SENIOR NUGGET – MAY 2025

HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY TO ALL MOTHERS

MEMORIAL DAY TRIVIA …

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 the 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

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

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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

The Meaning of Coins left at a Veterans Cemetery:

Penny – Visited grave **Nickle** - Trained together

Dime – served together **Quarter** – present at Veterans death

Jewish Tradition: leave a stone on the grave

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO ALL THOSE BORN IN MAY

Trivia Quiz Answers Below... How did you score?

1.B 2 B 3.B 4.C 5.True 6.A 7.C 8.A 9.A 10.A