



## SENIOR NUGGET – MAY 2021

**HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY TO ALL MOTHERS!**

### MEMORIAL DAY TRIVIA QUIZ

1. When is Memorial Day?
  - A. First Monday in May
  - B. Last Monday in May
  - C. Third Monday in May
2. What was Memorial Day originally called?
  - A. Honor Day
  - B. Decoration Day
  - C. Confederate Day
3. In What year (by most accounts) was first Memorial Day observed?
  - A. 1820
  - B. 1866
  - C. 1890
4. Memorial Day was suggested by Henry Welles, a drugstore owner, From what city and state?
  - A. Harrisburg, PA
  - B. Arlington, VA
  - C. Waterloo, NY
5. The first observance of Memorial Day was originally selected because it was NOT an anniversary of a battle
  - A. TRUE
  - B. FALSE

## SENIOR NUGGET -- MEMORIAL DAY TRIVIA CONTINUED ...

6. What are decorated in remembrance of Memorial Day?  
**A.** Tombs of fallen Union Soldiers  
**B.** Cemeteries of family members      **C.** State Capitals
7. In 1971, Memorial Day was declared a federal holiday by which president? **A.** Ulysses Grant    **B.** Lyndon Johnson    **C.** Richard Nixon
8. What is one of the longest standing traditions held in conjunction with Memorial Day since 1911 & canceled in 2020 due to COVID19?  
**A.** Indianapolis 500                      **B.** Arizona Rodeo Days  
**C.** Apple Blossom Festival
9. Initially, Memorial Day was created in honor of one war, but now honors all wars. What was the initial war?  
**A.** Civil War              **B.** World War I              **C.** Korean War
10. Memorial Day marks the unofficial start of what season?  
**A.** Summer              **B.** Trout Season              **C.** Baseball



**HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO ALL THOSE BORN IN MAY**

Trivia Quiz answers ... how did you score?  
1.B 2.B 3.B 4.C 5.True 6.A 7.C 8.A 9.A 10.A