## MIYE November 2023 Cryptic

## Across

1 Bulrushes (GM modified) located on the Esk (11)
7 Annoy an insect (3)
9 To especially annoy someone, exaggerate tips you give (5)
10 Toil meets trouble in the preparation for a green Christmas (9)
11 Scottish small company ran without a team leader at its centre but produces a type of maize (9)
12 Daisy, a cow, makes an agreeable aound (5)

13 Collects for a church service on Easter Sunday (7)
15 Saw a top player? (4)
18 Large boat flies (4)
20 Well-bred man retrieves shelter (7)

23 House abroad? Not a right finale to life! (5)

24 Closed the presentation of the present $(7,2)$
26 Young bird flew away to the heather around the end of spring (9)

27 Former art composition used in a crowd scene (5)

28 Vote for the end of royalty-free songs (3)
29 Was used for training, now for pedestrian pleasure $(7,4)$

## Down

1 Emu wasn't reincarnated as another bird $(4,4)$
2 Uncooked fish found near Torness (8)


3 Happening the day before the end of Lent (5)

4 Bambinos drop in, gather in a circle, and grow very fast (7)
5 Feels bitter about again being posted south (7)
6 Let drug into hen do at the end of October (9)

7 A more than good gambler (6)
8 Birds with tails of long, near blue, drab plumage feathers (6)
14 Refuse consumer with grievances about not having one (9)
16 Feud to end after victory by terror group - about time! (8)

17 Make a fuss over a sailor's biscuit (8)
19 Following the Koran, it sounds like you and

I have to wait for an Arab (7)
20 From the village of Douglas go way up north to the city (7)
21 But it has to, to get airborne! (6)
22 Brought up in the Emerald Isle, romance mushrooms (6)

25 Pity about Easter holiness (5)

