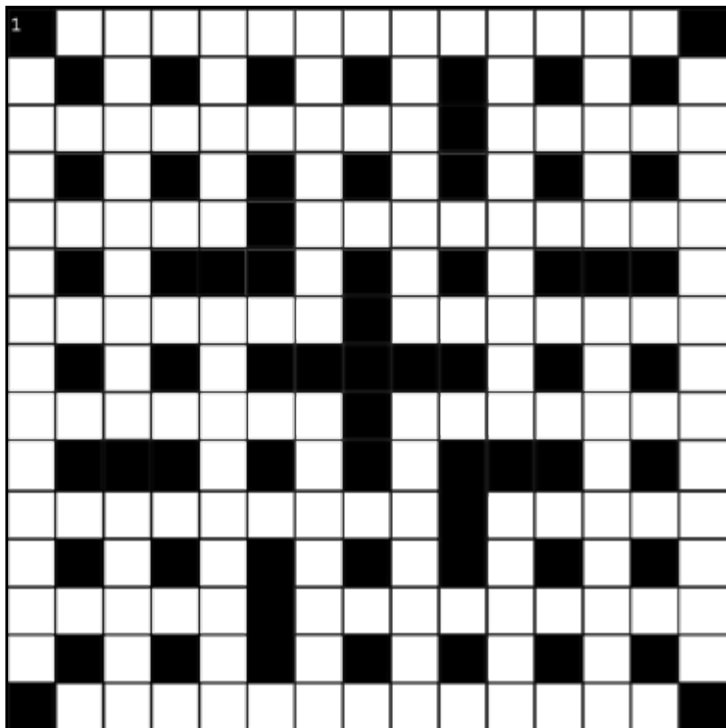


Competition Crossword



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Alphabetic puzzle. Solve the clues and fit the solutions as you can (note, two layouts are possible! 'U' gives a clue to mine.).

- A** These sea-green waves exhibit assent (5)
- B** Marston, say, are very (heads up one) (7)
- C** Get it? Amigo (9)
- D** Dustin Hoffman, thrice disheartened then less loud – my old man! (7)
Poetic couplet announcing no respect for credit! (7)
- E** Satirical mag slates hairy facial fringes (9)
- F** Tiny circus star, lame after treatment (4,5)
- G** Small, soft dumplings said to lack the life force! (7)
- H** No hero in Bath's fantasy engineer (5,8)
- I** Creating envy, I saw, like Caesar, in good sense (9)
- J** Shocks enjoin all gutsy, lusty hearts (5)
Tribal gathering originally just in rebel governed areas (5)

- K** Far southern village that is, even in UK, creatable (5)
- L** Long-lived (not a cobbler's work) (7)
- M** Farah's falcons, real New Yorkers! (7)
- N** Berlin newspaper of 1933-45 era? (4,5)
- O** How Marx saw religion – just a toxic smoke! (5)
- P** Arguable in a case of a deep ball (9)
- Q** Leaflet seeking facts – queen's a riot in farce! (13)
- R** Rejects matters of the Royal East Kent Regiment (7)
- S** Irish goon who 'told us he was ill' (5,8)
- T** Flow qualifier that I'd allow in here (5)
- U** Ruin, an alp just gets so flattened (9)
- V** Cultural worth adherent in old artworks or curios (5)
- W** We dress in ragged strange ways (9)
- X** Classical pirates' cartographical instruction? (1,5,3,4)
- Y** Doughnuts so good they're named twice! (7)
- Z** Belief in the uniqueness of a life force (5)