

ACROSS

- 1) Sore feet, in slang
- 5) Bygone Russian ruler
- 9) Familiar places of comfort
- 14) Almond-shaped
- 15) Tingle that irritates
- 16) A Muse
- 17) Proofreader's instruction
- 18) Pasture female
- 19) Correct
- 20) Sprout up
- 23) Former Japanese capital
- 24) Keats work
- 25) Gilligan's stranding place
- 28) Brief expression of a guiding principle
- 30) Ramshackle, as a watermelon?
- 33) Deception
- 34) Hinny's kin
- 36) "Long ___ and far away ..."
- 37) Composes
- 38) Place to go when hacked
- 42) Face-to-face exam
- 43) River rodent
- 44) Tentative taste
- 45) Last half of a cocktail?
- 46) Hebrew letters
- 48) Word with "human" or "alien"
- 52) Treeless plain
- 54) Shed tool
- 56) Negative link
- 57) What nerds have
- 61) Low, dull impact sound
- 63) Subordinate of a marquis
- 64) Capital of Latvia
- 65) Insect-catching bird
- 66) Liver spread
- 67) It gives the eye its color
- 68) Ascended, as from a grave
- 69) Technical school (abbr.)
- 70) Walking stick

DOWN

- 1) Old bumper car trademark
- 2) Bite off too much?
- 3) Awkward bloke
- 4) Killed, as a dragon
- 5) Hardly outgoing
- 6) Tent securers
- 7) Farm measure
- 8) Ostrich look-alike
- 9) Joan of Arc's offense
- 10) College at Oxford
- 11) Another college at Oxford
- 12) Suffix for some ordinal numbers
- 13) Drunkard
- 21) Fit to be tied?
- 22) Wives of avid sports fans, facetiously
- 26) Last digit in a price, often
- 27) "Plaines" leader
- 29) Asian weight unit
- 31) "Planet of the Apes" setting
- 32) Bad attribute of many a prima donna
- 35) DiMaggio's 56 games, e.g.
- 37) Prop for Sherlock Holmes
- 38) German "Mrs."
- 39) Beautiful arcs
- 40) It's passed for funds
- 41) Slander relative
- 42) Legendary Giant Mel
- 46) In need of a good fixing
- 47) Some summer attire
- 49) A Gandhi
- 50) Something to knock some sense into?
- 51) Bribe, in slang
- 53) Gifted one?
- 55) Forest fledgling
- 58) Foreign Legion headwear
- 59) Palindromic Indian bread
- 60) Clapton of "Layla" fame
- 61) EMT's skill
- 62) Flowery gift

WHO GIVES A HOOT?

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1	D	O	G	S		5	T	S	A	R		9	H	O	M	E	S	
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28	M	O	T	T	O		30	S	E	E	D	Y		33	L	I	E	
			34	A	S	35	S		36	A	G	O		37	P	E	N	S
		38	F	R	E	E	T	H	R	O	W	L	I	N	E			
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45	T	A	I		46	B	E	T	H	S		48	B	E	I	N	G	51
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61	C	L	O	N	K			63	E	A	R	L		64	R	I	G	A
65	P	E	W	E	E			66	P	A	T	E		67	I	R	I	S
68	R	I	S	E	N			69	I	N	S	T		70	C	A	N	E