

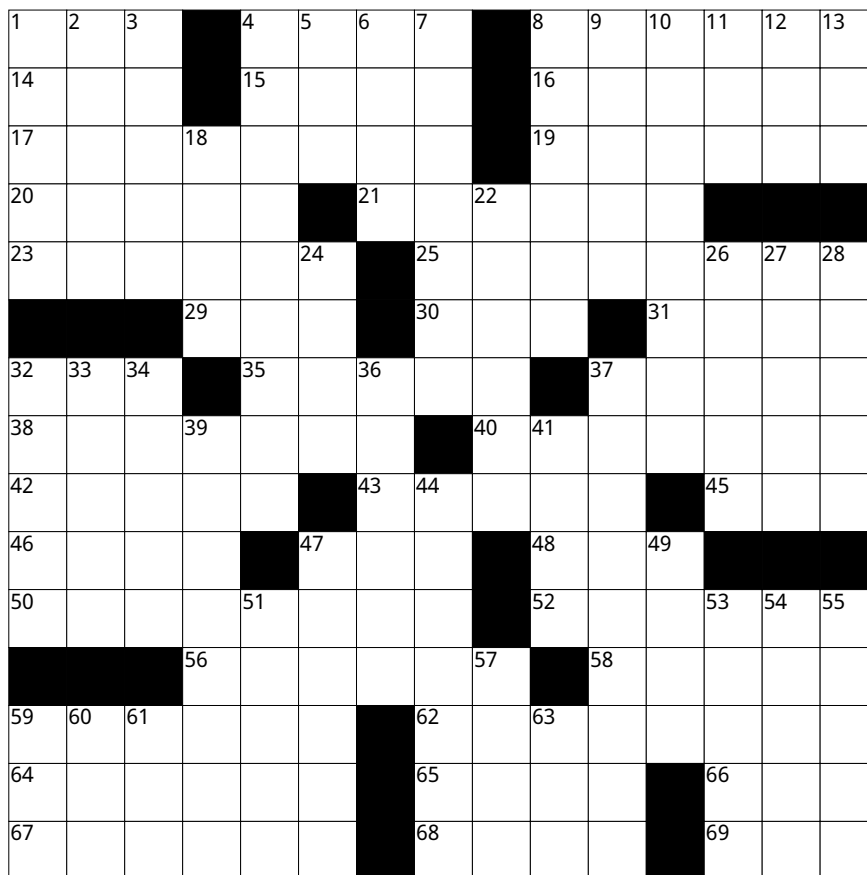
ACROSS

- 1 Maple syrup source
 4 Jill's partner in rhyme
 8 Animals with humps
 14 Edible South American tuber
 15 Flu symptom
 16 Egggy breakfast dish
 17 Urban legends and such [2020]
 19 Bikes without pedaling, say
 20 Concert venue, often
 21 Start to grow
 23 Does some detective work
 25 Not afraid of anything [2008]
 29 Hive member
 30 Online chats, briefly
 31 And others: Abbr.
 32 First three letters in a sequence that may continue with XL, XXL, and so on
 35 "Cool beans!"
 37 "That makes two of us!"
 38 With 40-Across, Swift ending hinting at 17-, 25-, 50- and 62-Across?
 40 See 38-Across
 42 Kendrick and Faris of filmdom
 43 Grain forbidden on Passover
 45 Online gamer's problem
 46 Good pals
 47 Sticky stuff

- 48 Flavor enhancing letters
 50 "You better talk to me right this instant!" [2010]
 52 Leave high and dry
 56 "Problem" singer Ariana
 58 Ship that carries fuel
 59 Never before seen
 62 From here to eternity [2020]
 64 Mario's catchphrase
 65 Huge dance party
 66 Confidentiality doc.
 67 Gave another purpose to
 68 The Legend of Zelda: A Link to the Past console, shortly
 69 Place one might battle Pokémon

DOWN

- 1 Couches
 2 Squirrel's snack
 3 Opposite of neo-
 4 Symbols on some spicy menu items, maybe
 5 "A long time ___ in a galaxy far, far away ..."
 6 Junkyard dogs
 7 Stay in good shape
 8 Hot winter drinks
 9 French love affair
 10 Like a Beyond or Impossible burger
 11 Chicago trains
 12 "___ me explain!"



- 13 Ave. crossers
 18 Turned door part
 22 Take away
 24 Fortuneteller
 26 Online business, cutely
 27 Girl Scout cookie with coconut
 28 Support for an injured arm
 32 Injures with a knife
 33 "Don't be such a baby!"
 34 Paul of "Hollywood Squares"
 36 The AS of ASAP
 37 Places to buy supplies for painting
 39 Layered pasta dishes
 41 Some sturdy trees

- 44 Fine substances
 47 Chewed, like a beaver
 49 Like the Reaper
 51 Krispy ___
 53 "Moving right ___ ..."
 54 Like many D&D players
 55 Nightmare, e.g.
 57 "Dear ___ Hansen" (Broadway production)
 59 Put on the television
 60 4G ___
 61 Baton Rouge school that's home of the Tigers: Abbr.
 63 12/24 or 12/31, e.g.