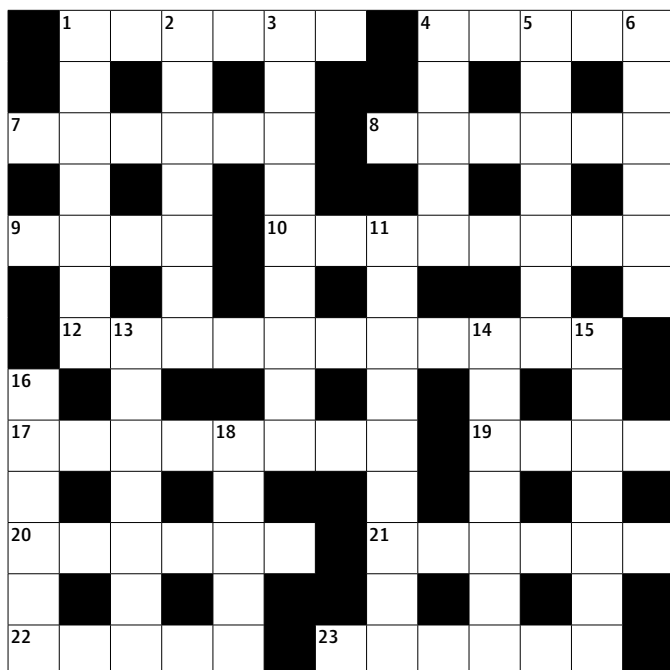


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Across

- 1 Holiday - nook (6)
- 4 Titillating (5)
- 7 Arenas (6)
- 8 £1.05 (6)
- 9 Hit with 22ac? (4)
- 10 Play __, be ruthless and uncompromising (8)
- 12 Brew filter (3,8)
- 17 Tanning chamber (8)
- 19 Ditch (4)
- 20 Indicate (6)
- 21 Gross (6)
- 22 Barb-firing weapon (5)
- 23 Clandestine (6)

Down

- 1 Knocking sound (3-1-3)
- 2 Concerto's virtuosic passage (7)
- 3 Pasta favourite (9)
- 4 Certain - gambol (5)
- 5 Aspiring (7)
- 6 Every 52 weeks (6)
- 11 Travel film, featuring Bob Hope once (4,5)

- 13 Cakes (7)
- 14 Ulna rod (anag) (7)
- 15 Castle embankment (7)
- 16 Stance (anag) (6)
- 18 Speedy competitor (5)

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