## September 22, 2024 Crossword

## Across

- 1. Singer of the 2002 #2 hit "Beautiful"
- 9. Body-shaping brand
- **14.** One patting you on the back
- 15. Girdle relative
- 16. Mayflower passenger
- **17.** "Does anyone else see this?"
- **18.** Shrovetide concluder: abbr.
- 19. He's not invited
- 21. Smidgen
- **23.** Cashew family member
- 24. Baseball's Vizquel
- **25.** Roger's "77 Sunset Strip" co-star
- 27. Reverse of a knit
- 28. Zola's femme fatale
- **29.** "The Manchurian Candidate" author Richard
- **31.** Writer who created Shrek
- 33. Le Guin and Andress
- 35. Court attorneys, e.g.
- 39. Film snippets
- 41. Dry white wines
- **42.** Ronnie of the Pro Football Hall of Fame
- **45.** Way to slim down, for short
- 47. Real pleasure
- 48. Calvary initials
- 49. Sack sound
- **51.** "No extraordinary measures" designation
- **52.** Book gathering, e.g.
- **55.** "More than I need to know!"
- **57.** It includes YA books, informally

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- **58.** Absolutely fabulous
- **60.** "Communist Manifesto" co-author
- **61.** Famous billionaire
- **62.** Angel portrayer Della
- **63.** Fails to make payments

## Down

- 1. No. at a brokerage
- **2.** Try to make (the team)
- **3.** Abandons, as a bad habit
- 4. Metric lead-in
- 5. Pine
- 6. Walt Disney's father
- 7. Recharge
- **8.** 19th-century humorist Ward
- **9.** Sammy of the MLB

- **10.** Penal system employee
- 11. Breathing problem
- **12.** \_\_ lion (beast slain by Hercules)
- 13. Nissan model
- 15. Vultures, at times
- **20.** Tourist buy in Mexico
- 22. Schedule A items
- **25.** Quito's country, to the IOC
- **26.** Gal with a gun
- **30.** Finish carpentry tools
- **32.** " Plenty o' Nuttin'"
- **34.** Title holder
- **36.** Momentous
- **37.** Like peanut gallery seats
- **38.** JFK arrival of old

- **40.** Like leopards and dominoes
- **42.** Boot finish?
- **43.** One way to shop
- **44.** Slog
- **46.** Baltimore player
- **50.** Words before story or debate
- **53.** Bannister's length
- **54.** Carano of "The Mandalorian"
- **56.** Rubs the wrong way
- **59.** \_\_ oil (ingredient in some health care products)