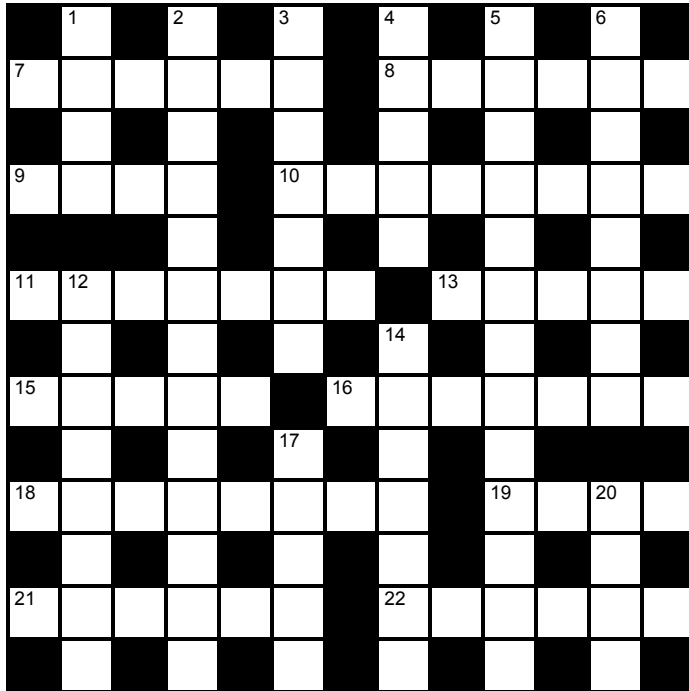


Crossword by Chalicea

Q, X, Y and Z are missing from this easy crossword!



Across

- 7 A man who has sex with and is supported by a woman (6)
- 8 An informal term for a youth or man (6)
- 9 This month in short (4)
- 10 Pontianac, a substitute for gutta-percha (8)
- 11 A piece of soft absorbent paper used as a disposable handkerchief (7)
- 13 The conventions that embody the fundamental values of a group (5)
- 15 A constellation on the equator to the east of Taurus; contains Betelgeuse and Rigel (5)
- 16 Fundamental principles or practices (7)
- 18 Rock that is collapsing or unstable (3-5)
- 19 The piece of land on which something is located (4)
- 21 Ill once (6)

Down

- 1 Scots iron (4)
- 2 A tray for passing a decanter round the table (6-7)
- 3 Starched with rice or millet gruel (7)
- 4 Pulse (5)
- 5 Unmoved by feeling (13)
- 6 A dissident in France (8)
- 12 Strips of bacon used as trimmings (8)
- 14 Trondheim's river (7)
- 17 Everything that exists anywhere (5)
- 20 A journey or route all the way around a particular place or area (4)

22 A heavy creamy-coloured paper
resembling parchment (6)