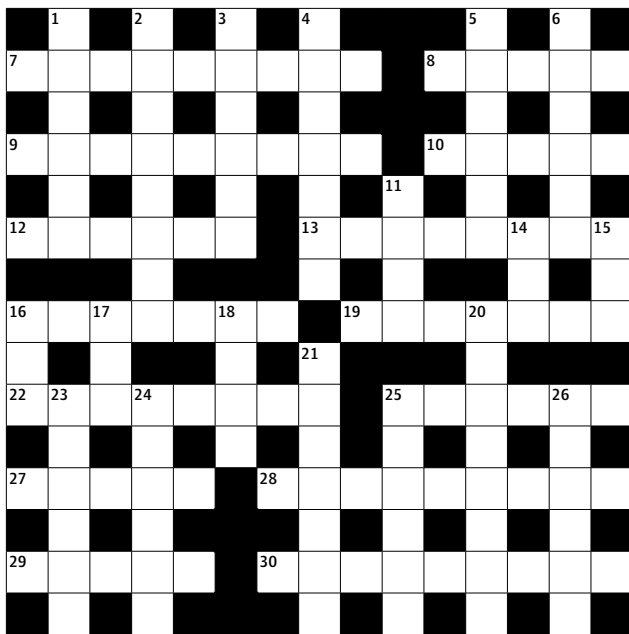


## Guardian cryptic crossword



No 27,345 set by Qaos

### Across

- 7 Offer to tour elven ruins (9)  
 8 Canoe might capsize here? (5)  
 9 At twilight in EU, Norway thanks Finland's parliament (9)  
 10 Prepare bread (5)  
 12 When outside, they're never homeless (6)  
 13 Flaming double gin mixed with vermouth (8)  
 16 Inner nature throughout Asian city (not just including capitals) (7)  
 19 Country against having its name changed hasn't succeeded (7)  
 22 It's essential to follow clues by directions (8)  
 25 Unwilling to serve out after ace (6)  
 27 Ghost upset king – I'm so sorry! (5)  
 28 Pit in Wales demolished completely (9)  
 29 Short, strong cheese as starter (5)  
 30 Cluedo character goes topless endlessly, like Holly? (9)
- 6 Perhaps Eden Hazard's foot is within shot range (6)  
 11 Opposed to local migrant integration (4)  
 14 Travel north or south in Winnipeg to find hotel (3)  
 15 For example, over 1,000 stone (3)  
 16 Type of drink with cap removed (3)  
 17 Always chasing black horse (3)  
 18 Ohio doubly in the news at 12 (4)  
 20 Tears flow on getting flower as prize (8)  
 21 Extremely blonde, what I have is a 1960s' hairstyle (7)  
 23 European politician's anger with group of states ... (6)  
 24 ... preferably in case one's heading for referendum (6)  
 25 Temptation of a solution when 100 is divided by 2? (6)  
 26 Metal, a thin piece with lithium twisted inside (6)

### Down

- 1 Bright? Try Latin study (6)  
 2 Cheer as doctor in NHS impregnates girl (8)  
 3 Beers to sell on board? (6)  
 4 Nuclear researchers keep time with artificial intelligence, for sure (7)  
 5 Grasp back muscle during performance (6)

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