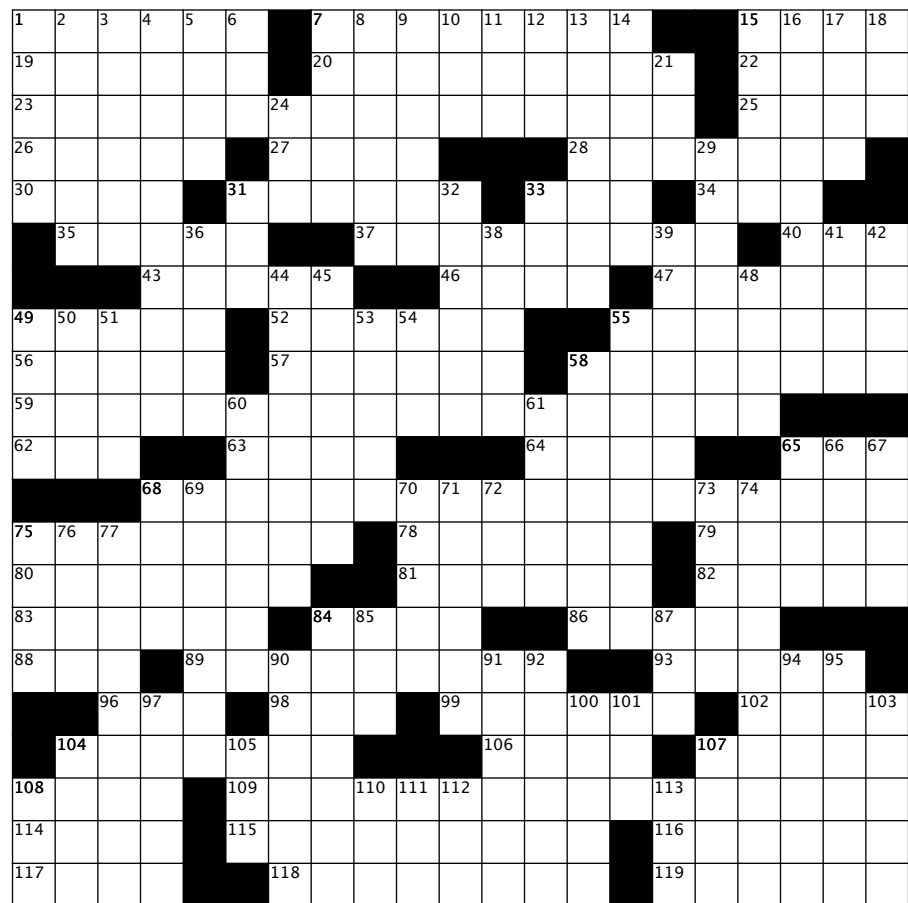


Character Flaws

Nick McGuire

ACROSS

1. Bread, milk, or eggs, e.g.
7. Hakeem Olajuwon, e.g.
15. Kept the dance floor busy, briefly
19. Cedar affliction
20. The United States, in a familiar pledge
22. Former Bush strategist Karl
23. Othello's nemesis can't make up his mind?
25. Once more
26. Petite pancake
27. In the posterior
28. Former Afghan rulers
30. New England Ivy
31. Wiggly creature
33. No longer fashionable
34. Pipe down!
35. Kevin who played Hercules
37. Tail end of some Tundras?
40. Drill sergeant's "___, two, three, four..."
43. Words before "the bud"
46. Bolt like Bolt
47. Having a stronger wood-sap taste, as wine
49. Tactical unit or friend group
52. One in pain
55. 17th-century Spanish painter of religious scenes
56. Repeated phrase in Ecclesiastes
57. Mate from Melbourne
58. Plotted a conspiracy
59. A breakfast date with Claudius's nephew?
62. Aerosol sound
63. Org. that fights music piracy
64. "By the powers vested ___..."
65. "Chandelier" singer, 2014
68. Prince Hal's companion arrives on September 22nd?
75. Some brandy fruits
78. Radioactive isotope
79. Sacred city of Tibet
80. Old men
81. Nutritious breakfast cereal
82. Shady area formed by branches
83. "The Epic of American Civilization" muralist
84. Category of instrument
86. Consumer electronics giant
88. Neighbor of Switz.
89. Crossing a line, in a way
93. World Cup champs in 2015 and 2019, briefly
96. 540, in Roman numerals
98. Dungeons & Dragons, for one, in brief
99. Poet who performed at the inauguration of 36-Down
102. Organize
104. Refuge for David, in the Bible
106. Something taken on a plane
107. Cats in Cadiz
108. Debating two options, say
109. Olivia's suitor draws a charge in a pickup game?



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114. Its front part is the iris
115. Where a lead on a local news story may land
116. "It's ___ tell a lie"
117. Series of lecture events focusing on local communities
118. Boardwalk locales
119. It returns a result from 0 to 14

DOWN

1. Menu warning word
2. Headdresses
3. Muhammad Ali cornerman Dundee
4. "William Jefferson Clinton," e.g.
5. It might be pierced
6. H, on a sorority house
7. Finland's largest company
8. Caught, like a butterfly or a fish
9. Masculine, for example
10. Epilogue's place
11. Heroes of the Battle of Britain, for short
12. Judge who presided over 1995's most celebrated trial
13. Trachea or snorkel
14. Scribble in the margins
15. Blah shades
16. Comedian with two Best Supporting Actor nominations
17. Not odd at all
18. Leaf drops
21. Org. with Sharks and Penguins
24. "Weekend Update" co-anchor beginning in 2014
29. Co-writer and star of HBO's "Insecure"
31. Piece of dunked bread
32. Tempt, as customers
33. Thunder, on scoreboards
36. Man with a short commute to work
38. Was personally invested
39. Hollow center?
41. One of two rivers forming the Ubangi
42. Poke
44. Poets like Pound and Lowell
45. Candy bar fillings
48. Highland wear
49. Gives a little
50. There are four in an NFL game
51. Often-illegal turns, in slang
53. Syrian strongman
54. Org. with many code breakers
55. Musical set on a Greek island
58. Some tuna amounts
60. "See the ___ your ways"
61. Some old stereos
65. Former Volvo rival
66. "Granting that..."
67. Where pilgrims come from?
68. Bubbles
69. Like ballpark beer
70. Targeted
71. "Feel me?"
72. It's its own square root
73. Kills, as a dragon
74. Loses one's cool
75. Visibly awed
76. Nice father
77. Replenished the stock of
84. Stick on again
85. Course with vocab.
87. Sister in an order
90. 76-Down and his sibling
91. Grazed on goodies
92. Stubborn stain
94. Nary a soul
95. Rainbow and brown
97. Palindromic anxiety drug
100. Blemishes and such
101. Cash-withdrawal mach.
103. Letter-shaped opening in a machine shop
104. Hawk's foe
105. Mogadishu's land: abbr.
107. "My oh my!"
108. King known for his opulent tomb
110. It may be Roth or traditional
111. Stats, e.g.
112. ___ et amo (expression of mixed feelings)
113. Be out for a bit?