

Let's Pretend

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Across

- 1. Pirate's potent potable
- 4. Scale
- 9. Artful move
- 14. "Wheel of Fortune" buy, perhaps
- 15. Hair-raising
- 16. Kindle purchase
- 17. Bride's title
- 18. Pretend
- 20. Arouse
- 22. Pay attention to
- 23. Rejecter
- 26. Hamburger servings
- 31. Involve
- 33. Mossy ocean growth
- 34. Alt. spelling
- 36. Eye sores
- 38. Capable
- 39. Big cheese in the Low Country?

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- 41. Socks away
- 43. Abound
- 44. Vein contents
- 45. Biblical pariah
- 47. Genetic code carrier
- 48. Like a teen idol?
- 51. Like the Zagats, to restaurateurs
- 53. Those trying to make the grade?
- 55. Atoll features
- 58. Defense acronym
- 60. Undo, in a way
- 61. Pretend
- 67. Alias, initially
- 68. A real no-no
- 69. Kosher
- 70. Gymnast's goal

- 71. French romance
 - 72. Tomato blight
 - 73. Guinness suffix
- Down**
- 1. Stairs alternatives
 - 2. Tear open, as seams
 - 3. Pretends
 - 4. Firmly attaches
 - 5. Ewe milieu
 - 6. Aggravate
 - 7. Appearance
 - 8. Jazz genre
 - 9. Takeout order?
 - 10. It's a cinch in the East
 - 11. She's a deer
 - 12. Statehouse VIP

- 13. Barely get by, with "out"
- 19. Anagram of 24D
- 21. Caterer's vessel
- 24. Anagram of 19D
- 25. Saudi Arabian coin
- 27. Drawn tight
- 28. Pretend
- 29. "All gone!"
- 30. Leaf opening
- 32. Part of a poker machine
- 34. South African expanse
- 35. Dig, so to speak
- 37. Calyx part
- 40. Ham or lamb
- 42. Biological bristle

- 46. Event for scullers
- 49. Guide
- 50. "Awright!"
- 52. Howard of "Happy Days"
- 54. Commemorative marker
- 56. Re-heats, slangily
- 57. Bias
- 59. Kind of column
- 61. School grp.
- 62. Hasty escape
- 63. Blood-typing system
- 64. One of us?
- 65. Ripen, in a way
- 66. Tire support