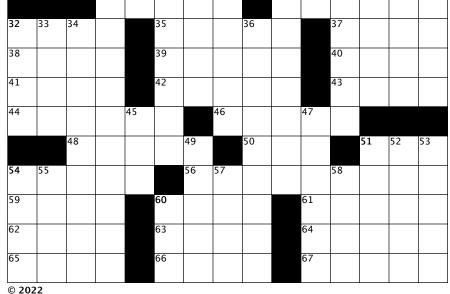
Place Your Bets

ACROSS

- 1. Babies' parents
- 6. ____ Liu of "Shang-Chi and the Legend of the Ten Rings"
- 10. Audit firm employees, for short
- 14. "It's ____ against time!"
- 15. Big outback birds
- 16. "Passing" actress Negga
- 17. Razzle dazzle without depth
- 18. Simplicity
- 19. Great Lake that borders Buffalo
- 20. –
- 22. Markups in red pen
- 23. Poetic word hidden in "Edward de Vere"
- 24. Medical group inits.
- **25.** "The rain in _____ stays mainly in the plain"
- 27. Big brand for outdoor grills
- 29. -
- **32.** Type of system for audiophiles
- 35. ____ tower
- 37. Get beseiged on all sides
- 38. Cryptanalyst Turing
- 39. "Myra Breckinridge" novelist Gore
- **40.** "I need ____!" (post Thanksgiving dinner line)
- 41. Force of will42. Supreme Court justice Kagan
- **43.** Silent bit in music
- 44. –
- 46. Group of eight
- **48.** Treasure or puzzle quests
- 50. ____ and haw
- **51.** Grow more complex with time
- 54. Shell out
- **56.** Sportsbook wager choice ... which three answers in this puzzle make

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59. Roaring MGM icon

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- **60.** Join using Bluetooth
- 61. Response to a toohigh guess
- 62. About, on a memo 63. Adoption org. for
- feline friends 64. Clear all data from
- 65. "Bye for now!" in a text
- 66. Assents at sea
- 67. "___: Die Hard is a Christmas movie / Wired: Home Alone is a Die Hard movie"

DOWN

- 1. En _
- 2. Virtuoso pianist Rubinstein
- 3. "Could be ... "
- 4. Cruciform knee supporters
- 5. Scream inside your heart, say

- 6. Principle embodied by a monkey covering its eyes
- 7. Apple on a desk?
- 8. Thinks aloud
- 9. Wear and tear
- **10.** It might get charged on a tablet
- **11.** Nutrition-focused pet food label
- **12.** Doing the thing
- 13. "___ got Bette Davis eyes"
- 21. One who deftly switches between alone and social time
- 22. "Dig in!"
- 26. The PL in BNPL financing
- 27. Aircraft testing locale
- **28.** "This ain't my first
- **30.** Nashville-based awards show, familiarly

- **31.** Retained
- 32. American soccer legend Mia
- 33. Pelvic bones
- 34. Tommy Westphall Universe, e.g.
- **36.** Songs in a Mariachi performance
- 45. Finish line
- **47.** Apotropaic magical object
- **49.** Like a bubble bath
- **51.** Election battle that can play out on TV
- 52. Honking big birds?
- 53. Made mistakes
- 54. Long cut in an evening gown
- **55.** Drink clinked at a pub
- 57. Movie where Amy Adams played Lynne Cheney
- 58. Ónigiri wrap
- 60. "It Gets Better" spot, for short

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