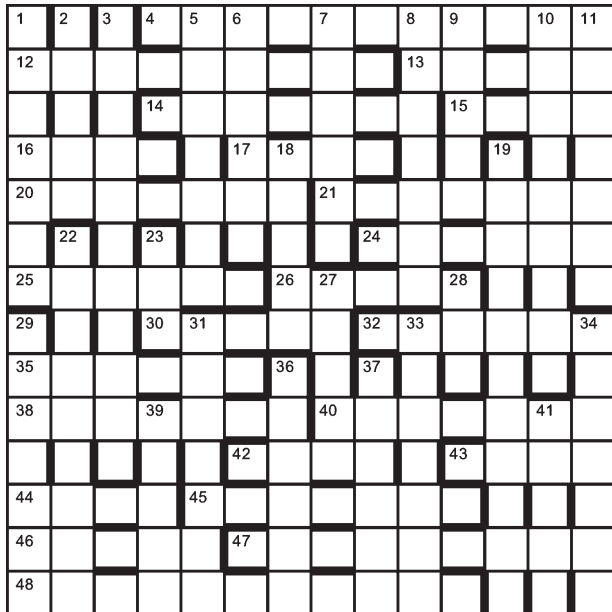


### Get-together by CheeseCracker

Twelve unclued entries can form six new words (not in the grid)

#### Across

- 4 Each Chrome browser's opening changes online site for self-validation? (4,7)
- 12 No charge for these new dancing routines (9)
- 13 Goblin at last living in tree trunk (5)
- 14 Cover turned over, novel is *Catch-22*? (7)
- 15 Observe small branch (4)
- 16 A third of Americans put on weight – belly for some (4)
- 17 Internally, customer's right (4)
- 20 Taking time, sumptuous western showed triumphant joy (7)
- 21 Carpet fabric, mainly rush, packed into cube (7)
- 25 Last line of defence – boiler fixed (6)
- 30 Live start of match involving very good sweeper? (5)
- 32 Southern docks bringing in old military spies (6)
- 35 Mixture of perfume ingredients combined to net love (6)
- 38 Boss, lazy, missing first post (7)
- 40 Maybe still wearing stockings in care home (7)
- 43 Church blocks huge declarations in Scotland (4)
- 44 See you time and time again, always at the front (2-2)
- 45 Without antennae, nothing stops flying saucer (7)
- 47 School accepting odd boorish Aussie rugby player (5-4)



- 48 Tough trooper positioned around island infested with bugs (11)

#### Down

- 1 Dippy sort of office aid? (7)
- 3 Chief good on breaking total silence linked to wrong (6,5)
- 5 One weeping about that gutted US animal (7)
- 6 Having elevated land, hardened by cold when removing top (6)
- 8 Area, but off beaten track (7)
- 10 Do away with chatty flier superior group absorbs (9)
- 11 Rarely go back to wish otherwise, finally yielding to case for defence (7)
- 18 State bore put up in No. 10 (5)
- 19 Injurious nasty DJ peculiar about single (11)
- 22 Tobacco plant aril oddly contains mostly fluid (9)
- 27 D-Day target of May has finally gone (5)
- 29 Young lady indulged over blunder (7)
- 31 Objective means upright (7)

- 34 Judge provided very loud reprimands (4,3)
- 36 Exclusive bunch accepts Lothario but not her (6)
- 37 Happy over solver being welcomed by Jeeves after vacation (6)

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