

New Year's Day Doings

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Across

- 1. African chieftain (var.)
- 6. Appropriate
- 9. Chocolate substitute
- 14. Slang for "I'll have that"
- 15. Grassland
- 16. Bouquet
- 17. Caribbean cruise stop
- 18. Globe
- 19. Discomfit
- 20. New Year pledges
- 23. "I" problem
- 24. Tipsy
- 25. Unharness (animal husbandry)
- 27. Suited
- 32. One of Columbus' three
- 33. Tokyo, formerly
- 34. Aden's land
- 36. Papal court
- 39. "It's the cat's ____"

- 41. Reduces to bits
- 43. Cutting remark
- 44. Chipped in
- 46. Poi base
- 48. Conk out
- 49. Shuttlecock
- 51. Highest
- 53. Catherine the Great, e.g.
- 56. ____-tac-toe
- 57. Moray, e.g.
- 58. New Year's Day dinner
- 64. Comics sound
- 66. "____ to Billie Joe"
- 67. Madcap comedy
- 68. Deed
- 69. Final (abbr.)

- 70. Record holder?
- 71. Hoarder
- 72. Notes between dos & mis
- 73. Birds homes

Down

- 1. Biology lab supply
- 2. Bog
- 3. Flightless flock
- 4. Blood abnormality
- 5. No pretense
- 6. "Thanks ____!"
- 7. Spirit in Persian folklore
- 8. No-no
- 9. Vitriolic
- 10. Dadaism founder

- 11. Traditional New Year's Day event
- 12. Alpha's opposite
- 13. Majorette twirler
- 21. Absolute
- 22. Mother Teresa, for one
- 26. Give the cold shoulder
- 27. Church sanctuary
- 28. Eve's garden
- 29. Sports fan's New Year's Day fare
- 30. Give off, as light
- 31. Stick-on
- 35. Roman arsonist?
- 37. Human F-stop
- 38. "Not on ____!" ("No way!")

- 40. Dam
- 42. Gently
- 45. Tramp
- 47. Tighten up
- 50. Genetic transmitter
- 52. Mountain climbing tool
- 53. Exams
- 54. Brown shade
- 55. French romance
- 59. Doing nothing
- 60. "Why not?"
- 61. Parentheses, e.g.
- 62. Sean Connery, for one
- 63. Addition column
- 65. A pint, maybe

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