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# The Alex Gow Super Puzzle Book

**CROSSWORDS, WORDSEARCH  
CODE CRACKER, SUDOKU & TRIVIA**

*A Brisbane Family Owned Company*



**January to March 2023**

# HELPING QUEENSLAND FAMILIES SINCE 1840

Whilst the history of our business dates back to 1840 as the first ever funeral business in Queensland, it was not until 1909 when Alexander Gow acquired the remaining shares from his partner Walter S. Barrett, that the Alex Gow brand would become Queensland's first and oldest funeral director.



Five generations of the Gow family have worked in the business and today Alexander's grandson Alistair, along with his children and grandchildren continue the tradition of family ownership and the high standards set by their predecessors. We believe that by being family-owned, we are able to give a more personal service and be more flexible to the individual needs of our clients.

We live for our business and everything we do reflects our on-going commitment to providing affordable, quality services to our community. With four locations across SE Queensland Alex Gow Funerals is close by to assist you and your family 24hrs a day.

**It doesn't matter if your need is immediate or you're just thinking ahead, the wonderful staff at Alex Gow will be there to guide you through all the options.**

**Call us anytime at all on 07 3851 7800.**

**We hope you enjoy our free puzzle book. It's a great opportunity to test your skill and knowledge and keep mentally active. It's also a lot of fun.**

**Alex Gow puzzle books are supplied free as part of our ongoing commitment to community service. The book is broken up into monthly sections and answers for each month will be published on our website.**

### **WIN A \$100 GIFT CARD**

When you visit the puzzle answers page on our website you can enter to go into our monthly draw to win a \$100 gift card.

**PLUS, you'll find bonus questions there giving you another opportunity to win!**

**Full details on page 16**

### **PLAYING SUDOKU**

To solve a Sudoku puzzle, every number from 1 to 9 must appear in:

- Each of the nine vertical columns
- Each of the nine horizontal rows
- Each of the nine 3 x 3 blocks

Remember no number can occur more than once in any row, column or 3x3 block.

### **PLAYING CROSSWORDS**

Crosswords are one of the greatest word association puzzles of all time. Our 15x15 crosswords are easy to do in one session or complete over time. Using the clues provided fill in the answers moving left to right and top to bottom. Work with a friend if you want as sometimes two heads are better than one when solving a crossword puzzle. The more puzzles you do, the more familiar you'll be with standard puzzle clues and answers.

### **PLAYING WORDSEARCH**

Find all the words listed hidden in the grid of letters. They can be found in straight lines up, down, forwards, backwards or even diagonally.

### **PLAYING CODE CRACKER**

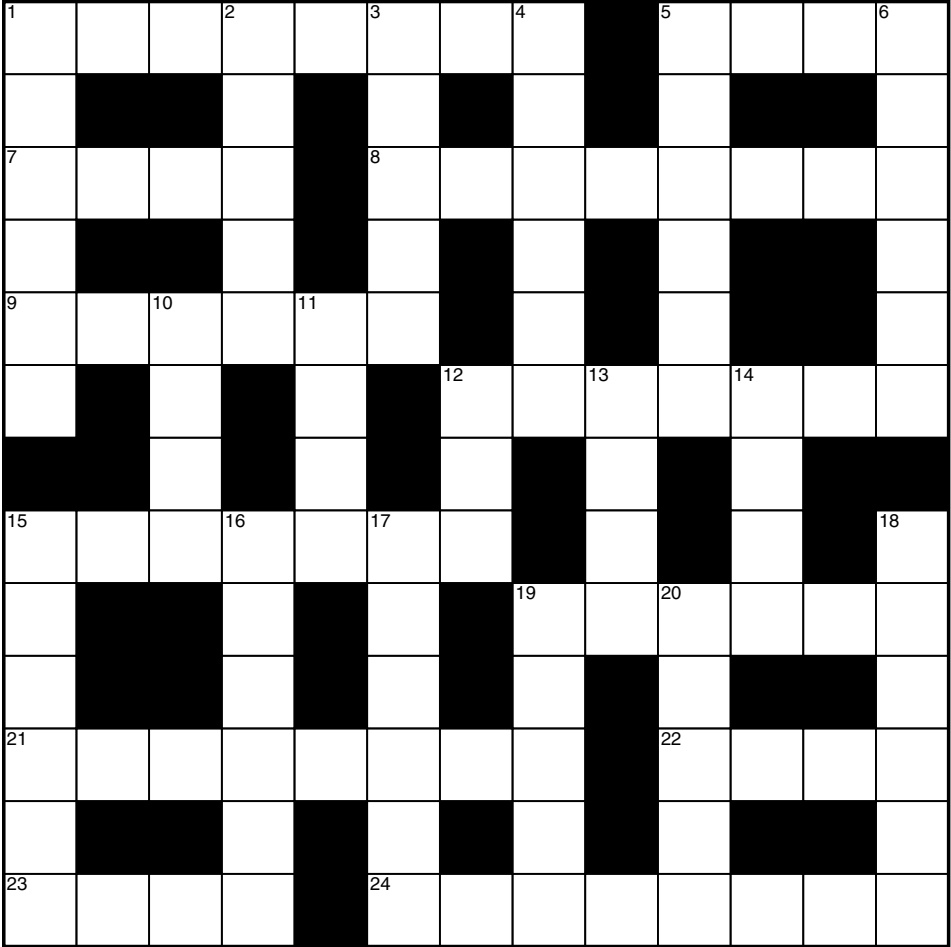
Each number represents a different letter of the alphabet. Work out which number stands for which letter to complete the crossword. We've given you two letters to start. All words are from a dictionary and no proper nouns are used. All letters of the alphabet are not always used. When you have cracked the code fill in the answer in the boxes at the bottom.

### **PLAYING TRIVIA**

Trivia is a great way to test your memory for general knowledge and history. Simply write your answers beside the questions and check to see how many you got right. Great to do with friends or on your own.

### **COLOURING FOR ADULTS**

Like painting and craft, coloring offers a great source for focus and creativity. It has been shown to have stress-reducing benefits and helps with anxiety in people of all ages. It is a great fun social activity it also produces a similar calming effect on the brain to meditation.



ACROSS

- 1. Money matters
- 5. Highway fee
- 7. Cradle
- 8. Lost strength
- 9. Luggage tags
- 12. Crowded
- 15. Small-style newspaper
- 19. Shotgun lead
- 21. Single strand
- 22. Heal
- 23. Underside of shoe
- 24. Huge

DOWN

- 1. Inconstant
- 2. Leisurely walk
- 3. Loose hoods
- 4. Ice performer
- 5. Conforming, ... the line
- 6. Spooned
- 10. Part of fish-hook
- 11. Letterhead insignia
- 12. Auction offer
- 13. Unit of land
- 14. Sea bird
- 15. Burglaries
- 16. Find
- 17. Hinder
- 18. Navigates
- 19. Paved terrace
- 20. Substitute doctor

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- CHALLENGE
- CHAOS
- CREATION
- CULT
- EPIC
- EROS
- GIANTS
- GODS
- GOLDEN FLEECE
- HERACLES
- HOMER
- KINGSHIP
- LEDA
- LYRIC
- MEDEA
- MORALS
- MOUNT OLYMPUS
- NATURE
- OCEANUS
- OEDIPUS
- OID
- PANDORA
- PROMETHEUS
- SUPREMACY
- THE COSMOS
- TRAVELS
- TROJAN WAR

Fun With **Trivia** 917 - 919

917. How tall, in metres, is the Burj Khalifa in Dubai?
918. What is the average percentage of salt in the Dead Sea?
919. As of January 2020, what was the population of China?

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Fun With Trivia 920 - 923

920. What percentage of the earth is water?  
.....
921. Name the top three spoken languages in the world.  
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922. How long is the Eurotunnel between England and France?  
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923. In which year did British Airways begin?  
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CLUES

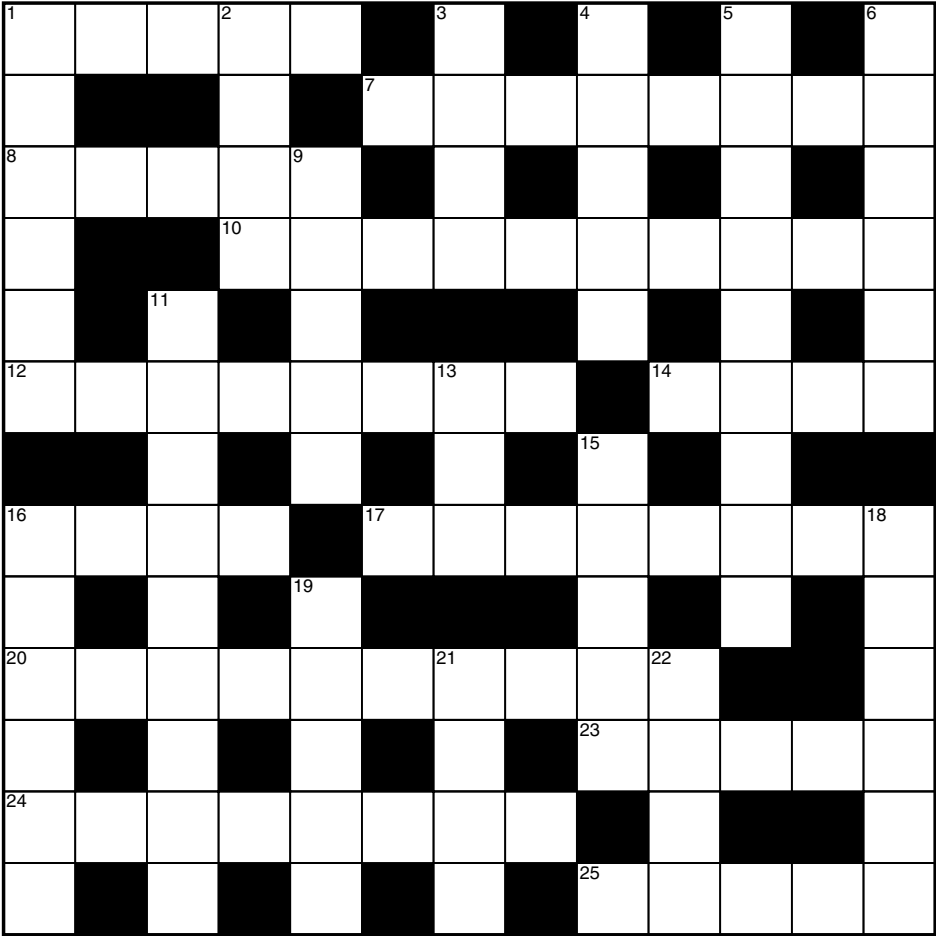
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ANSWER:

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ACROSS

- 1. Tiny arachnids
- 7. Allure
- 8. Chaplain
- 10. Tearing jaggedly
- 12. Giving
- 14. Rider's spike
- 16. Throw hard
- 17. Cosmetic pencil
- 20. Inoculates
- 23. Wearing nothing
- 24. Snagged (stockings)
- 25. Reserve, set ...

DOWN

- 1. Sulking
- 2. Fragrant tea, ... Grey
- 3. Inflated promotion
- 4. Get sidetracked
- 5. Providing with gear
- 6. Charity-seeker
- 9. Our planet
- 11. Blockade
- 13. "No" vote
- 15. UFO creature
- 16. Miserable dwellings
- 18. Puzzle
- 19. Acted wordlessly
- 21. Matures
- 22. Cuts (timber)



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- ASIA
- CHIMPS
- CHOPSTICKS
- CLUMP
- CONSTRUCTION
- ELEPHANTS
- FAST GROWING
- FLAGPOLES
- FLOORING
- FLOWER
- GIANT BAMBOO
- GIANT PANDA
- GRASS
- MEDICINE
- PHILIPPINES
- PICKLED
- RED PANDA
- RHIZOME
- SAKHALIN
- SAP
- SCAFFOLDING
- SHOOTS
- TEXTILES
- TIMBER
- VASE

Fun With Trivia
924 – 926

924. How many countries are members of the United Nations?

925. Which famous 1990 film thrust The Beverly Wilshire hotel in LA into the limelight?

926. Which famous cocktail originated in the Raffles Hotel in Singapore?

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Fun With Trivia 927 - 930

927. Name the famous New York hotel that was the setting for Home Alone 2?  
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928. Which country was the Lord Of The Rings trilogy filmed in?  
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929. Golden Eye is a hotel and former residence of author Ian Fleming on which Caribbean island?  
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930. Name the four cities that hold Fashion Week biannually?  
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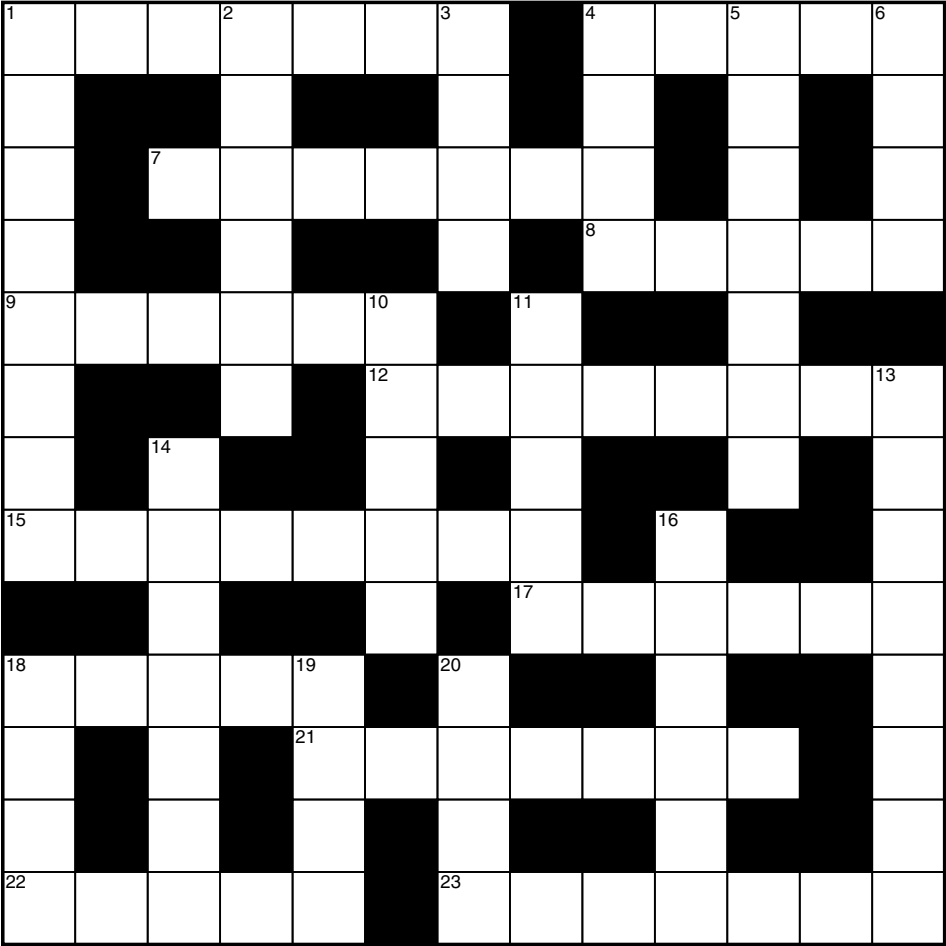
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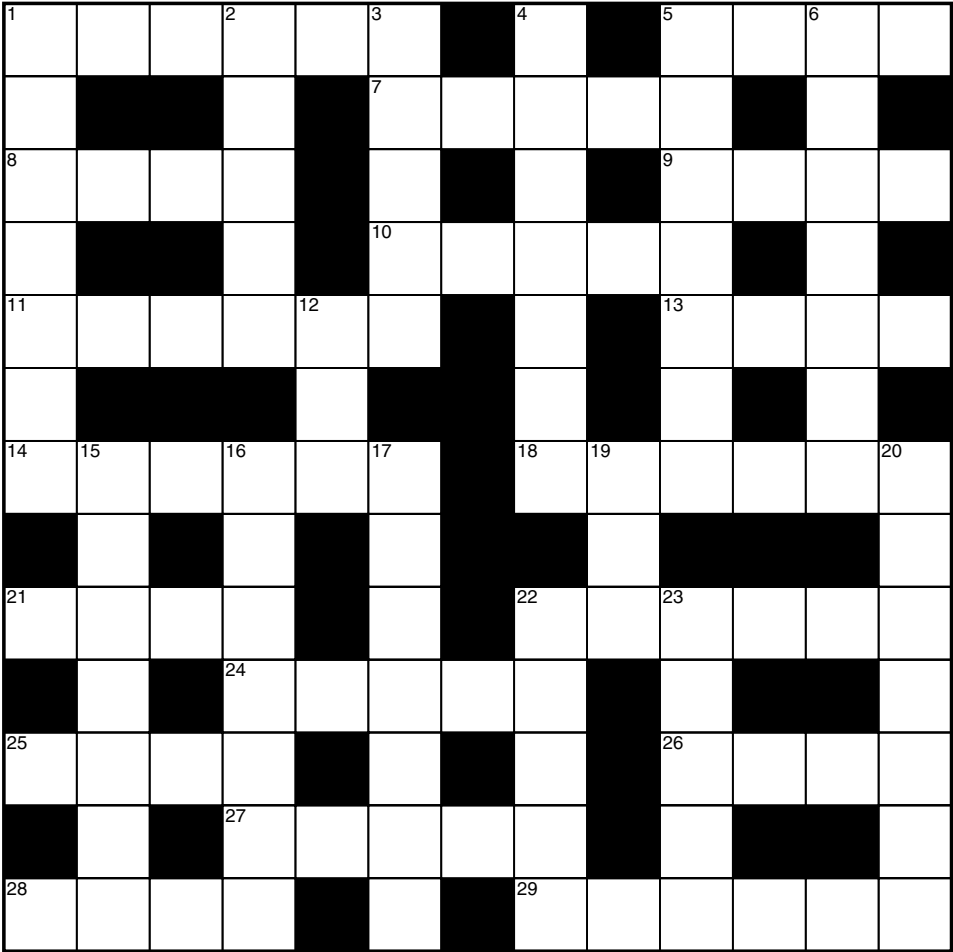


ACROSS

- 1. Command authoritatively
- 4. Birds of peace
- 7. Lower back pain
- 8. Remove whiskers
- 9. Soldier's sack
- 12. Role models, good ...
- 15. Rush headlong (of herd)
- 17. Harvested
- 18. Go to
- 21. Sweltered
- 22. Hurl out
- 23. Worked too hard, ... it

DOWN

- 1. Pub patrons
- 2. Hand digits
- 3. Written test
- 4. Pairs
- 5. Essentially
- 6. Profoundly wise
- 10. Heredity units
- 11. Animal trainer
- 13. Depressed
- 14. Upturn (boat)
- 16. Vocation
- 18. Cast ballot
- 19. Horse's gait
- 20. Palm starch



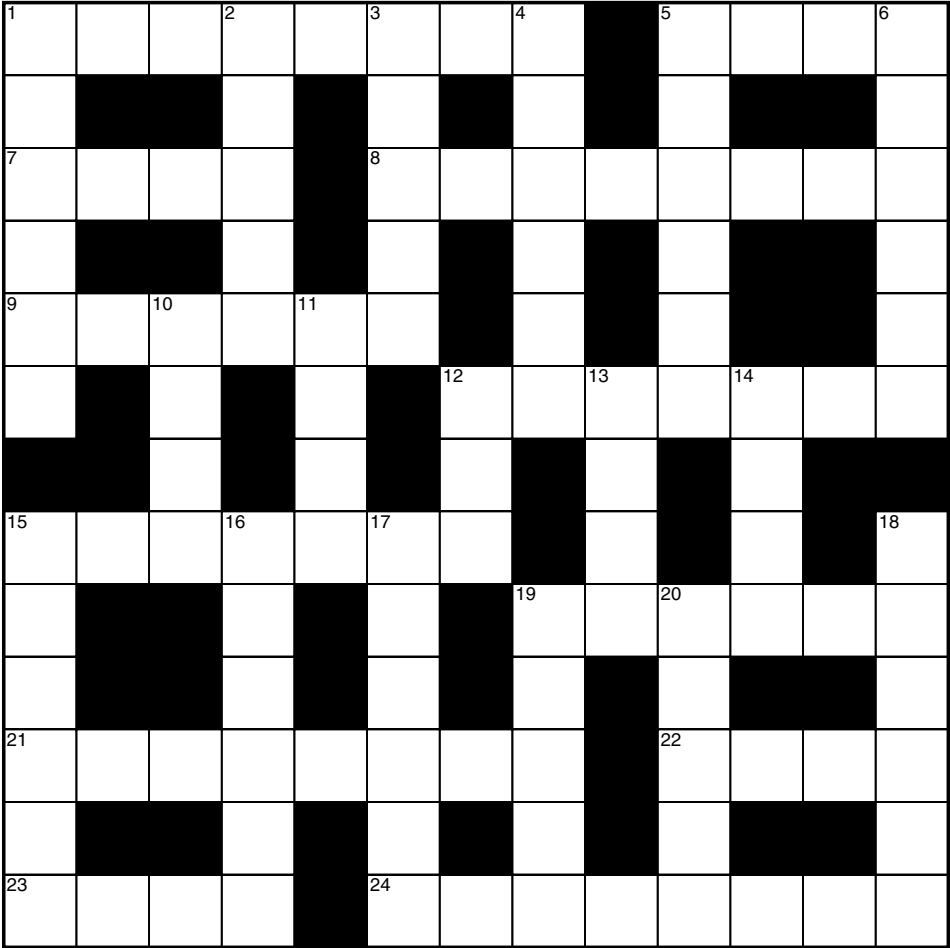
ACROSS

- 1. Less precise
- 5. Chew
- 7. Aunt & ...
- 8. Jump high
- 9. Curved doorway
- 10. Furnishing scheme
- 11. Mostly
- 13. Cow flesh
- 14. Security
- 18. Gender discrimination
- 21. Pierce with dagger
- 22. Radiated
- 24. Agricultural
- 25. Martial art
- 26. Dossier
- 27. Thoughts
- 28. Pop star
- 29. Divides in two

DOWN

- 1. Capacities
- 2. Remove (brooch)
- 3. Red (complexion)
- 4. Frozen drips
- 5. Transmission casing
- 6. Arrow marksmen
- 12. Set fire to
- 15. Amaze
- 16. Involve deeply
- 17. Craved
- 19. Just manage, ... out a living
- 20. Miniature versions
- 22. Embarrassed reaction
- 23. Abysmal





ACROSS

- 1. Fracture
- 5. Wooden strip
- 7. Citrus peel
- 8. Metal palings
- 9. Fiery
- 12. Postal inscription
- 15. Rubber seals
- 19. Scorched
- 21. Merry
- 22. Ladder step
- 23. Mend with needle
- 24. Furthest limits

DOWN

- 1. Obstetric deliveries
- 2. Financial records check
- 3. Pungent
- 4. Left room
- 5. Web-spinner
- 6. Throws
- 10. Rock band's sound boosters
- 11. Edgy, ill at ...
- 12. Donkey
- 13. Dog, Great ...
- 14. At all times
- 15. Clogged (up)
- 16. Baby cat
- 17. Pittance
- 18. Proverbs
- 19. Fissure
- 20. Concur

# WIN a \$100 Gift Card

January

Find all the answers and solutions to our puzzles at [www.alexgowfunerals.com.au](http://www.alexgowfunerals.com.au) and each month you can go in the draw to win a Gift Card valued at \$100



## It's so simple!

Once you have finished your October puzzles, simply log onto the website and click the **PUZZLE Answers & Solutions button**. Once you're on the puzzles page just click on **January Answers & Solutions icon**. Just by logging in you'll go into the draw to win a \$100 Gift Card and get access to all the puzzle answers for that month.

**You'll also find 2 online bonus questions.** Answer them correctly and you will receive an extra entry in the \$100 Gift Card draw. It's all so easy. **HINT:** the answers to the bonus questions can be found on our website.

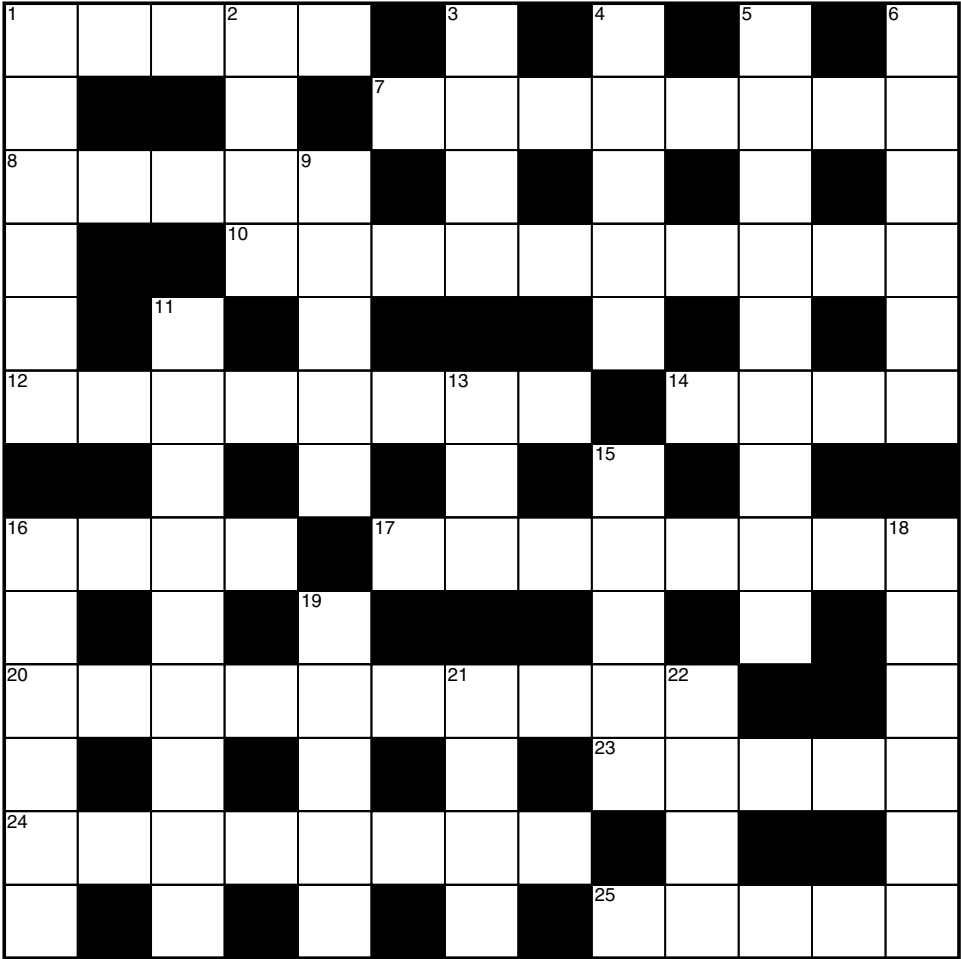
The same applies to February and March puzzle answers. Just click on the icon and all the answers will be there for you. Answers & Solutions will all be published on the 1st of each month and added to the website.

- January Answers & Solutions – published on 1st January 2023
- February Answers & Solutions – published on 1st February 2023
- March Answers & Solutions – published on 1st March 2023

**The Gift Card winners will be drawn on the 7th day of month** immediately following entry. Winners will be notified via email or phone based on nominated preference. Winners are drawn randomly by Alex Gow staff and all decisions are final. No correspondence will be entered into. Winners agree to have their photo and image published to verify their win.

**Do you need an extra Puzzle Book for a friend or relative?**  
**They can be downloaded or printed from the Puzzle Page**  
**on the website [www.alexgowfunerals.com.au](http://www.alexgowfunerals.com.au)**





ACROSS

- 1. Common cereal
- 7. Rasping
- 8. Lowest female voices
- 10. Natural wonder
- 12. Dribbling
- 14. Tiny amount
- 16. Jealousy
- 17. Religious doubter
- 20. Musical ensembles
- 23. Maggot or grub
- 24. Hand bombs
- 25. Hair dye

DOWN

- 1. Introduced to solid food
- 2. On the summit of
- 3. Peruse quickly
- 4. Pacifics
- 5. Roadside indicators
- 6. Meeting schedule
- 9. Coily
- 11. Sentenced & imprisoned
- 13. Scold repeatedly
- 15. Regional
- 16. Ample
- 18. Droning insect
- 19. Fragrant timber
- 21. After that
- 22. Cash transaction

# It makes good sense to pre-plan your funeral



## **Ease the burden on your family**

If your wishes are known when you die, they won't be faced with making difficult decisions at a trying time. But when planning with the Alex Gow, there is also provision where you can leave permission for your family to change your wishes, should the need arise. This doesn't mean they have complete freedom to change everything, but it does show that you trust those left behind to carry out your wishes and at the same time fulfil their personal needs as they face your passing.

## **Assume financial responsibility**

Planning ahead enables you to make financial arrangements to cover your funeral costs. Even if you are leaving behind sufficient money, will your survivors be able to access it? Life insurance and superannuation payouts are quite often not available when it comes time to pay for funeral expenses. And unfortunately, with Funeral insurance there is no guarantee it will be used to pay for your funeral. Pre-paying gets it all sorted and out of the way so you can move on confidently.

## **Help your family to have the benefit of a meaningful funeral**

A funeral is an important event for a grieving family. Psychologically, it enables the family to begin the healing process. Families benefit emotionally and socially by honouring the lives of their loved ones with a fitting ceremony and by giving them a proper send off they will remember.

# 4 great reasons to choose an Alex Gow Pre-arranged Funeral

## 1. We're local, just like you

Alex Gow Funerals is a Brisbane family owned business with almost 180 years of experience looking after local families.

## 2. We offer guaranteed security

Alex Gow Funerals recommends you place your investment in a Sureplan Funeral Bond. Sureplan Friendly Society is a Queensland company owned by its members since 1935 and therefore all members benefit from lower premiums and higher returns.

## 3. We offer real options

The unique flexibility of the Alex Gow Executor Funeral Plan gives you a wide choice of options so you can tailor your plan to suit your own individual requirements. You can invest up to \$13,500 in a funeral bond for each person and this is not subject to the Governments Income and Assets Tests. So, your pension entitlements are protected.

## 4. We're flexible to ensure you get what YOU want

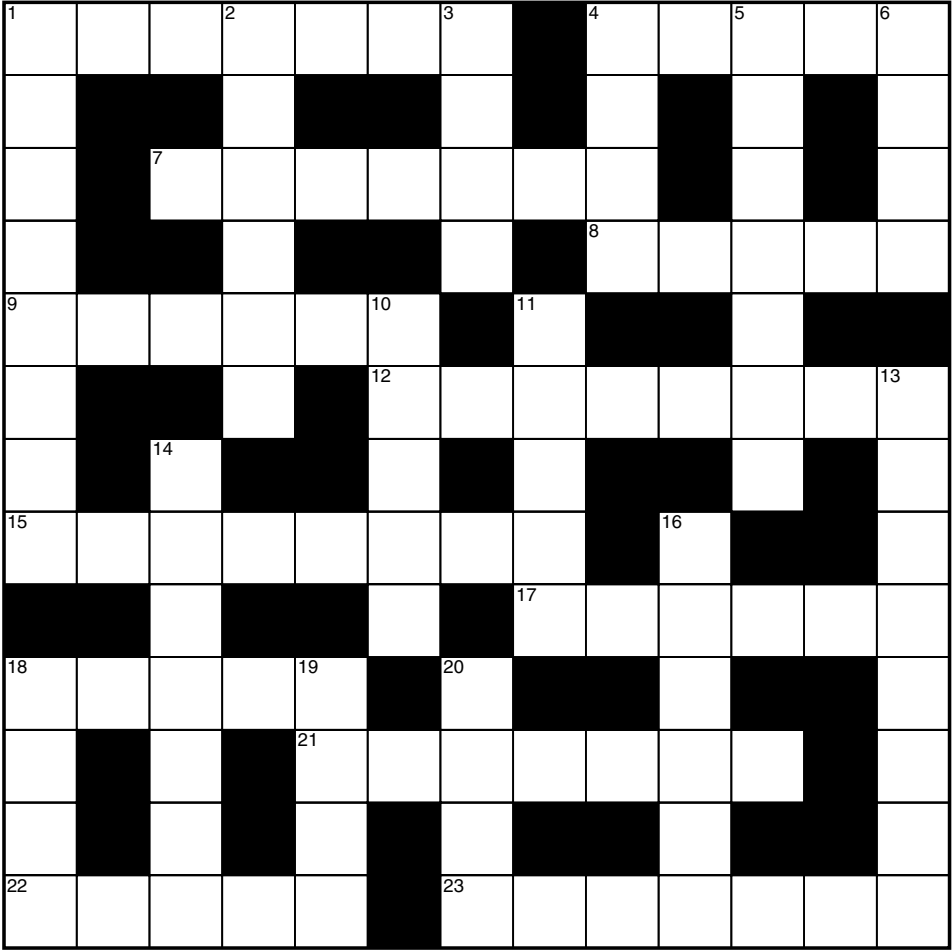
At Alex Gow Funerals we have no lock-in contracts so once you have completed your Executor Funeral Plan you can change your details at any time. There are also no financial penalties imposed should you move interstate or to an area where Alex Gow Funerals cannot carry out your Executor Plan funeral.



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*Pre-arranged Funerals*

NEWSTEAD | BROWNS PLAINS | REDLANDS | DECEPTION BAY



ACROSS

- 1. Validate
- 4. Relating to speech
- 7. Asylum seeker
- 8. Ate out
- 9. Widely known
- 12. Collecting
- 15. Newspaper caption
- 17. Rambled
- 18. Modules
- 21. Striking with foot
- 22. Stamp book
- 23. Silt-removing boat

DOWN

- 1. Freshwater crustacean
- 2. Small quake
- 3. Meditation art
- 4. Competed
- 5. Governing body
- 6. Loan
- 10. Indian garments
- 11. Not as common
- 13. Horticulturist
- 14. Metered-fare vehicle
- 16. Deserved
- 18. Forearm bone
- 19. Pass lightly (over)
- 20. Chilled

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 RATHENOW  
 RIEDENBURG  
 ROMROD  
 SCHWEINFURT  
 TWISTRINGEN  
 UMMERSTADT  
 WALLDORF  
 WEINGARTEN

Fun With **Trivia**
931 – 933

931. Dubrovnik was the filming location for which fictional area in Game of Thrones?

932. What is the national dish of Hungary?

933. Sushi had its origins in which country?

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Fun With Trivia 934 – 937

934. Name Italy’s most popular frozen dessert?  
.....
935. What is the proper name of the Portuguese custard tart?  
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936. In which country was the Tim Tam chocolate biscuit created?  
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937. What is the name of the popular Thai spicy shrimp soup?  
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CLUES

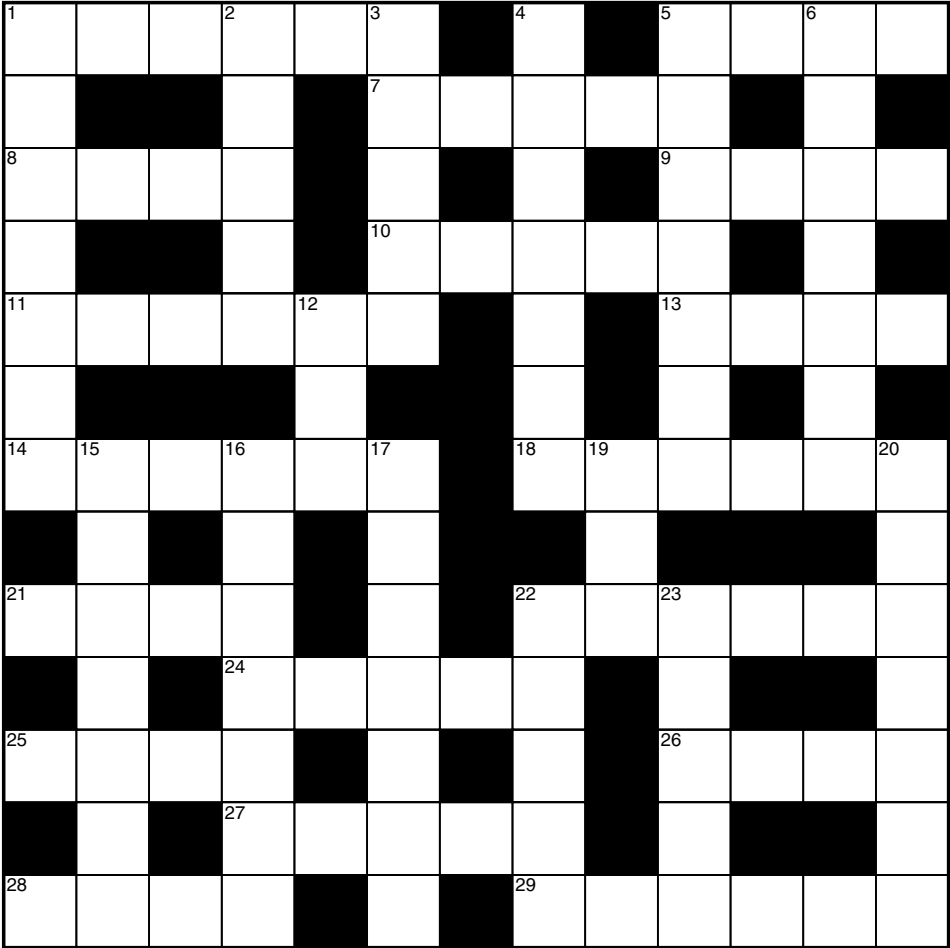
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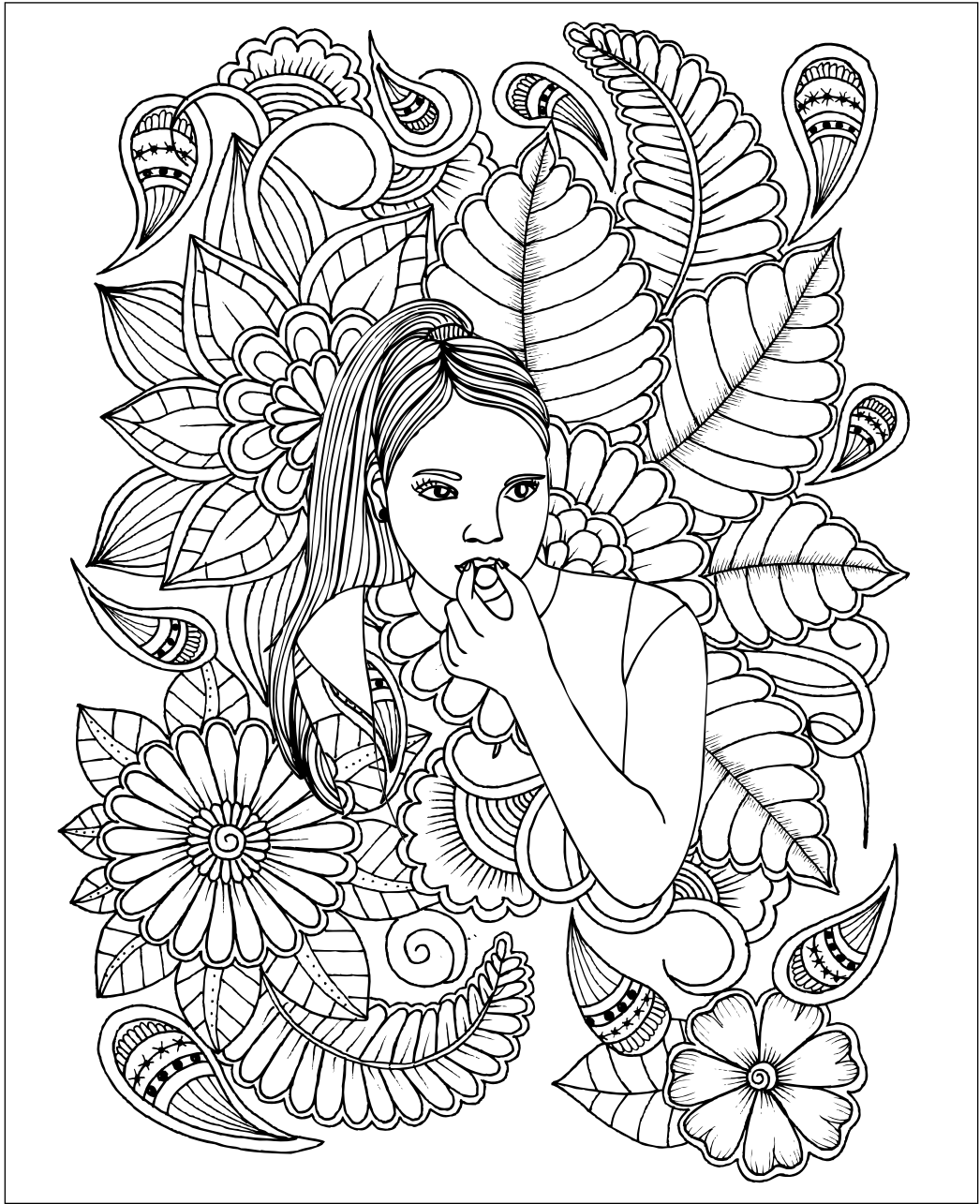
- 1. Engraver
- 5. Serving platter
- 7. Take place
- 8. Wild cat
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- 10. Lamenting
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- 13. Snatch
- 14. Italian sausage

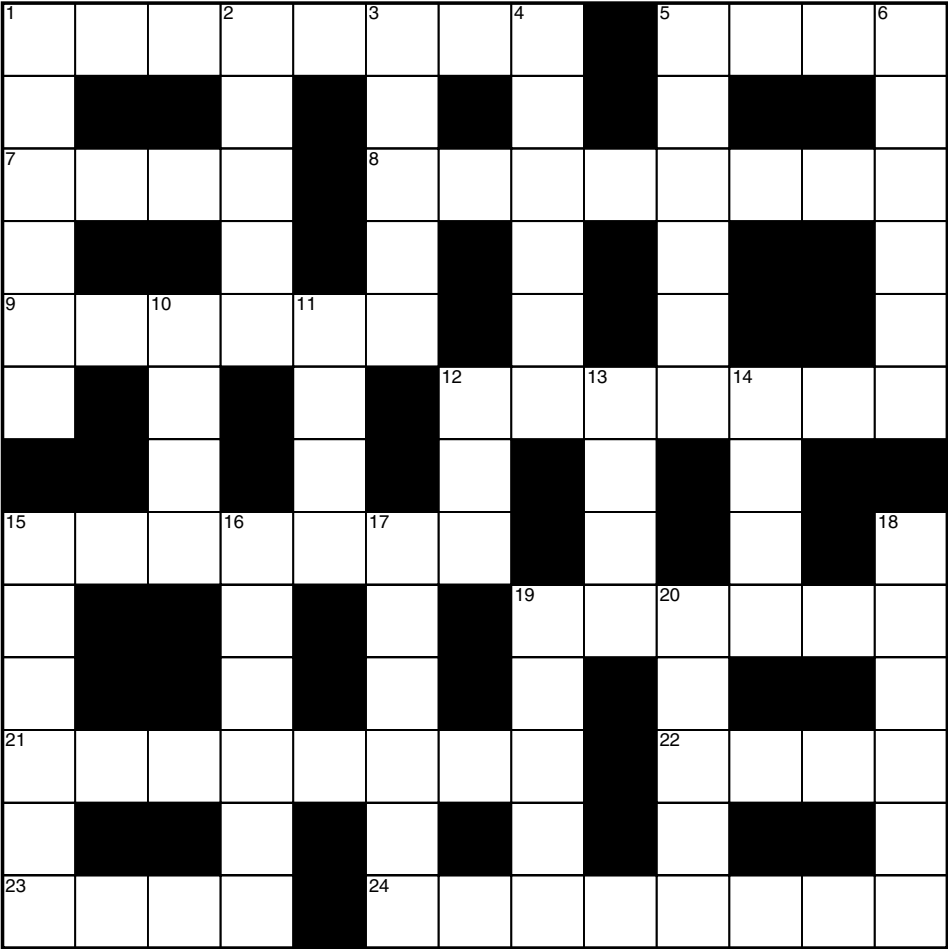
- 18. Partition
- 21. Makes request
- 22. Grills
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- 26. Swimming area
- 27. Trademark
- 28. Congeals
- 29. Concedes

DOWN

- 1. Emperor's wife
- 2. Stash
- 3. Lion's calls
- 4. Is frugal
- 5. Gun lever
- 6. Enliven
- 12. Disease-prone tree
- 15. Clear of blame
- 16. Soaks up
- 17. Illicit
- 19. Murmuring sound
- 20. Lies snugly
- 22. Late
- 23. More than sufficient







ACROSS

- 1. Unlatched
- 5. Without sensation
- 7. Respectfully, on bended ...
- 8. Circling
- 9. Squeaks and rattles
- 12. Sticks (to)
- 15. Guided (to seat)
- 19. Crowd brawls
- 21. Leaving empty
- 22. Bicycle
- 23. Plant stem lump
- 24. Powerless

DOWN

- 1. Cruel
- 2. Forewarnings
- 3. Tangles
- 4. Sponged
- 5. Stinging weed
- 6. Small trumpets
- 10. Skin irritation
- 11. At any time
- 12. Charitable funding
- 13. Family dwelling
- 14. Went on horseback
- 15. Irregular
- 16. Enclose in box
- 17. Improve in value
- 18. Resources
- 19. Ski slope mound
- 20. Written defamation

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Fun With **Trivia** 938 – 940

938. In which country did cheesecake originate?

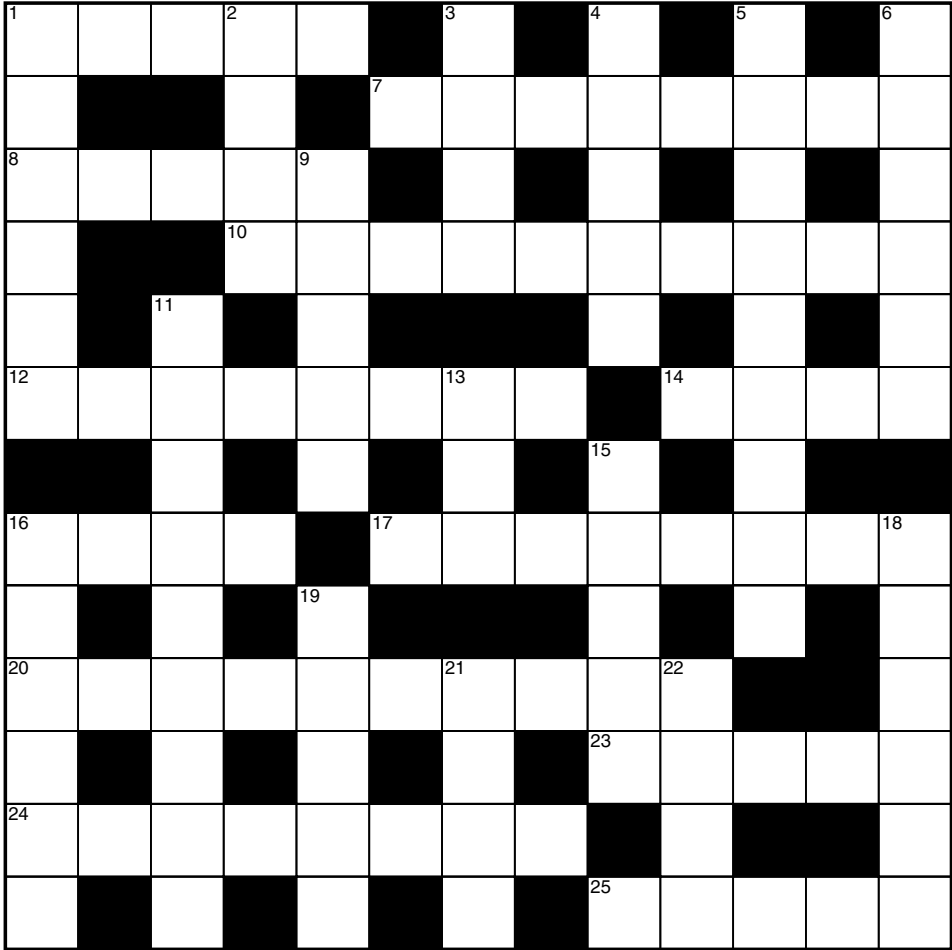
939. Rice is the main ingredient in which popular Spanish dish?

940. What is the popular Mexican dish of meat, rice, vegetables and beans wrapped in a tortilla called?

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Fun With Trivia 941 – 944

941. An old Australian tradition was to bake what coin into a Christmas pudding?  
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942. Where can you find the Seven Coloured Earths?  
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943. What is the scientific name for the Northern Lights?  
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944. Which central South American country is home to the largest salt flats in the world?  
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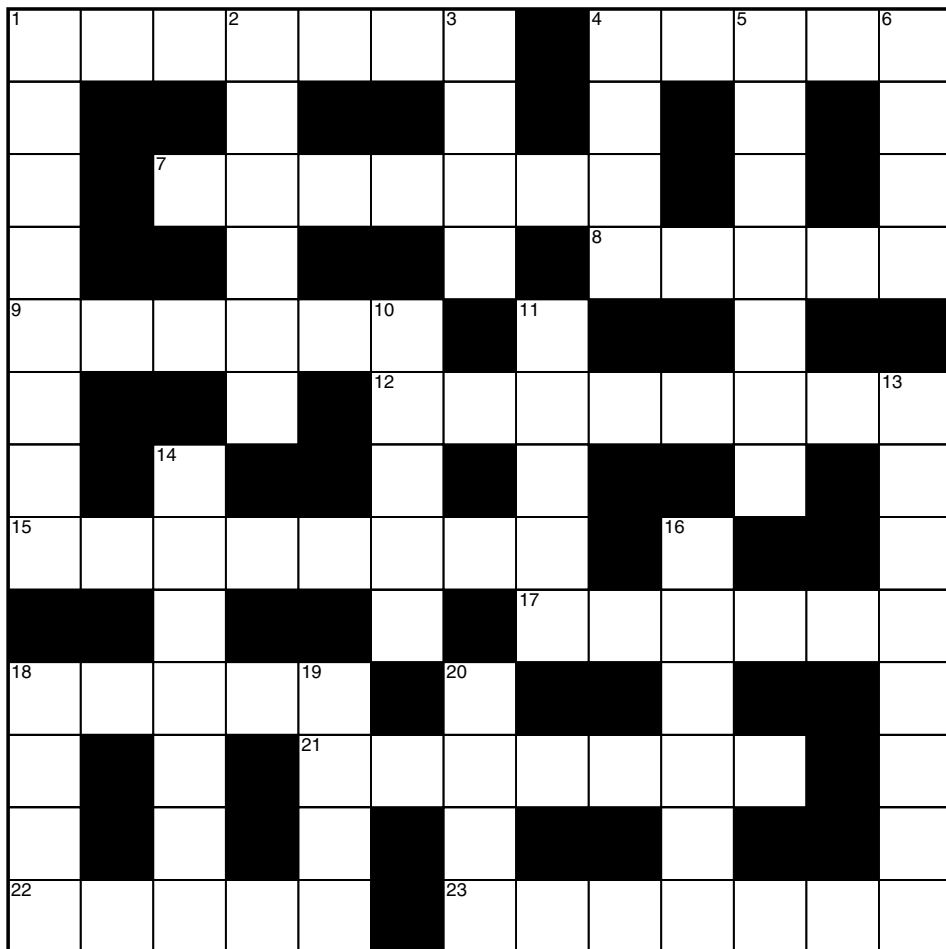


ACROSS

- 1. Of hearing
- 7. Most hygienic
- 8. Grind (teeth)
- 10. Outshone
- 12. Sailor
- 14. Musical threesome
- 16. No longer living
- 17. Study the heavens
- 20. Calmly
- 23. Spent time idly
- 24. Search among rubbish
- 25. Snow sports person

DOWN

- 1. Corners
- 2. Moreover
- 3. Political power group
- 4. Dear Sir or ...
- 5. Bed cover
- 6. Film production company
- 9. Person, ... being
- 11. Twin-hulled vessel
- 13. Consume
- 15. Cross-examine
- 16. Remove from throne
- 18. Income cheat, tax ...
- 19. JM Barrie play, ... Pan
- 21. Impulse
- 22. Pull with a jerk



## ACROSS

1. Unpredictable
4. Half a century
7. Ambushed
8. Live coal
9. Property wrecker
12. Consecrated as priest
15. Amphibious aircraft
17. Sodden
18. Destines to grim fate
21. Infectious viral disease
22. Cardiac organ
23. Wide area

## DOWN

1. Makes more exciting
2. Trophies
3. Jacket
4. Grow dim
5. Telling untruth
6. Thy
10. Faithful
11. Fringes
13. Task-completion date
14. Portable rocket-launcher
16. Filming machine
18. Bowl
19. Speck of soot
20. Female horse

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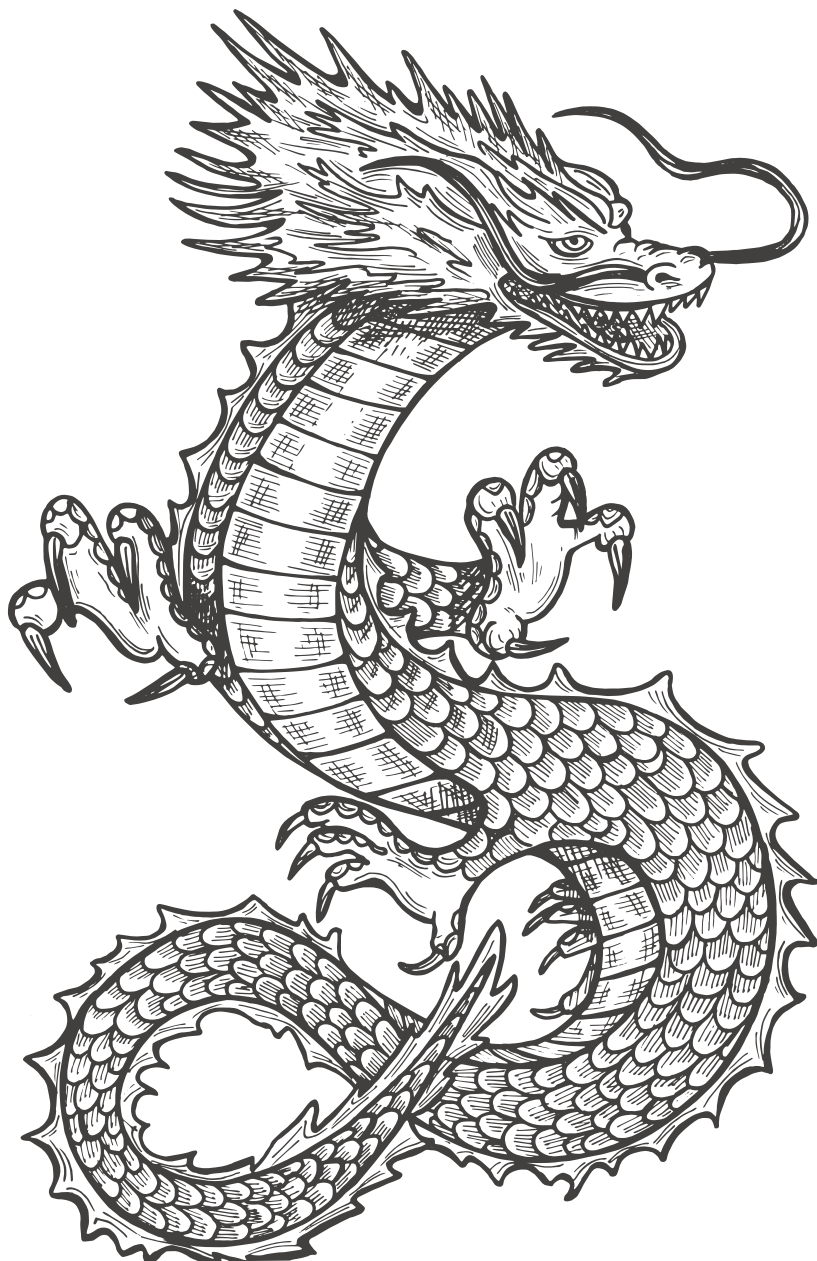
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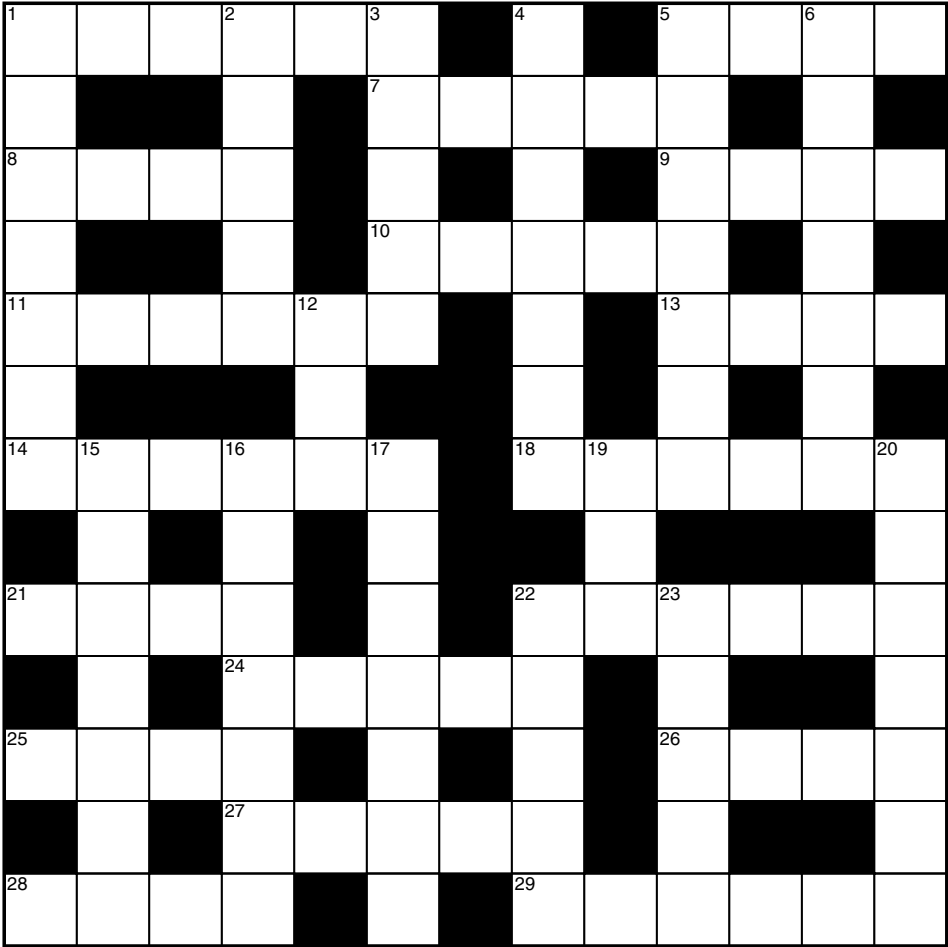
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ACROSS

- 1. Residential district
- 5. Brave deed
- 7. Resist authority
- 8. Border upon
- 9. Historical periods
- 10. Delete
- 11. Representing, on ... of
- 13. Wheedle
- 14. Waltzed
- 18. Calm
- 21. Drama
- 22. Underground stems
- 24. Call up (feelings)
- 25. Cheeky smile
- 26. Roman garment
- 27. Narrow land links
- 28. Ancient harp

DOWN

- 1. Mopped
- 2. Extremist
- 3. Fleeting
- 4. Grazes
- 5. Swindled
- 6. Emphatic
- 12. Tell untruths
- 15. Sensitivity to substances
- 16. Red pepper spice
- 17. Marriage dissolution
- 19. Tall bird
- 20. Trap
- 22. Torment
- 23. Wash

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- BIG EARS
- BUMPY DOG
- CHILDREN
- CLOCKWORK MOUSE
- DAISY
- DINAH
- FAMOUS FIVE
- GEORGE
- INSPECTOR
- JULIAN
- MARTHA MONKEY
- MISS PRIM
- MR JUMBO
- MR MILKO
- MR SPARKS
- SCOTTISH TERRIER
- SECERT SEVEN
- TESSIE BEAR
- THE GOLLIES
- TOMBOY
- TUBBY BEAR
- WOBBLY MAN

Fun With **Trivia** 945 – 947

945.

Which pink flower that grows on trees brings thousands of visitors to Japan annually when in full bloom?
946.

Which Greek God has been immortalised in a statue that you can visit in Olympia?
947.

Victoria Falls is a waterfall on which Southern African river?

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Fun With Trivia 948 – 951

948. On which Caribbean island can you swim with pigs?
- .....
949. Where is the Blue Grotto?
- .....
950. Where is the Blue Lagoon geothermal spa?
- .....
951. The Temple of the Emerald Buddha can be found in which Asian capital?
- .....

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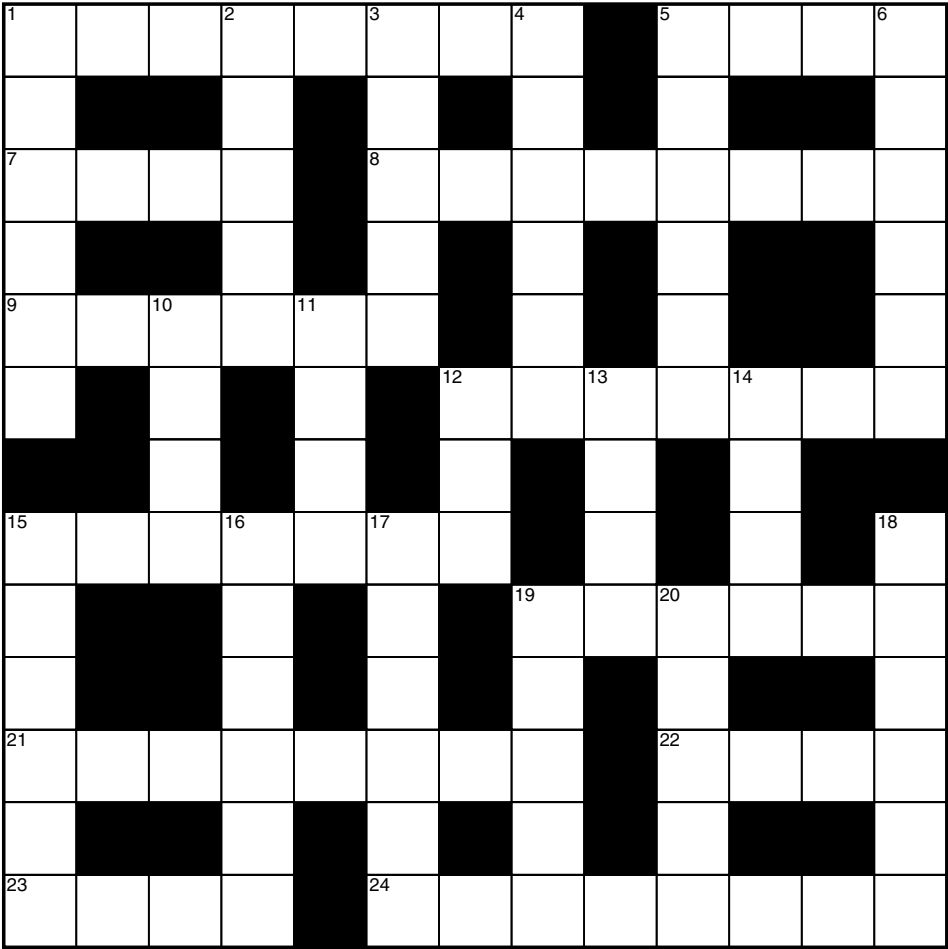
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ACROSS

1. Squid

5. Sell

7. Fluent & insincere

8. Dutch liquor

9. Rewrite on machine

12. Subsided

15. Transported goods

19. Zoo custodian

21. Automobile owner
22. Country, Costa ...

23. Completed

24. Repaints (bodywork)

DOWN

1. Tobacco rolls

2. Monks' home

3. Gangway

4. Breathe in

5. Practicable

6. Wiped (furniture)

10. Grow weary

11. Smug moralist

12. Large rodent
13. Manage

14. Jettison

15. Worked (the land)

16. Earnings

17. Less distinct

18. Quirks of nature

19. Flying toys

20. Mistake

# A meal delivered to the door

Sometimes the pressures of life brought about by ill-health, a disability or depression impact on our motivation, desire or ability to cook. Often, it's the last thing we can or want to do.

Our sense of independence can be challenged by admitting we might need a little help. Meals providers are often told, "I wish I'd got meals sooner".

A common problem facing people adapting to changed circumstances is poor nutrition and or weight loss. These often lead to more complications. A few decent meals a week make a huge difference.

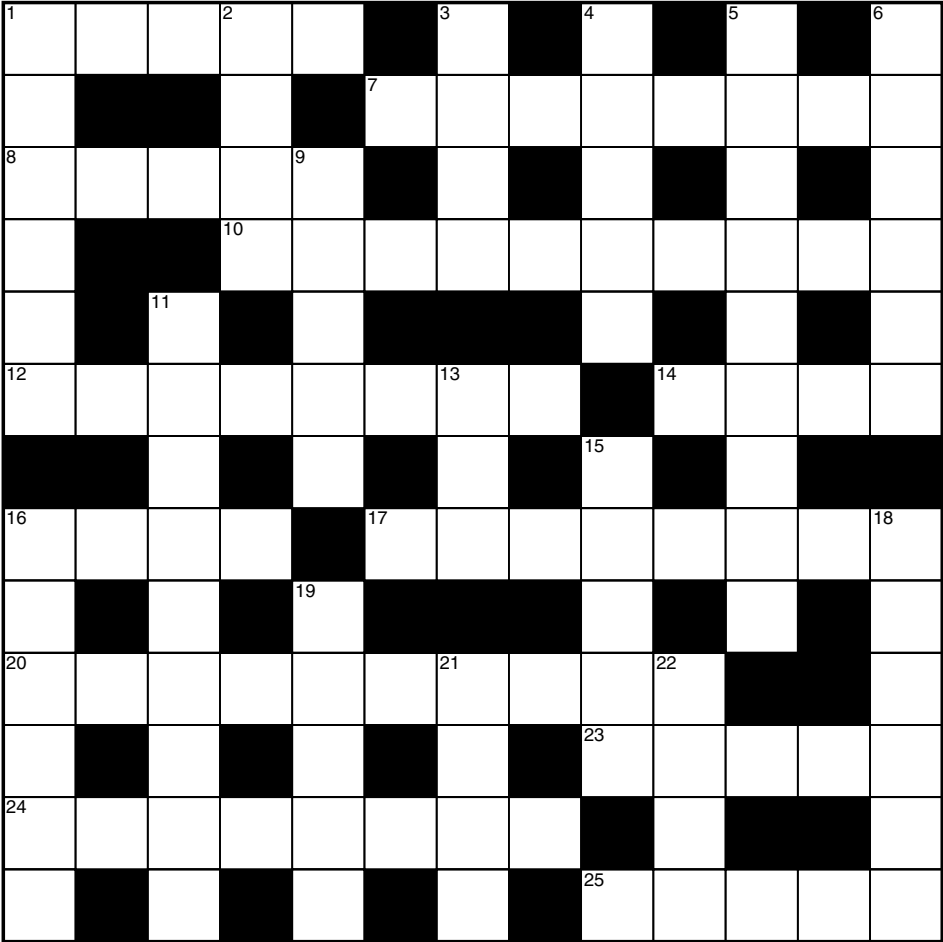


The easiest way to find out about services is to ring your local Meals on Wheels service. Numbers listed below, they will be more than happy to explain how their particular service operates, and to get you started.

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BEENLEIGH	3287 1477
BRIEBIE ISLAND	3408 1721
BULIMBA	3399 8900
BURPENGARY	3888 3754
CABOOLTURE	5495 2996
CAPALABA	3390 3450
CARINA	3398 7438
CENTENARY	3279 1974
CLEVELAND	3286 2626
CROSBY PARK	3256 0788
DECEPTION BAY	3203 2800
GEEBUNG	3263 6634
HOLLAND PARK	3397 9150

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MITCHELTON	3354 3919
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PINE RIVERS & DISTRICT	3285 2532
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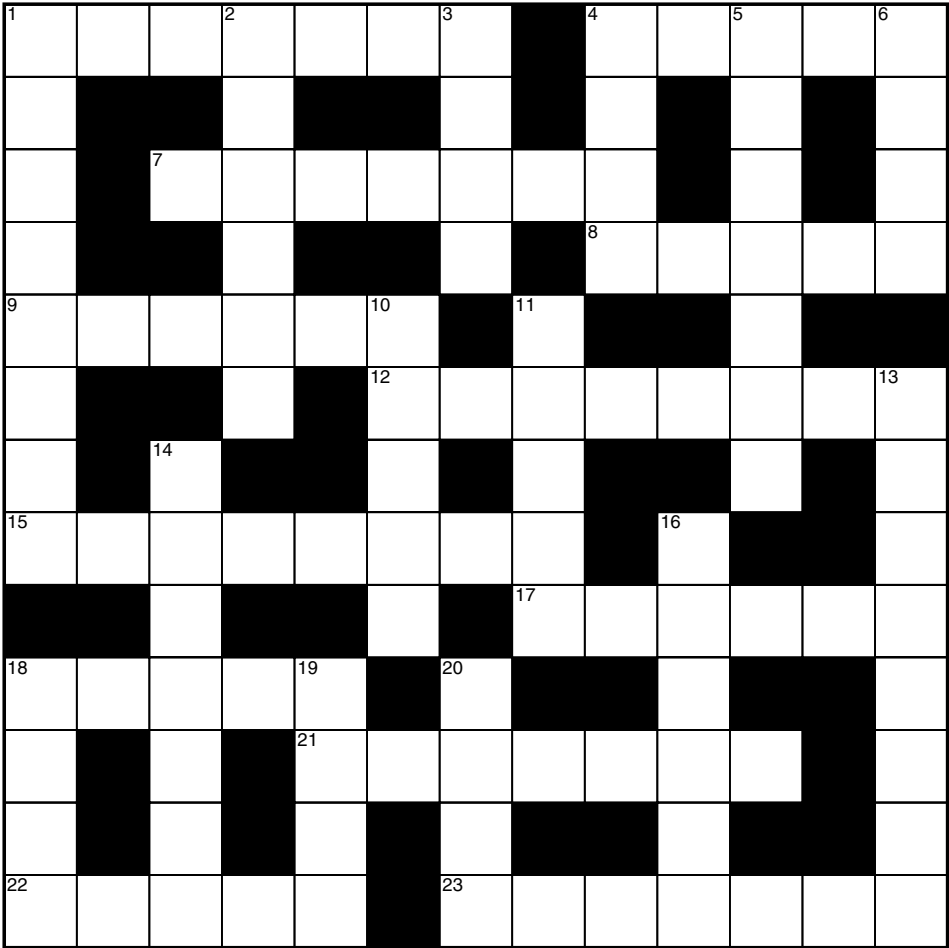


ACROSS

- 1. Perfect
- 7. Implied suggestion
- 8. White animal, ... bear
- 10. Feelings
- 12. Sifts through
- 14. Walk with heavy steps
- 16. Irish dances
- 17. Acquired
- 20. Lighter than air
- 23. Golfer's two under par
- 24. Confection on a stick
- 25. Sedate (character)

DOWN

- 1. Urges into motion
- 2. Unfortunately
- 3. Taverns
- 4. Rifle ends
- 5. Straightening (rope)
- 6. Accommodated
- 9. Try to vomit
- 11. Lethargically
- 13. Depressed, at a low ...
- 15. Stop briefly
- 16. Sapphires & diamonds
- 18. Protect
- 19. Belonging to them
- 21. Take a peek
- 22. Common seasoning



ACROSS

- 1. Muslim woman's veil
- 4. Bygone (days)
- 7. Regards highly
- 8. Athletics circuit
- 9. Sewing cotton
- 12. Sailing
- 15. Switch
- 17. Zigzagged (through traffic)
- 18. Unseals
- 21. Subtleties of meaning
- 22. Bushy plant
- 23. Stocking bands

DOWN

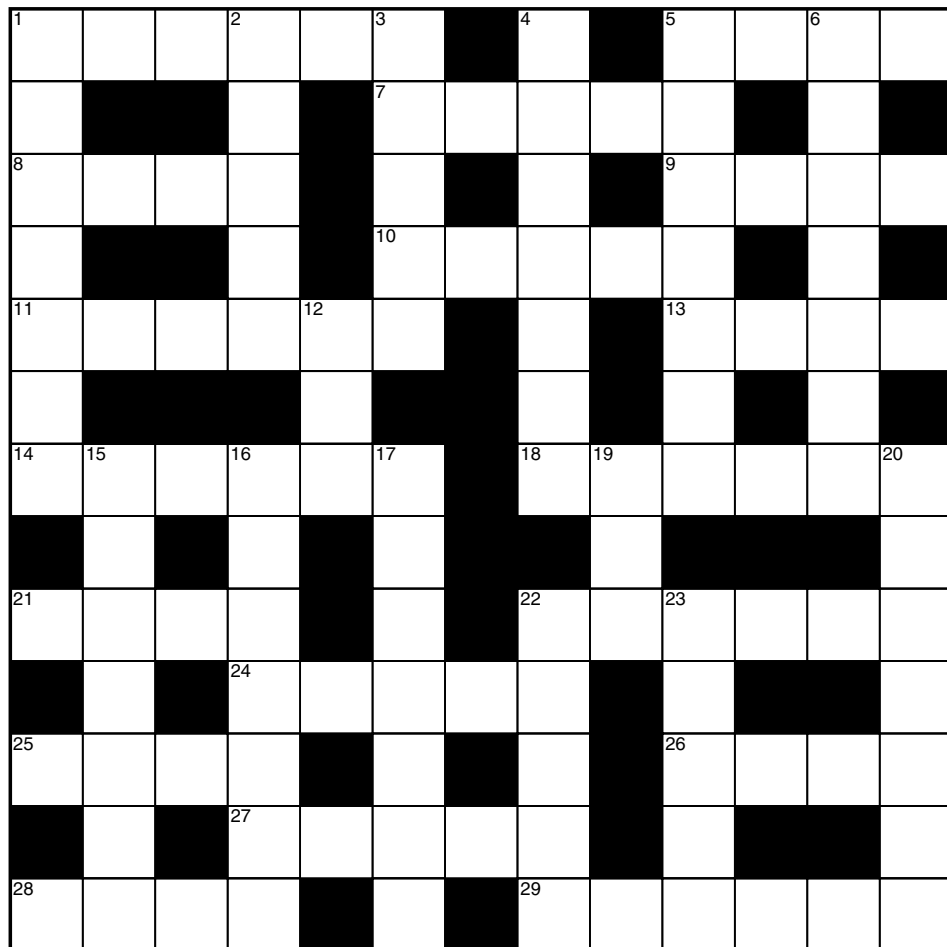
- 1. Christmas
- 2. Snake sounds
- 3. Eager
- 4. Displace
- 5. Forceful
- 6. Recess
- 10. Becoming extinct, ... out
- 11. Spiral nail
- 13. Venice canal boats
- 14. Conspirator
- 16. Skill
- 18. Rowing aids
- 19. Social bigot
- 20. Vampire's tooth



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Fun With Trivia 952 – 954

952. Where would you find the infamous Killing Fields?
- .....
953. Why is Mount Corcovado in central Rio de Janeiro, Brazil famous?
- .....
954. Which Italian landmark dates back to 70AD?
- .....

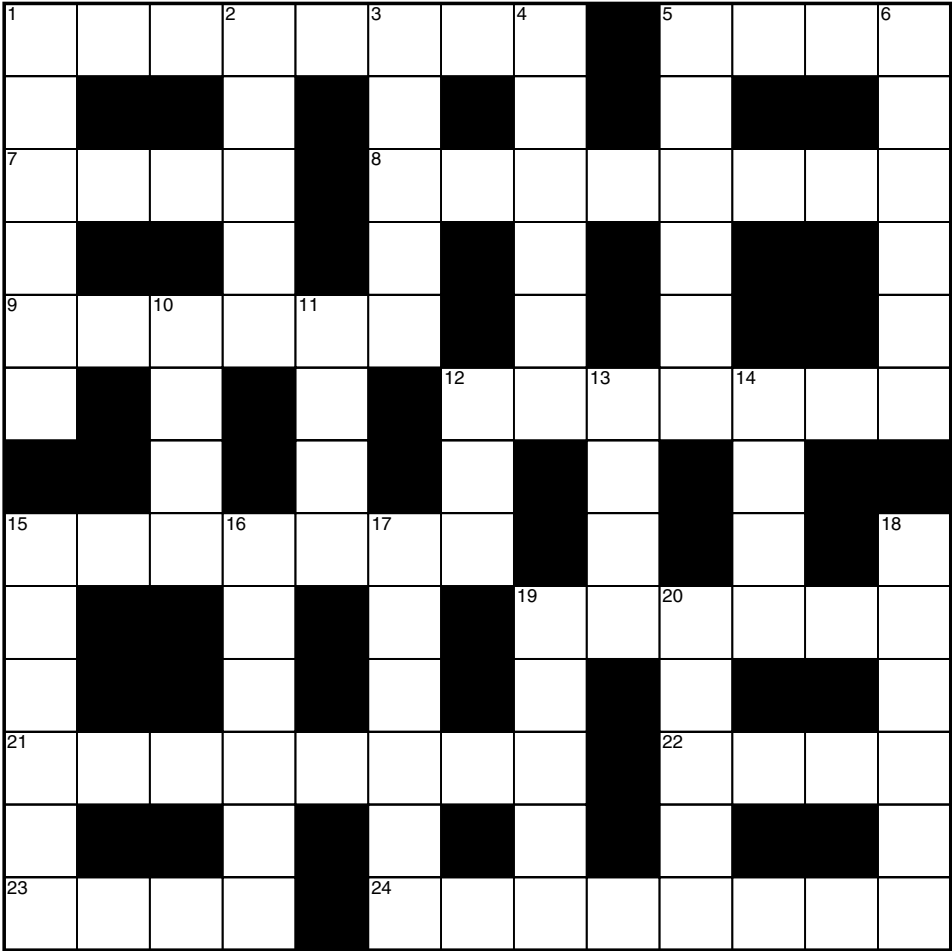


## ACROSS

1. Vehicle depot
5. Fades
7. Keyboard instrument
8. Citrus peel scraping
9. Hideous
10. Radiates
11. Tracks down
13. Single object
14. Sculptured likeness
18. Illuminates
21. Open tart
22. Moved suddenly
24. First Greek letter
25. Curdled
26. Run of bell-chimes
27. Tightly-packed
28. Vipers
29. Sleeping visions

## DOWN

1. Newspaper
2. Room beneath a roof
3. Fencing blades
4. Enchanting
5. Extinguishing
6. Blandest
12. Unborn chick
15. Goes after
16. Entrails
17. Barking shrilly
19. Rage
20. Jockeys' seats
22. Tired & bored
23. Sri Lankan money unit



ACROSS

- 1. Game fowl
- 5. Seep
- 7. Cloudy gem
- 8. Jungle (climate)
- 9. Stages
- 12. Horrible
- 15. Transplanted (skin)
- 19. Cheeps
- 21. Balcony walls
- 22. Smear
- 23. Flank
- 24. Shame

DOWN

- 1. Punctual
- 2. Book of maps
- 3. Motor vehicles
- 4. Livestock feedbox
- 5. Pungent bulbs
- 6. Speech of praise
- 10. Greenish blue
- 11. Revise
- 12. Deity
- 13. Affirm
- 14. Finish-line ribbon
- 15. Statistical diagrams
- 16. Outward appearance
- 17. Stretch
- 18. Serviceable
- 19. Assignments
- 20. More senior

# Puzzles Can Help Your Brain

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