Kentucky Derby Quiz for Seniors

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In what U.S. state is the Kentucky Derby held?

Kentucky

What is the distance of the Kentucky Derby race?

1 and 1/4 miles (2.01 kilometers)

What is the name of the Churchill Downs' signature drink served at the Kentucky Derby?

Mint Julep

What is the name of the blanket of roses given to the winner of the Kentucky Derby?

The Garland of Roses

Who won the first Kentucky Derby in 1875? **Aristides**

Who holds the record for the fastest time in Kentucky Derby history?

Secretariat, with a time of 1:59 2/5 in 1973

What is the name for a male horse that has been castrated? **Gelding**

What is the name of the Kentucky Derby's trophy?

The Kentucky Derby Trophy

Who is the only jockey to have won the Kentucky Derby five times? **Eddie Arcaro**

What is the term used to describe a horse that has won all three of the Kentucky Derby, Preakness Stakes, and Belmont Stakes?

Triple Crown Winner

What is the name of the horse that won the Triple Crown in 2018?

Justify

What is the name of the legendary horse that won the Triple Crown in 1973?

Secretariat

What is the name of the race that is the second leg of the Triple Crown?

The Preakness Stakes

What is the name of a baby horse? **Foal**

Who was the first female jockey to win the Kentucky Derby?

Diane Crump

What is the name of a female horse?

Mare

What is the name of the famous song traditionally played at the Kentucky Derby?

"My Old Kentucky Home"

What is the name of the hat style that is traditionally worn by women at the Kentucky Derby?

Derby Hat or Kentucky Derby Hat

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