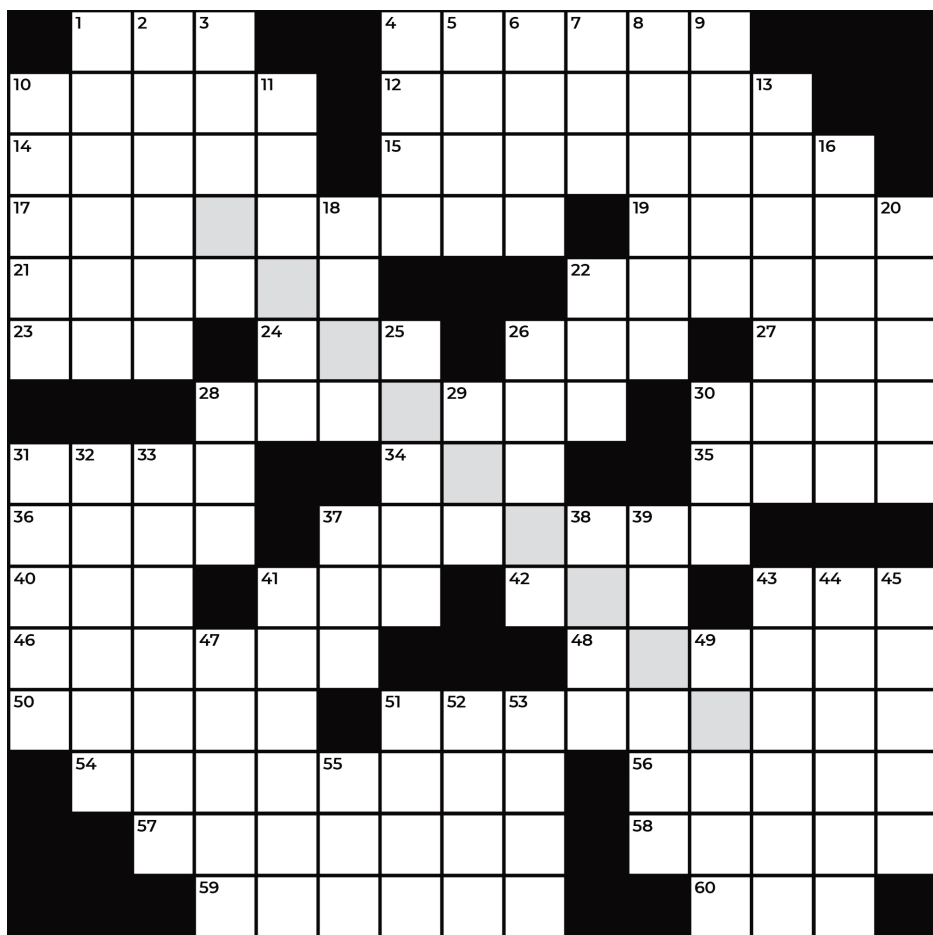


THE PHOENIX CROSSWORD



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ACROSS

1. Metric distance units
4. Zoroastrian texts, with "the"
10. Kid
12. Indigenous Mexican group
14. Certain Ivy Leaguer
15. Take too much, say
17. Cookouts in Cape Cod
19. Battle of _____, where Alexander the Great first encountered Darius III
21. Not exponential
22. Not the past or present
23. Old Tokyo
24. Alternative explosive initials
26. "Cheers" bartender
27. Overseer of a subreddit, for short
28. Gives the appearance of
30. Hip hop group Salt-N-_____
31. Aptly-named ESPN award

34. What constitutes le mer
35. Paradise... or the setting of the event depicted by this puzzle's highlighted letters
36. Nonfat milk
37. Hand bomb
40. Tiny, for short?
41. Shade
42. "I did not need to know that," to a texter
43. Fem. title in Tijuana
46. November, numerically
48. Feast following Lent
50. Nosy adjective
51. Tylenol, for acetaminophen, for one
54. Building block for DNA
56. Make a meal at home
57. Atonement
58. Manners

59. Don Quixote's sidekick
60. Chicago expressway: Abbr.

DOWN

1. "Young Dumb & Broke" singer
2. One of the fashion capitals of the world, to natives
3. Goo
4. Word derived from the Malay term for a murderous frenzy
5. "____ le roi!"
6. Past lovers
7. Orchestral grp.
8. Boredom
9. Comes at _ ____
10. Pedal a bike
11. Pre-election event
13. Inferred
16. Second-smallest continent on the planet
18. "Rule, Britannia" composer
20. Car category
22. Schwarz of toy store fame
25. _ ____ shadow of one's self
26. Evel Knievel act
28. Prefix with pathetic
29. Manuscript enclosure: Abbr.
30. Number one?
31. German city on the Ruhr
32. Bygone NASA project
33. Turpentine ingredient
37. Action movie prop
38. End to a prayer
39. Bejeweled headdress
41. Capital of Montana
43. Declares
44. Jog one's memory
45. Netanyahu's mentor
47. Pots for flowers
49. It leaves a trail of 3-Down
51. Seat on the Supreme Court
52. Wealthy
53. Prefix for Mars
55. Satyr of Greek myth