

Here's The Dirt

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Across

- 1. Bat's home
- 5. Agreements
- 10. Passe do
- 14. Kind of column
- 15. Air freshener option
- 16. Indian bread
- 17. Darn, as socks
- 18. "Gladiator" setting
- 19. Opening time, maybe
- 20. Discover something new
- 23. Trick taker, often
- 24. "Absolutely!"
- 25. Chorus members
- 27. Engine supercharger
- 29. Seagoing (abbr.)
- 32. Large deer
- 33. Realizes
- 36. Catch a glimpse of
- 37. Unpretentious

- 40. Barn topper
- 41. Star in Scorpius
- 42. Setting for TV's "Newhart"
- 43. Civil War side, with "the"
- 44. Group of more than one species (Biol.)
- 48. Building block
- 50. Schuss, e.g.
- 52. Chemical ending
- 53. Abyss
- 58. Eye
- 59. Grill
- 60. Light bulb unit
- 61. Swerve
- 62. Little rascal
- 63. On the safe side, at sea

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- 64. Annexes
 - 65. Wuss
 - 66. All alternative
- Down**
- 1. Battle
 - 2. Short synopsis
 - 3. Plywood layer
 - 4. Icelandic epic
 - 5. 747, e.g.
 - 6. Buenos ____
 - 7. Ball of yarn or cord
 - 8. Bite
 - 9. Reminder of an injury
 - 10. Cancel
 - 11. Dimmest
 - 12. William Hearst's middle name

- 13. I
- 21. Former capital of Japan
- 22. Cereal grain
- 26. Blue hue
- 28. Commanded
- 29. ____-gritty
- 30. Dwarf buffalo
- 31. ____-friendly
- 34. Twitter war, briefly
- 35. "____ and the King of Siam"
- 36. Celts language
- 37. Bound
- 38. Exalted
- 39. Auspices
- 40. By way of

- 43. Obtain
- 45. Member of a Himalayan nation
- 46. Married
- 47. Couch
- 49. Afrikaners
- 50. Diets
- 51. Malevolent Scottish water spirit
- 54. Cookbook abbr.
- 55. Boat in "Jaws"
- 56. Groan
- 57. Belt
- 58. Egg cells