Puzzle 240 – Freestyle 205

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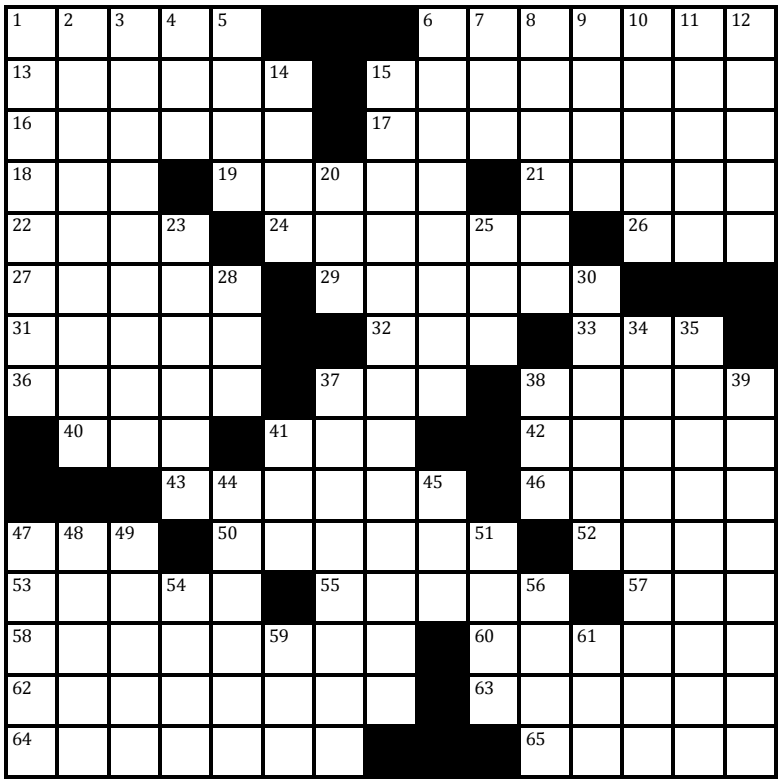

Across

1 "M'accordez-vous ____ danse?" (request at a French ballroom)

6 Ray with a serrated nose

13 "Dang it!"

15 "I have no other help"

16 Clap for, e.g.

17 "All I Do Is Win" hitmaker, 2010

18 Onetime parent company of The Hartford

19 "I'm so excited!"

21 Source of a drip

22 Word used to avoid a repetition

24 Focuses more closely on something

26 Word from the Old English for "sooner"

27 High-level high-school English course, informally

29 Noted travel writer/pot legalization advocate Rick

31 ____-Atlantique (department whose largest city is Nantes)

32 Part of a ring

33 Canton landmark: Abbr.

36 Company with inspectors that will likely check out your attic

37 "This is awful!"

38 Living partner, in slang

40 German mint?

41 A hallux is a big one

42 Extremely well-reviewed, in show-biz slang

43 Couscous is full of it

46 Gave direction?

47 "Hey! Over here!"

50 Big dairy company that produces the Lactaid and Helluva Good brands

52 Apt to go through things, say

53 Marsupials have two of them

55 Don't leave entirely untouched

57 Singer of the 2011 Tony Awards opening number "Not Just For Gays Anymore!", to fans

58 Henry Kissinger negotiated the 1973 Vietnam/US peace accords with him

60 Setting for the movie that the two main characters are really stoked to see, in the SNL short "Lazy Sunday"

62 Bit of joking one-upmanship

63 Chilean-born reality TV star

64 Respected figures in some anime

65 Place for a hard drive

Down

1 Something that looks like nothing?

2 Pics of breathtaking scenery, unusual geological formations, etc.

3 "Now THERE'S an appealing option!"

4 "Eesh, I'll have a hard time forgetting that anytime soon..."

5 "I got this, no problem"

6 Certain crèche figurine

7 Need, with "for"

8 Hula gal

9 Rapper who once starred in a sitcom called "Under One Roof", informally

10 "Holy cow!"

11 Aspersion

12 One often forming a boundary

14 Spring-____ cycle (marine phenomenon)

15 Figurative response to an accusation of racism

20 Is related to

23 Half of a 2007 billion-dollar media merger

25 It's often creeping up

28 ____ Chances ("The Price Is Right" pricing game)

30 One who can't lose

34 "OK, that's just ridiculous"

35 Bit of quarterback trickery famously used by Dan Marino in a 1994 game-winning drive

37 Not seriously

38 Country that lasted four years: Abbr.

39 Hypertrichosis is an excessive amount of it

41 Kind of root

44 TV actor who composed the original theme tune for "Wheel of Fortune"

45 Like a fox

47 Many Ed Wood books

48 Unit of wood

49 It doesn't have a hatch

51 Safe spaces, say

54 Most plays in triple-option offenses

56 Wall of text, maybe

59 It means the same as "di-"

61 A large one is locally called a "boomer", informally