCIAL

HOUSTON – Hotel ZaZa Houston played host to more than 400 of Houston’s social trendsetters last night at its 5th annual **Spring Social**, featuring Veuve Clicquot. Kicking off Houston’s warm weather in style, Hotel ZaZa went all out for the event, which was complete with a polo chic theme and took place in the hotel’s Monarch restaurant and gorgeous terrace, which were transformed into a stunning yet playful polo playland, featuring miniature Shetland polo ponies and riders as well as playful décor in the party area including polo saddles and mallets. If that wasn’t enough, Monarch’s beautiful servers were dressed in sporty riding wear including Veuve Clicquot logoed polo shirts and traditional riding pants and leather boots.

As guests mingled and danced, they also partook in fabulous bites by Monarch’s Executive Chef, Jonathan Jones. Passed bites included a *Carpaccio*, made with thinly sliced beef, caramelized onions, and shaved Parmesan; Green Eggs & Ham, deviled eggs complete with green pea egg yolks and a prosciutto chip; Pork Rilette with apple sherry vinegar and Dijon mustard; and a Shepherd’s Salad, made with fresh heirloom tomatoes, pickled red onions, radish, hearts of palm, Crème Fraîche and toasted pumpkin seeds.

While noshing on Jones’ bites, guests also enjoyed sophisticated sips such as a Belvedere Lemon Tea Arnold Palmer, a 10 Cane Rum Swizzle, and of course, a tall glass of Veuve Clicquot with a splash of St. Germain Liqueur. Plus, partygoers enjoyed dueling DJs, Gabe Bizonee and John Tran who pumped out tunes ranging from 80’s and 90’s oldie but goodies to today’s best in hip-hop and dance music.

Notables in attendance at the **Spring Social** included Z Resorts Executives, including Owner, **Charlie Givens**, President, **Benji Homesy** and Executive Vice President, **Matthew Nuss**. Also in attendance were Houston Modern Luxury magazine Publisher, **Peter Remington**; **Raja Ratan**, owner of Q Custom Clothier and Rye 51; famous chef, **Philippe Schmit**; **Catarina Cron**; Dynamo player, **Michael Chabala**; man-about-town, **James Sivco**; Momentum Audi’s **Jared Lang**; Neumate.com’s Founder, **Shmuel Gordon**; KTRK-TV reporter, **Miya Shay**; KPRC-TV producer, **Amber Willis**; **Lisa Gochman** with bestie, **Chris Beverly**; Double G Homes’ **KC Gifford**; esteemed event planner, **Will Matthews**; **Natalie Bomke** from FOX-TV; **Dr. Melicia Tjoa**, owner of BRSH Dental; **Dr. Michael Yafi**; **Nick Espinosa & Carlos Meltzer**; **Bubba McNeely**; **Scott Gertner**; **Sarah Tucker**; and **Gardner Landry**.

Not one to leave any detail undone, Hotel ZaZa Houston put Veuve Clicquot gift bags in the cars as guests as they departed valet. Goodies in the orange and black bags took on a summer theme and included Veuve Clicquot branded sunglasses, a ZaSpa offer, Zents Sun Shea Butter Soap, ZaZa branded mister and lip balm as well as Fluffy Bunny Shea Butter.

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About Hotel ZaZa

Hotel ZaZa is a sensory experience that is refined yet relaxed. Its sophisticated and sensual interior design and culinary excellence is completed by a staff that pays impeccable attention to each and every guest, making them feel at home. Whether for business, a romantic weekend, or world-famous celebrities, both hotels blend intimate comfort with Stay ZaZa-style to create inspired accommodations, one-of-a-kind themed suites, and award-winning restaurants and spas.

Nestled in the fashionable Uptown neighborhood and next to downtown, **Hotel ZaZa Dallas** is a creative mix of warm, Mediterranean elegance and comfortable chic. This exceptional boutique hotel offers 4,500 square feet of function space, 152 rooms, 17 concept suites, the Magnificent Seven Suites, the award-winning **Dragonfly** Restaurant and Lounge, the relaxing **ZaSpa** and the **Art House & Social Gallery**. Reservations may be made at hotelzazadallas.com or by calling 888.880.3244.

Located in the heart of the vibrant Museum District and minutes from the world renowned Texas Medical Center, **Hotel ZaZa Houston** boasts 17,000 square feet of function space and is the perfect backdrop for any business meeting - not to mention home to some of Houston's most memorable weddings and galas. **Monarch** Bistro and the tranquil **ZaSpa** combine to create the hotel's breadth of impressive amenities. With more than 300 rooms, including Pool Villas, Concept Suites and The Magnificent Seven Suites, ZaZa exceeds all expectations. Reservations may be made at hotelzazahouston.com or by calling 888.880.3244.

Hotel ZaZa, a member of the Preferred Hotel Group™, was created by Charles S. Givens and Jeff Records and is owned by Givens-Records Developments. Operations management and marketing are provided by Z Resorts, LLC, led by Z Resorts President Benji Homsey.