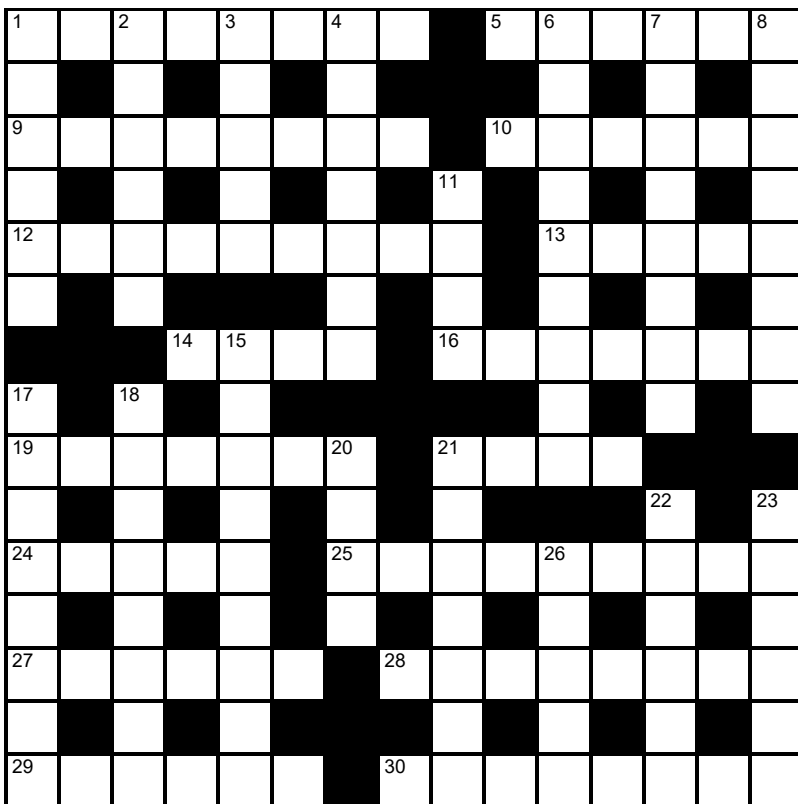


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A 40th anniversary puzzle

ACROSS

- 1 One held leaves at the end of term (8)
- 5 Romantic hero ticks boxes (6)
- 9 Missing a meal eats medieval spread (8)
- 10 Harsh treatment for an alto (4)
- 12 Dozens of lovers saw generous arrangement we left (5,4)
- 13 Saying Gaff would rock in the Irish Sea (5)
- 14 Satisfied with small cup (4)
- 16 Erratically drives a coach (7)
- 19 Incontinent men suffering blackout (7)
- 21 Farewell to depression (4)
- 24 Stand for clothes, but more beautiful topless (5)
- 25 Women's shoes (4,5)
- 27 Taxi driver has right to be cross (6)
- 28 Calamity to be little plant (8)
- 29 Gaff's dog (6)
- 30 Think the right place to be is in credit (8)

DOWN

- 1 Source of breath in exercise taken by diver (6)
- 2 Starts to indicate need for a new table being under one, maybe (6)
- 3 Eyeballs turn up at Leeds, oddly (5)
- 4 Green log cut and carved soon (7)
- 6 Leaf maybe found in new suit's recovery (9)
- 7 Most biting gnats it seems at heart are problematic (8)
- 8 Seafood around mid-May is shellfish and fresh air (8)
- 11 Part for a jazz king (4)
- 15 Sad note in Italy will be blue without you, it's said (9)
- 17 Sauces start becoming amazingly spicy filling for wraps (8)
- 18 Flawless top restaurant gets complaint (8)
- 20 Force commando into agreement (4)
- 21 Arranging duck v tiger is feeling unbalanced (7)
- 22 Combined club (6)
- 23 Dealer's turn to be more certain (6)
- 26 Norma's trousers? (5)

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