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Crossword

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ACROSS

1 Winning a blue ribbon

5 San ____ (California city, informally)

9 Trite

14 State as fact

15 Toy that hurts when you step on it barefoot

16 Defendant's excuse

17 Some deep voices

19 Kind of snack chip

20 Letter container: Abbr.

21 Have debts

22 When a plane is due to leave, for short

24 Sweetie

25 Her: Fr.

27 Parts of gas stoves

29 Like movies with considerable sex or violence

31 "____ a stinker?" (Bugs Bunny catchphrase)

32 Friendship

33 Kind of cherry

34 Electrical adapter letters

38 "Dee-lish!"

39 Mash-up

42 Paris street

43 One who's well-versed in the arts?

45 Stout and porter

46 Protein builder, informally

48 Sharp or sour in taste

50 Fireplace log holders

51 Where touchdowns are scored

54 Prefix with business or culture

55 Seoul-based automaker

56 Pretty ____ picture

57 "Dude"

58 College in Cedar Rapids, Iowa

61 They were released from Pandora's box

63 "That was fortunate"

66 Special Forces headgear

67 One of several on a superhighway

68 Analogy phrase

69 "Get Yer ____ Out!" (Rolling Stones live album)

70 School founded by Henry VI

71 Auto license issuers, for short

DOWN

1 Sweetie

2 Actress ____ Rachel Wood

3 Be in jail

4 Prefix with cycle

5 With 50-Down, place that this puzzle grid represents

6 Descartes who said "I think, therefore I am"

7 Grow older

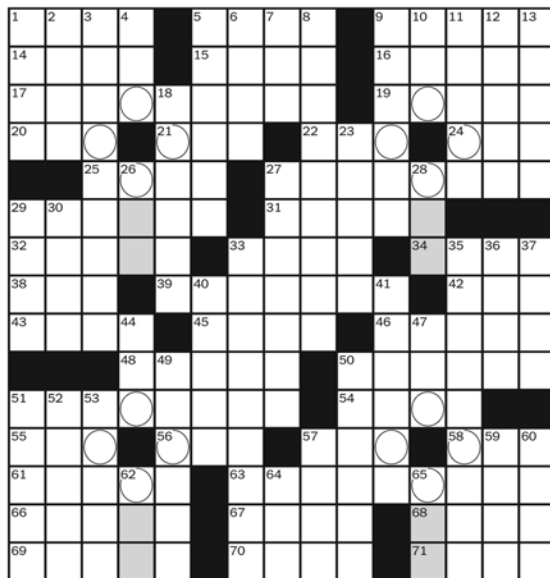
8 Some facial jewelry

9 One holding people up

10 Pie ____ mode

11 Limited kind of market

12 Despire



PUZZLE BY JOE HANSEN

13 Detroit pro team

18 "See? What'd I say!"

23 Polynesian kingdom

26 Tennis do-over

27 Brand of Irish cream liqueur

28 ____ Fáil (ancient crowning stone)

29 Skatepark feature

30 Bullets and such

33 United States symbol

35 "You did it all wrong!" e.g.

36 Hill on a beach

37 Corp. V.I.P.s

40 Important pipes

41 Actress Robbie of "I, Tonya"

44 Cartoon "devil," informally

47 Damage in appearance

49 The U.S. has East and West ones

50 See 5-Down

51 Barely make it

52 Skin care brand since 1911

53 Milk and cheese products, collectively

57 Lead singer for U2

59 Airing

60 Self-identities

62 Meadow

64 Feedbag tidbit

65 Placed so as not to be found

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