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## OFFICIAL KENTUCKY DERBY 151 MINT JULEP GLASS UNVEILED

**LOUISVILLE, Ky. (Monday, Dec. 16, 2024)** – The official Kentucky Derby 151 Mint Julep Glass was unveiled Monday by Churchill Downs and is now available for presale at <u>www.KentuckyDerbyStore.com</u>.

Since its inception in 1938, the Kentucky Derby Mint Julep Glass has grown in popularity and is viewed by many authorities as the leading Derby collectible.

This year's design pays homage to the historical racetrack with the legendary Twin Spires featured in the Kentucky Derby 151 logo and in a frosted motif on the glass. Every official Kentucky Derby winner – from **Aristides** in 1875 to **Mystik Dan** in 2024 – wrap around the bottom of the glass.

Kentucky Derby mint julep glasses will appear on the shelves of select retailers in early 2025, according to track officials.

Tickets for the 151<sup>st</sup> Kentucky Oaks and Kentucky Derby can be secured by visiting <u>www.KentuckyDerby.com</u> and <u>www.DerbyExperiences.com</u> or by calling (502) 636-4447.

For more information, visit <u>www.KentuckyDerby.com</u>.

## ABOUT THE KENTUCKY DERBY

The \$5 million Kentucky Derby takes place on the first Saturday in May at historic Churchill Downs in Louisville, Ky. Inaugurated in 1875, the legendary 1 <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>-mile race for 3-year-olds is the longest continually held major sporting event in the United States and the first leg of horse racing's Triple Crown series. Also known as "The Run for the Roses®" and "The Most Exciting Two Minutes in Sports®," the Kentucky Derby is the most attended horse race in the nation. The 151<sup>st</sup> running of the Kentucky Derby will take place on Saturday, May 3, 2025. For more information, please visit <u>www.KentuckyDerby.com</u>.

## ABOUT CHURCHILL DOWNS RACETRACK

Churchill Downs Racetrack ("CDRT"), the world's most legendary racetrack, has been the home of The Kentucky Derby, the longest continually held annual sporting event in the United States, since 1875. Located in Louisville, CDRT features a series of themed race days during Derby Week, including the Kentucky Oaks, and conducts Thoroughbred horse racing during three race meets in the Spring, September, and the Fall. CDRT is located on 175 acres and has a one-mile dirt track, a 7/8-mile turf track, a stabling area, and provides seating for approximately 60,000 guests. The stable area has barns sufficient to accommodate 1,400 horses and a 114-room dormitory for backstretch personnel. CDRT also has a year-round simulcast wagering facility and Race and Sports Book. <u>www.ChurchillDowns.com</u>.