



CELEBRATE!



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Across

- 1 Buddies
- 5 One who makes a swap
- 11 Used a chair
- 14 Actor Morales of "NYPD Blue"
- 15 Start collecting Social Security
- 16 Deuce
- 17 Time period
Elmore celebrates this weekend
- 19 Bambi's aunt
- 20 Cry from Homer Simpson
- 21 Game with Skip and Reverse cards
- 22 Colored part of the eye
- 23 Volunteers serving Elmore for 17-Across
- 27 Decay
- 28 Gibson or Brooks
- 29 Ending for psych
- 30 Hammer, for example
- 32 Band named for a state of bliss
- 36 Mount ____ (Italian volcano)
- 37 Base runner's achievement
- 38 Simple ski lift
- 42 Church topper
- 44 Make, as a salary
- 45 Burgers on the hoof
- 48 Lake Elmore winter covering
- 50 Logos, for example: Abbreviation
- 51 Couple celebrating 17-Across at the 60-Across
- 56 Airport postings, for short
- 57 "Patience ____ virtue"
- 58 "____ the season to be jolly..."
- 59 @ symbols

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- 60 51-Across's go-to emporium for 17-Across
 - 65 Foot part
 - 66 Andes animals
 - 67 Yellow or chocolate pets
 - 68 Cries from Rocky
 - 69 Sign on a restroom
 - 70 "The Odyssey" or "The Lord of the Rings"
- Down**
- 1 Special dog or cat
 - 2 What's left in the wood stove when winter's over
 - 3 ____ thick (exaggerated)
 - 4 Dear ____ Madam
 - 5 Take a stab at
 - 6 Actor Fernando ____ of "The French Connection"
 - 7 Wolfed down
 - 8 Prince William's mother
 - 9 Mistake
 - 10 Notes before mis
 - 11 Music player with two speakers
 - 12 Shade provider that's often striped
 - 13 Warm and cozy
 - 18 Not us
 - 22 The White Rabbit's cry in "Alice in Wonderland"
 - 23 Twelve inches
 - 24 Thick
 - 25 Cream of the crop
 - 26 Truck scale unit
 - 27 Twelve is one that goes through Elmore: Abbreviation
 - 31 Beams used in some surgery
 - 33 Opposite of Dem
 - 34 Legal, as a driver's license
 - 35 Smart ____ (wise guy)
 - 39 Cleansing bar in the tub
 - 40 Navy's football rival
 - 41 Hospital caregivers, for short
 - 43 Three, in Italian
 - 45 In need of a shower after a workout
 - 46 Bit of body art
 - 47 Cleans the blackboard
 - 49 Attends the chicken barbecue
 - 52 Nabisco wafer
 - 53 Equally nuts, like a hatter
 - 54 Mama Judd
 - 55 Info on a book cover
 - 60 Letter with a corner
 - 61 Carly ____ Jepson
 - 62 Curvy letter
 - 63 Baseball stat
 - 64 Computer key in the upper left corner