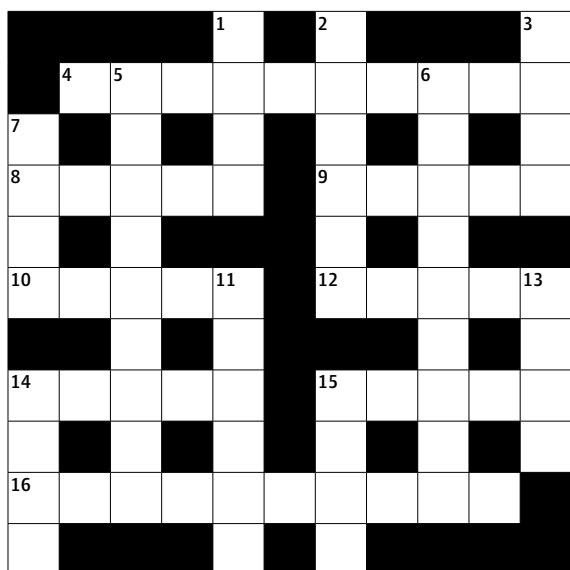


# Guardian quick cryptic crossword

No 117 set by Ludwig



## Across

- 4 Tudor queen's booze (6,4)
- 8 Tyrannies suppressing musical (5)
- 9 Touring Europe with no love for foreign currency (5)
- 10 In Muscat, lascivious one that'll show you the world (5)
- 12 Flipping city transport's swish (5)
- 14 Old boy to worry about exercise regime (3-2)
- 15 Bizarre notion: no time for veg (5)
- 16 Force to leave (3-2-3-2)

## Down

- 1 A little promenade in the city (4)
- 2 Country's scrumpy brewed miles away (6)
- 3 Fictional Jane taking part in Henley Regatta (4)
- 5 Extremely solitary - not married - prepared emollients (9)

- 6 Demanding a retrial? That's cute (9)
- 7 The father of avant-garde art (4)
- 11 Snuggles up and asks too many questions (6)
- 13 Taste insect that's served up (4)
- 14 Gloat about not having large garment (4)
- 15 Swinish sound coming from radio in kitchen (4)

**TODAY'S TRICKS** Clues begin or end with a definition of the answer. The rest is one of these:

**Hidden word(s)** Answer hidden in clue's words  
'Some have altered meat (4)' gives VEAL

**Double definition** Both halves are definitions!  
'Search scrub (5)' gives SCOUR

**Reversal** Answer backwards, and a hint that we're reversing  
'Deity's pet returns (3)' gives GOD

**Anagram minus** Remove one letter, jumble the rest  
'Crazy Thor runs off, steaming (3)' gives HOT

## Solution no 117

