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## Hot property Sports

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► **Kingstone Lisle Park, Oxfordshire, UK, £20m**

**Where** About five miles from the market town of Wantage in Oxfordshire, on the edge of the North Downs. Heathrow airport is just over an hour away by car.  
**What** A Grade II\*-listed Georgian house set in 260 acres of land. There are 13 bedrooms, seven bathrooms and five reception rooms in the main house, plus separate staff accommodation.  
**Why** The property has a nine-hole golf course, an outdoor pool and a tennis court. It is also possible to fish in the park's two lakes, as well as shoot pheasant and duck.  
**Who** Knight Frank, knightfrank.co.uk, tel: +44 20 7861 1440



◀ **Mara Villa, Westmoreland, Barbados, \$5.71m**

**Where** In the Royal Westmoreland gated estate in central Barbados, 2km from the coast and a 30-minute drive from Grantley Adams international airport.  
**What** A 6,700 sq ft villa with four en-suite bedrooms. The veranda has a dining area with views of the pool and sea beyond.  
**Why** The villa has access to the estate's private 18-hole golf course, gym, yoga studio, 25-metre pool and floodlit clay tennis courts.  
**Who** Royal Westmoreland Estate, royalwestmoreland.com, tel: +44 1524 889341



◀ **2700 Point Lane, Highland Park, Illinois, US, \$14.85m**

**Where** In the city of Highland Park, about 26 miles north of Chicago and 20 miles from Chicago O'Hare international airport.  
**What** A 56,000 sq ft house owned by basketball star Michael Jordan, with nine bedrooms, 15 bathrooms and a card room (complete with cigar humidor).  
**Why** The property has its own NBA-quality indoor basketball court, plus a fitness studio, tennis court and putting green.  
**Who** The Agency, an associate of Savills, theagencyre.com, tel: +1 424 230 3756



◀ **Chalet Quesac, Tignes, France, €6.8m**

**Where** In Tignes in the Espace Killy ski area of the French Alps. Geneva and Lyon St Exupéry international airports are 30 and 40 minutes respectively by helicopter from the chalet's private helipad.  
**What** The chalet has more than 500 sq metres of interior living space, with five bedrooms — all with en-suite bathrooms and dressing rooms — and a lift offering access to all three floors.

There is also a cinema, games room, children's room, wine cellar, sauna, whirlpool bath, pétanque court and separate duplex apartment for staff or guests.  
**Why** Designed by world champion freeride skier Guerlain Chichert, Chalet Quesac is ideal for reaching the slopes by helicopter. Off-piste heli-skiing is illegal in France, but the chalet is only a 10-minute helicopter flight from Italy.  
**Who** Home Hunts, home-hunts.com, tel: +33 970 44 66 43



▲ **Son Vida, Mallorca, Spain, €12.9m**

**Where** In the Son Vida hills, overlooking Palma, the island's capital. Mallorca's international airport is 16km away.  
**What** The property comprises a main five-bedroom villa, a two-bedroom staff apartment and a separate guest house with a pool/spa area on the ground floor and two apartments above. The

property features marble floors throughout and an integrated Bose sound system.  
**Why** If the AstroTurf tennis court, fitness studio and two pools (one indoor, one outdoor) sound too energetic, the villa is a few minutes' drive from three golf courses. The guest house also has a snooker room and sauna.  
**Who** Engel & Völkers, engelandvoelkers.com, tel: +34 971 60914 1