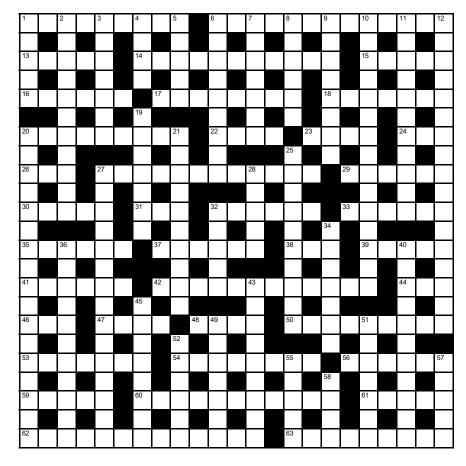
Crossword #45 By Skirwingle

Across

- 1 The king briefly adopts Royal Institution's trademark lecture series for kids (9)
- **6/52** Carol, 13, involved with Mike Baldwin (2,3,5,3-6)
- 13 Cry about feasible particle (5)
- **14** Bird found in convoluted clue to 'wrens' (5,6)
- **15** What may run behind terrace? A line (*sort* of line) (5)
- **16** When retiring, strip off: you'll soon be this (6)
- 17 Loyal supporter beginning to embrace a liberal wife (8)
- **18** Noted Italian who's somewhat cross, initially (7)
- **20** See 22
- **22/23/20** Someone looking out after number 1, across fresh snow: ace sledging, OK? (4,4,9)
- **24** Infusion pour les anglais? (3)
- 26 Avail oneself of American drug (3)
- 27 Independent setter put London theatre in Los Angeles city! (12)
- 29 Attitude of good man: a pleasant one excluded (6)
- 30 To frighten does, perhaps, take time (5)
- 31 Piece of sports kit (3)
- **32/20D** Perhaps Peter Sellers' casting aspiration upon reading *Being There* script little hope of that (6,5,2,1,4,5)
- 33 I'm upset by small, prompt error in pool (6)
- 35 Mashed-up mark (2,4)
- 37 Sociopolitical justice movement recalled Bush's address to Blair about bra size (6)
- 38 Silver ring's gone (3)
- **39** Broadcast exhortation to purchase site in the Emirates (5)
- **41** Trump acquires a new drawing by supporter (3,3)
- **42** Ulterior motive demonstrated by Volkswagen/Daimler? (6,6)
- **44** The greatest painter from Spain, topped (3)
- **46** What's seen at end of calculation & after deductions (3)
- 47 Work last of Brent crude, say (4)
- **48** Arab head of European space station (4)
- **50** Something affecting mood and memory of aggrieved non-Tories (9)
- **53** Mate with Lady Grey perhaps at dance where light meals are available (7)
- **54** Entrenches in elderly relatives one must be embraced (8)
- **56/55** Carol is upset fast thing's broken (6,5)
- 59 One responsible for Railway Children returning without time for playwright (5)



- **60** Labourer whose position is deeply entrenched (5,6)
- 61 Slate rubbish car firm (5)
- **62** Merchandise a Martian made stranger one with charitable intent (4,9)
- 63 I'd tucked into extra pie, and cor stuffing! (9)

Down

- 1 Firm undergarment for emergency committee (5)
- 2 Lend present out? Brilliant (11)
- 3 Genuine blend of after and before (7)
- 4 Small plants working way over ship (4)
- 5 Nothing in piece of data describes weaselly type (5)
- 6 Who propounds an ism? I do, embracing eastern record and universal energy (9)
- 7 African bird shredded our coat (7)
- 8 That chap turned up clutching round, illuminated tool from ages past (6)
- 9 Mental willpower, less whisky: when you're upset, just stick it out (5,3)
- 10 Edit Oasis, a paginated novel (1,7,2,5)
- 11 Until the questionable open mic, it's not simply black and white (11)
- 12 i.e. movies, DIY, talent/makeover shows for the housebound (7,10)
- **19** Figure otherwise concealing impertinence (7)
- 20 See 32 Across

- 21 Racehorse from South Africa swallowed drug and squashed fly, perhaps (10)
- **25** Releases record, then runs fast to get first of Grammys (10)
- 27 Fried pig's crotch's rank snack (4,11)
- **28** Sickly-looking vegetable on sterile jelly (5)
- 32 Love lost in board game when given hints (5)
- 34 Perhaps they enrol in woodworking courses? (7)
- **36** Instruction for one sent to jail: stop gonads shaking, love (2,3,4,2)
- **40** Ponder this: first of bloody showers and Easter is ruined! (5-6)
- **43** Telling people to accept a clergyman (9)
- **45** Post-beatnik lifestyle of some chippy dominatrixes (8)
- 49 Picture warning from one wary of coffee-scald litigation? (7)
- 51 Perverted townies attend occasionally (7)
- 52 See 6 Across
- 55 See 56 Across
- 57 You can rely on him to answer director with 'Yes!' (5)
- 58 Soldiers with coordinates for antelope(4)