

Labor Day

The answer to this meta is something I hope you will say about it.

Across

- 1. Savanna stalker
- 5. Soul supplier
- 8. Toto's second album
- 13. "___ done it differently"
- 14. Rear
- 15. Tanner
- 16. Old English Christmas dish
- 17. Empire that used a 35A
- 18. Sierra ___ (West African nation)
- 19. Happen upon
- 21. Struggle for air
- 22. Wholesale club chain
- 25. Nothing volatile here?
- 28. Overtake in a race
- 31. Gift on the fourth day
- 33. Well-funded nation (abbr.)
- 34. This
- 35. Calculator used by the 17A (looks like a college for comedians)
- 36. Fleischer and Kate's killer on NCIS
- 37. This backwards
- 38. Near-impossible
- 41. "Ein, zwei, ___"
- 44. One of the Inner Hebrides
- 45. Home of the 71A
- 49. El toro
- 50. Pentagon initials
- 51. Foals' mothers
- 52. Agatha Christie's "The ___ Murders" (not one of her best)
- 53. Woman's name meaning "a bee" in Greek
- 56. "Wizard of Oz" studio
- 57. Preside at a trial
- 59. "___ Kleine Nachtmusik"
- 61. Picayune
- 63. Feature of Orion
- 65. Overaws
- 69. Rome, e.g.
- 70. "I filled this grid by hand!", e.g.
- 71. NBA team from 45A
- 72. Pumps and Pumas

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- 73. Track tenaciously
- 74. 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, ...

Down

- 1. "Ad" add-on
- 2. Courtroom vow
- 3. Caesar's breakfast?
- 4. Kind of gun
- 5. Ish
- 6. "Monsters, ___" (Disney film)
- 7. Matt's 20D
- 8. Hippy dances
- 9. Fashion's Saint Laurent
- 10. COVID transmitter
- 11. Bolted
- 12. Reply to Blackbeard
- 14. Smack
- 20. "Time" piece
- 21. "Do ___ see God?" (palindrome)
- 22. Common Labor Day party, for short
- 23. ___ Jitsu
- 24. "Lanka" lead-in
- 26. It's south of Rwanda
- 27. Ali who retired undefeated
- 29. Put the food away
- 30. Skillet spray
- 32. The third degree, in England
- 34. Ending for klepto- or pyro-
- 36. Keep ___ head (stay calm)
- 39. Uber user, maybe
- 40. Jordanian capital once known as Philadelphia
- 41. AKA in the WSJ
- 42. Spice mix for a 22D
- 43. Former leader of the Sinaloa Cartel
- 46. Furnish with firepower
- 47. Cabana boy admirer
- 48. "Catholic" conclusion

- 53. They don't pass down their mitochondrial genes
- 54. Baseball bigwig Bud
- 55. Web locus
- 58. "Cosmo" competitor
- 60. Nymph rejected by Narcissus
- 61. Scandinavian airline
- 62. Speedometer reading (abbr.)
- 63. Rotten, as an egg
- 64. Chess rating system
- 66. "Gribble" was added to it in March
- 67. Chewing gum unit
- 68. Waze ways (abbr.)