



Heart-warming Horse Facts

- The average thoroughbred's heart weighs 8.5 pounds!
- A horse's heart can reach up to 240 beats per minute when exercising!
- A horse's heart becomes stronger with exercise, just like other muscles!
- Secretariat, one of the best racehorses of all time, had a heart that was 3 times larger than the average thoroughbred's heart!
- Horses show their love through nuzzling!
- Horses are known to have strong emotional connections with humans, horses, and other animals!



**featuring *The Long Shot* by Chris Carpenter
February 22 at 10:30 a.m.**

Join us for this month's edition of Starting Gate Storytime at the Keeneland Library! Each book is paired with a literacy, art, history, industry awareness, or STEM activity, and Keeneland Kids Club's favorite mascot Buckles will be on hand to brush up on his reading and spend time with young racing fans and horse lovers.

This series is ideal for learners ages 3 through 7. Starting Gate Storytime programs are free but do require tickets to be booked.

RESERVE YOUR TICKET & EXPLORE UPCOMING PROGRAMS

DIY

Love POTION



Materials

- Fun clear container
- Baby oil
- Food coloring
- Water
- Funnel (if you have one)
- Glitter or confetti
- Alka Seltzer tablet

Procedure

1. Fill container 1/3 of the way with baby oil
2. Fill the rest of the container with water but be sure to leave a few inches open at the top
3. Add glitter or confetti
4. Add several drops of food coloring in your container
5. Drop 1 Alka-Seltzer tablet in your container

HOW DOES IT WORK?

The ingredients in Alka-Seltzer combine with water to form a gas called carbon dioxide. The oil and Alka-Seltzer do not combine in this way though. The Alka-Seltzer tablets sink through the vegetable oil until they reach the layer of colored water. There the Alka-Seltzer dissolves in the water and forms a gas called carbon dioxide. The gas is lighter than the water and oil, so it bubbles up, taking a bit of colored water with it as it moves through the oil layer.

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