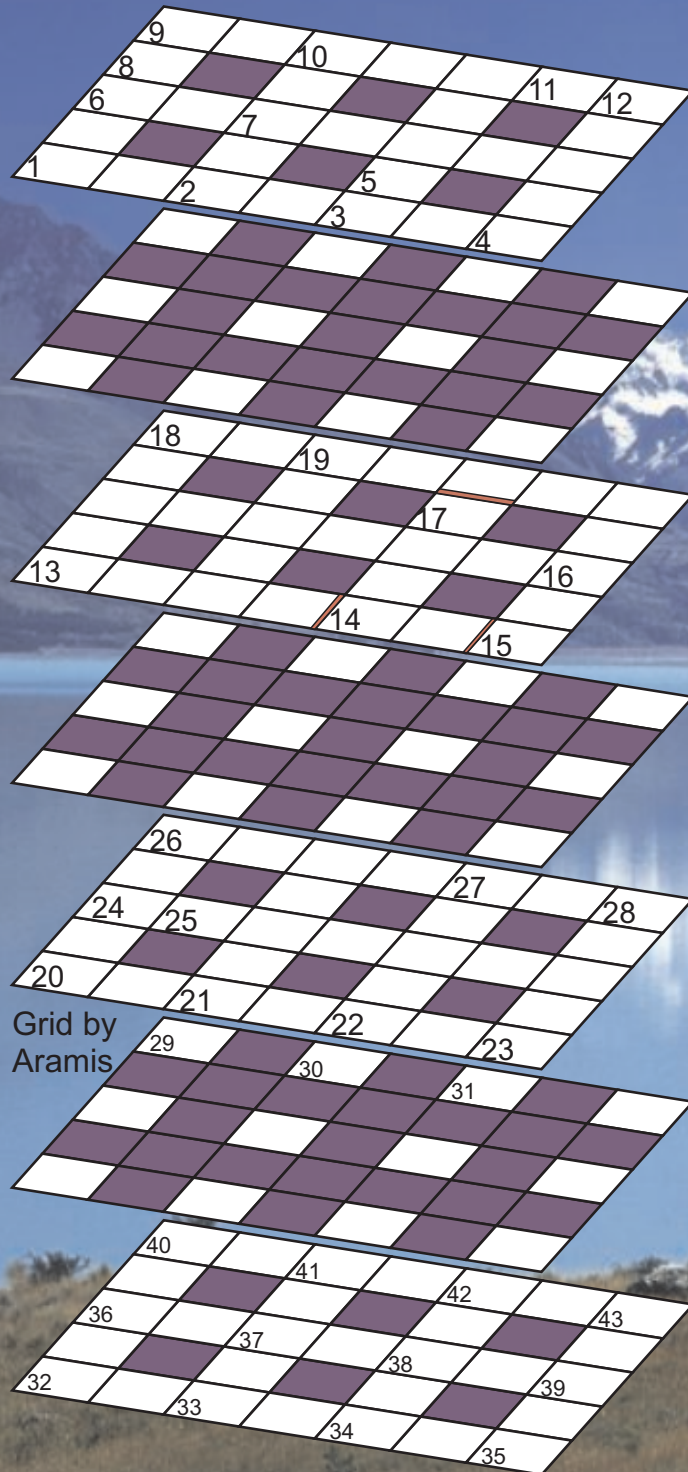


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This puzzle notes a 60th anniversary.  
Clues are arranged in alphabetical order of their  
solutions.

MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT	SUN
Highlighted clues have thematic solutions. Such clues do not have definitions.	 6d		1 <sub>21aw</sub> River runs dry here? (5)	2 <sub>31up-5</sub> Executive beset by strain (5)	3 <sub>40ac</sub> A painter has left for London? (7)	4 <sub>40to</sub> A knight out of uniform (5)
5 <sub>1aw,1ac</sub> Sword containers on a horse's flanks (5,7)	6 <sub>8to-2,6ac</sub> Ruby and John – doctor – in the sack (5-3)	7 <sub>1d</sub> Circumference of sack when lifted (7)	8 <sub>5to,3d,34ac-2</sub> Love is also naughty swapping of tongues? (9)	9 <sub>17to,14ac-2</sub> Amusing day job (5)	10 <sub>30d,41to,33ac-2</sub> Shelled pearl to spoil shell-like covering (7)	11 <sub>39up-5</sub> What about 'facility'? (5)
12 <sub>39up</sub> What plug may be near the door frames? (7)	13 <sub>29d,40ac-3,20d</sub> Nowhere near a space station (7)	14 <sub>2d</sub> Pollarded wood carried by girlfriend (7)	15 <sub>2aw</sub> One appearing in long pants (5)	16 <sub>16ba</sub> Not feeling pain? Pressure's off (7)	17 <sub>26ac</sub> Monarch enthralled by what Americans find funny (7)	18 <sub>3aw</sub> Independent school mustn't close (5)
19 <sub>38up</sub> I won't listen to recording when CD's dropped off (7)	20 <sub>19to</sub> Master will finally get paid (5)	21 <sub>6d</sub> Distinguished gathering mostly back on stage (7)	22 <sub>14aw-4</sub> Last instalments for hospital radio presenter, retired (4)	23 <sub>19d-4</sub> I will escape from the river (4)	24 <sub>24ac</sub> One helping riders and soldiers to board ship (7)	25 <sub>37up</sub> Emphatic strike-back by censor (7)
26 <sub>20ac-5</sub> Setter's additional brief to produce square things? (5)	27 <sub>27to</sub> At home in a French house (5)	28 <sub>20aw</sub> Compost material left in piles (5)	29 <sub>35aw,43up-2</sub> Princess, popular, will make a comeback (6)	30 <sub>10d-3</sub> Love letter unfinished, sent back (3)	31 <sub>7aw</sub> What Napoleon would call 'sans fin' (3)	32 <sub>42to,34ac-2</sub> Old and mad? Not quite a catch for Sebastian (6)
33 <sub>25ac-3</sub> The hunter's not playing (3)	34 <sub>12ba</sub> Loves to cross river country (7)	35 <sub>9d-5,26ac-3</sub> Very big, as far as she can tell (7)	36 <sub>12d-4</sub> Has snow melted? (4)	37 <sub>28d-3</sub> Was chicken kept in quarantine? (3)	38 <sub>13ac-4</sub> Tackle northern parts (4)	39 <sub>15aw</sub> Horse that's hard to break in (5)
40 <sub>11ac,12to</sub> 'Management' employee operating system for staff arrangements (6)	41 <sub>32ac</sub> Bully turned down by one in lover's embrace (7)	42 <sub>36ac</sub> Wife is captured by the above-mentioned (7)	43 <sub>4d</sub> It's a game, one played by player? (7)	44 <sub>22ac,23aw,28ba-2</sub> Headgear, serious or silly (8)	45 <sub>18to</sub> Formidable opponent good in a row (5)	46 <sub>18ac</sub> Police like to be in fashion (7)