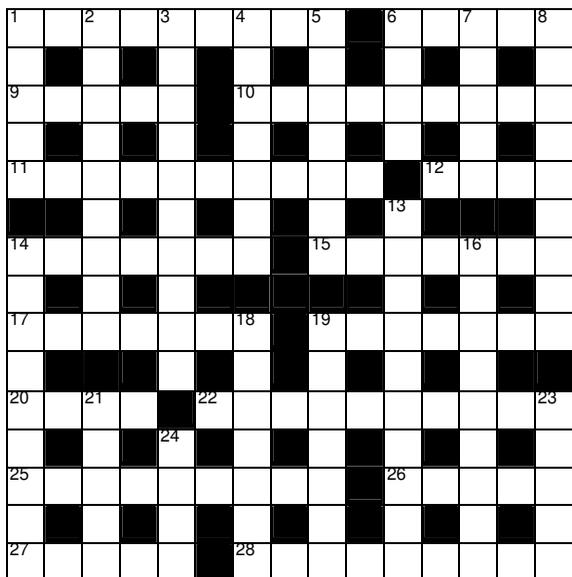


# COMPETITION CROSSWORD



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Prizes to the first two correct entries drawn.

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*Eight solutions are of a kind, hence lack definitions*

## Across

1. Fruity suggestion (6,3)
6. With a hundred views! (5)
9. "Debugged!" someone first cried (5)
10. A bar I once used is airless (9)
11. Explorer of hut left school finally (10)
12. Monarch, born a crook! (4)
14. 'Proto-Eve' is about on-line bungs (7)
15. She played, perhaps cricket? (7)
17. Danger in the salad bowl? (7)
19. Second sleeper (7)
20. Pillage an old canary (4)
22. Beautician's highlight (10)
25. The time (obviously) of responsibility (2,2,5)
26. Statesman of no small degrees (5)
27. Cheer, drug departed! (5)
28. Set mark-up to give a good cut? (4,5)

## Down

1. Central foam assists florists (5)
2. Current alien media mixed solvent (9)
3. Restrict goalie's movements? (10)
4. Nation in attempt to feature architectural delicacy (7)
5. Notoriously raucous show-off (7)
6. Israeli area (4)
7. Talk on state of Africa (5)
8. Heir (to a fortune clearly!) (9)
13. Columnar flutes no artist is creating (10)
14. Shade below edge of hat (9)
16. Belittle or a deeper act? (9)
18. Transplant surgeon, hard at work (7)
19. Grass reveals rough S and M 'play' (7)
21. Just, say (5)
23. Skill, can thousands hold it back? (5)
24. Pretty small but detailed message (4)