

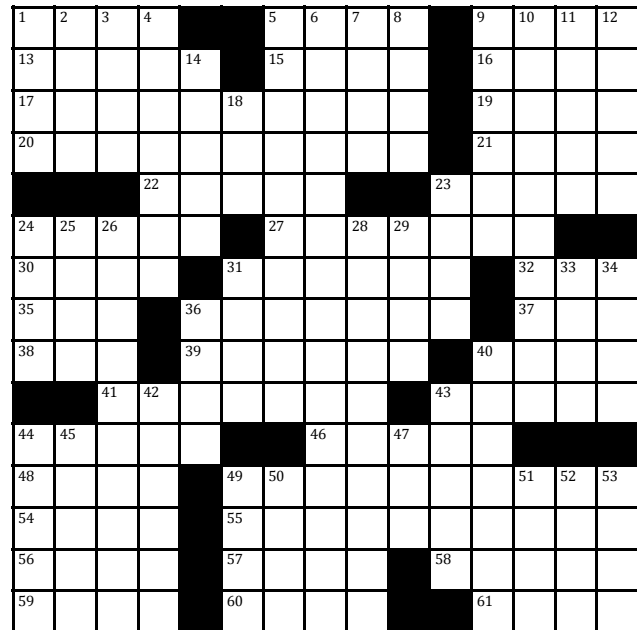
Puzzle 377 – Freestyle 337

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Across

- 1 Really put off
 5 Being occupied by
 9 Klutz
 13 Knowing what's what
 15 Prepare for a wash
 16 "Coloured Circles Tied Through Inked Ribbons" artist
 17 Fad weight-loss option
 19 Mill product
 20 Skinny
 21 An imperial one is about 20% larger than an American one
 22 Draw
 23 It's August 15 in the U.K. and September 2 in the U.S.

- 24 About whom Taylor Swift purportedly wrote her hit song "Dear John"
 27 Units of currency named for the fowl depicted on it
 30 Start of a sext message
 31 Come out of the can?
 32 "So good" sloganeer
 35 Cross symbol
 36 "Please tell me you're joking"
 37 It may be traditional
 38 Drop the pop, e.g.
 39 How some LGBTQ folks live
 40 Early class
 41 Start of the first watch
 43 Full of cracks?
 44 Knowing
 46 Where to find Bachmann's bundle
 48 Mounds
 49 Like the Poor Clares
 54 Consolidation option, informally
 55 "Ahem!"
 56 Ootid, later



- 57 World capital overlooked by Mount Vaea
 58 "They're mine!"
 59 Opposite of "male"
 60 Toronto Blizzard's sports org.
 61 Bread for a tortilla

Down

- 1 Land whose name anagrams to another world capital
 2 Flip remark?
 3 Help for first-time visitors
 4 Fecund
 5 One on a mission from Washington
 6 Focus
 7 Haram : Islam :: ___ : Judaism
 8 Due cubed
 9 European capital on the Vardar
 10 Prep school wear
 11 Hartford alternative
 12 Like some tomato sauces
 14 Duck that preys on mussels
 18 Blue Hill person, for short

- 23 A nice hotel may afford one
 24 Dot
 25 Pudding ingredient
 26 "What a party pooper!"
 28 There to look pretty
 29 "Open", one might say
 31 "Would ya look at that!"
 33 Pace, say
 34 Thickly applied, as makeup
 36 Hard to catch
 40 Tiring place?
 42 Synced up
 43 Twist (off)
 44 Its seeds are used as a food thickener
 45 Option for migraines
 47 One on a card
 49 Dish akin to crema catalana
 50 Strahan's former daytime cohost
 51 ___ de Nuits (winemaking region)
 52 Midwestern city named for a Massachusetts Congressman
 53 Literary character also known as Prince Dakkar