

Bonus Puzzle

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15x15 - 66 words / 196 squares

ACROSS

- 1 Long work in verse form such as "Beowulf" or the "Odyssey" (4, 4)
- 5 Pumped-up "guns" on a bodybuilder (7, 6)
- 14 Radioactivity researcher and husband of the first two-time Nobel laureate (6, 5)
- 16 Explanation for a good performance from a first-timer (9, 4)
- 17 Fanciful goal or idea that is likely unattainable, whose etymology refers to opium smoking (4, 5)
- 18 Material obtained from the hide of a large flightless bird (7, 7)
- 19 "Well, get the courts involved then" (2, 3, 2)
- 20 "To hell with those people" (5, 4)
- 22 Shapes of some large earrings (5)
- 23 Clinging to a faint possibility (6, 7, 4)
- 25 One asking for food from a menu (7)
- 26 Position for Steph Curry and Dawn Staley (5, 5)
- 27 "You may enter" (4, 2)
- 28 Personal preference, metaphorically (3, 2, 3)
- 29 Rhetorical question when identifying oneself in childhood photos, perhaps (2, 4, 2)
- 30 Musical performances in private residences (5, 8)
- 32 Mound of flab on a male's chest, slangily (3, 4)
- 35 More lustrous (7)
- 36 YouTube how-to videos about cosmetics (6, 9)
- 40 Bloodwork or DNA analysis, e.g. (3, 4)
- 44 Increasing or acquiring (7)
- 45 Bandit (6)
- 46 Mentions famous people one knows, slangily (4-5)
- 47 Being filmed (2, 6)
- 48 Rhetorical question uttered when a cherished childhood movie is remade and bastardized, say (2, 7, 6)
- 50 "Direct your attention skyward" (4, 2)
- 51 Phantom motorcyclist of Marvel Comics (5, 5)
- 52 Self-aware, talking car driven by Michael Knight on '80s TV (4)
- 53 Inattentive (but hopefully not literally while driving) (6, 2, 3, 5)
- 55 More pokey, as rose bushes (8)
- 57 Instance after the second one (5, 4, 6)
- 58 Rapping or speaking using a handheld voice amplification device (2, 3, 3)
- 59 Certain railway structures spanning rivers, named for their means of support (5, 7)
- 60 Plant stem (5)

DOWN

- 1 Ephemeral retail outlets, in modern jargon (3-2, 5)
- 2 Facial cosmetic applied by death metal musicians to give a cadaverous look (6, 5)
- 3 It's celebrated with rainbow flags throughout June (5, 5)
- 4 Prefix denoting smallness (5)
- 5 Infant-focused subsidiary of a former toy store known for a large, backwards letter (6, 1, 2)
- 6 Lower extremity spasm (3, 6)
- 7 Request to a guest to excuse a cluttered room (6, 3, 4)
- 8 Martial arts blow performed at very close range (but not always exactly 2.54 centimeters away) (3-4, 5)
- 9 Cracker namesake (6)
- 10 Herb on a pizza Margherita (5)
- 11 Reusable infant bum coverer (5, 6)
- 12 Stone fruit-based dessert whose name is French for "perfect" (5, 7)
- 13 Hotel complexes for those hitting the slopes (3, 7)
- 15 Alliterative type of treaty outlining the use of weaponry (4, 9)
- 21 Invented, as a phrase (6)
- 24 Words of encouragement referring to a large feline (2, 3, 2, 5)
- 25 Palindromic vehicle-shaped furniture items in some children's rooms (7, 4)
- 31 Yearly movement, such as that undertaken by monarch butterflies (6, 9)
- 33 Type of comedy from across the pond, as seen on "Monty Python" or "Blackadder" (7, 5)
- 34 Ersatz weapon twisted at a child's birthday party (7, 5)
- 36 With "The," Mississippi's floral nickname (8, 5)
- 37 Strands on a finger (7, 4)
- 38 Nickname (that includes the name of a Central American nation) for the millions of documents regarding offshore bank accounts leaked in 2015 (6, 6)
- 39 Song title for Van Morrison and Rufus, which is also a sugary term of endearment (5, 5)
- 41 Brimmed cap with a mesh back often worn by semi drivers (7, 3)
- 42 Noncorporeal guide or totem that may take the form of a woodland critter, in some belief systems (6, 6)
- 43 Lane that's slightly longer around a curve, in sprinting or motorsport (7, 5)
- 46 "___ to thank me" (2, 4)
- 49 Signals the coming of (7)
- 51 "It's ___ this one!" ("There's no other option") (5, 2)
- 54 Warty amphibians (5)
- 56 Makes owl sounds (5)

