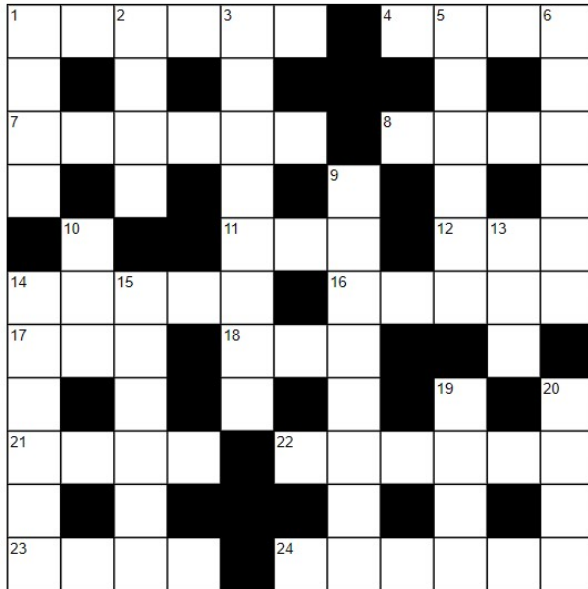


Cracking Cryptics

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Across

- 1 Amman changed by a capital (6)
- 4 Reserve published work (4)
- 7 Confused in game puzzle (6)
- 8 Place in Bahrain where Sara parties (4)
- 11 Inside solar cab service (3)
- 12 Starts to gaze at lady or girl (3)
- 14 Examine German car model (5)
- 16 Star in Bawree Nain (5)
- 17 Take advantage of American English (3)
- 18 Possessed what you ate (3)

- 21 Part of the body inside the elbow (4)
- 22 Donkeys given direction to judge (6)
- 23 Star going West for Jerry and Mickey perhaps (4)
- 24 Modi ordered to welcome King - A Japanese emperor (6)

Down

- 1 Tea for artist in Meera's get together (4)
- 2 Rain impacted family of 6 (4)
- 3 In the first half, Mammukka shot wild animals (8)
- 5 Fruit colour (6)
- 6 Several are keenly returning to home state (6)
- 9 Is read as novel for dignitary in BKS Book fest (8)
- 10 Almost break vehicle (3)
- 13 Insect in pants (3)
- 14 Aptly using tales, he obtains readers, primarily (6)
- 15 Leave Gobi, say (6)
- 19 Get bigger and get married turning huge (4)
- 20 Crazy fools left fine city (4)

This puzzle has a number of "theme" words – Grid entries where either solution or the clue to the solution can be connected to the Book fest. List all the theme words that you can spot. Fill the grid and submit before 6PM on 22nd Feb. 2020.

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