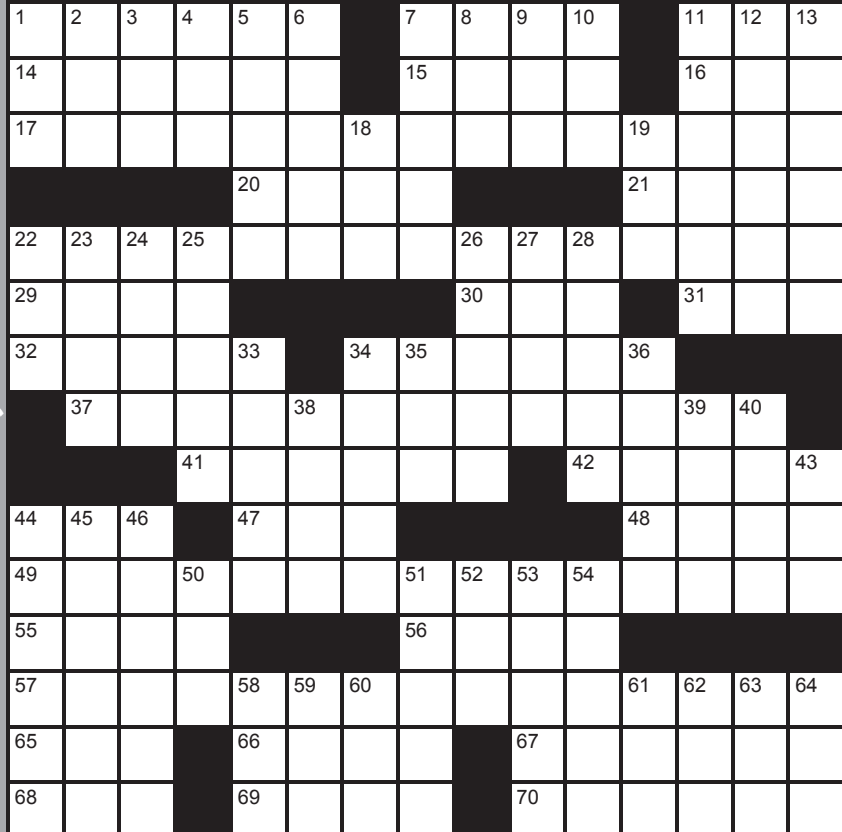




STRING QUARTET

ANSWERS NEXT WEEK!

ACROSS

1. Metaphoric acknowledgment
 7. Jobs creation
 11. Astronaut Jemison
 14. In
 15. Dress in Delhi
 16. "La Cage ____ Folles"
 17. Directive to an instrument in need of cleaning?
 20. Math measurement
 21. Physics 101 subject
 22. Wistful feeling about possessing an instrument?
 29. Clickable list
 30. It breaks in the morning
 31. Gangster's gun
 32. Struck down, biblically
 34. Some are humble
 37. This puzzle's

- theme
 41. Short poetic tribute
 42. Determined to achieve
 44. "Get a room!" elicitor, for short
 47. Ma that might baa
 48. Vibe
 49. Settle on certain instruments when no others are available?
 55. ExxonMobil brand
 56. Metal food containers
 57. Succinct reaction when given a list of instruments to choose from?
 65. "... you know the rest": Abbr.
 66. Berth place
 67. Greet from a distance
 68. "How could I be

- so silly?!"
 69. Garr of "Tootsie"
 70. Chocolate Post cereal

DOWN

1. Part of a stable diet?
 2. From ____ Z
 3. Night that "Friends" aired: Abbr.
 4. The Blue Jays, on scoreboards
 5. "Er ... well ... um ..."
 6. June birthstone
 7. Thomas featured in the documentary "The Last Dance"
 8. Course number
 9. Prints, e.g.
 10. Handyperson's initials.
 11. Brand with a lonely repairman
 12. ____ borealis

13. Free (from)
 18. Susan of "L.A. Law"
 19. "Well, ____ -di-dah!"
 22. Online exchange, in brief
 23. Some partners in lesbian couples
 24. "What am ____ getting?"
 25. Closing section of music
 26. Tennis score after deuce
 27. Common first word
 28. Australia's ____ Rock
 33. Down for a pillow
 34. Shoelace tip
 35. Hwy. whose name includes two of NYC's boroughs
 36. Pilfer
 38. Small salamander

39. Decorative sewing case
 40. Conflicted
 43. Rapper Lil ____ X
 44. Fed (on)
 45. He landed in Florida in 1539
 46. Per se
 50. "Nice one!"
 51. "SNL" alum Cheri
 52. By way of
 53. Bisected
 54. Muppet whose tweets often end with "Scram!"
 58. Like the name Mitt for a catcher
 59. Conk out
 60. The big eau
 61. Biblical woman with a palindromic name
 62. It's a sign
 63. Thai neighbor
 64. NBA tiebreakers

LAST WEEK'S ANSWERS TO PR STUNT

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