

Embrace the Wild #04

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Amazing animal-related entries (*). More JCLS crosswords: <https://tinyurl.com/jcls-crosswords>

ACROSS

- 1 Danish toy brick
- 5 E. ___ bacteria
- 9 Sultan's group of wives
- 14 Codebreaker Turing
- 15 Sound from a jubilant crowd
- 16 Justice Kagan
- 17 *Pointless pursuits (3 words)
- 20 Novelist Turgenev; ___ the Terrible
- 21 About, on a memo
- 22 "The ___ of the moral universe is long, but it bends toward justice" -Martin Luther King Jr.
- 23 *Large bird that roams freely around Ashland; brand of Kentucky bourbon whiskey (2 words)
- 26 Potatoes, in Indian cuisine
- 27 Sugar suffix
- 28 Chateau ___ Michelle (WA winery)
- 29 Part of a water quality eval.
- 31 "Get Smart" crime org. that sounds disorderly
- 33 "Me also" (3 words)
- 36 *Confusing and lacking rules, as the Western frontier; like feral, fleecy fauna (3 words)
- 41 Up and about
- 42 "Do You Sleep?" singer Lisa; sounds like an ear part
- 44 Ale maker
- 47 Pitching stat; time span
- 50 Kilmer of "Top Gun"
- 51 Writers McEwan and Fleming
- 52 *Gnu
- 56 Some drs.
- 57 ___ of one's existence
- 58 Foreign minister under Meir (first name is 49-Down)
- 59 *Natural homes to non-domestic animals (2 words)
- 64 TED Talks: "Discover ___ worth spreading"
- 65 Gaelic tongue; SEER anagram
- 66 Whispered "hey you!"
- 67 Fat (Sp.); Astronaut Cooper, informally
- 68 Some deli loaves
- 69 Command to a dog

DOWN

- 1 Murphy's ___
- 2 Wallach of "The Magnificent Seven"

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- 3 Last name of storied Pisan ball dropper (add "i" to his first name)
- 4 Like old Netflix flicks (2 words)
- 5 Modern pastry portmanteau
- 6 "I'm on vacation" email inits.; tic-tac-toe win
- 7 Eye surgery acronym
- 8 Adler who outsmarted Sherlock; "Fame" singer Cara
- 9 Bit of a giggle
- 10 Brownie ___ mode
- 11 Secondhand deal
- 12 Juarez Januaries
- 13 Grizzly for Ashland High School
- 18 Gangland guns
- 19 "___nomicon" (Neal Stephenson novel); Bitcoin, familiarly
- 23 Stir-fry pan
- 24 The "vidi" in Caesar's boast
- 25 They hold your horses
- 26 Many a Coral Sea island
- 30 Follower of boo or yoo
- 32 Cabbage salads
- 34 Pres. between HST and JFK
- 35 Dominated, in sports lingo; possessed
- 37 Beats co-founder Dr. ___
- 38 Conflict in the sky
- 39 Tryst site (2 words)
- 40 Pro votes
- 43 Sandwich akin to a club (inits.)
- 44 V.I.P.
- 45 Quick, in Quito
- 46 Eve who wrote "The Vagina Monologues"
- 48 ___ Peanut Butter Cups
- 49 "Mamma Mia" band
- 53 Word with peace or beauty
- 54 Suspicious
- 55 Wyatt and Virgil of Tombstone
- 57 Kiss, in Caracas
- 60 Papa
- 61 U-turn from NNW
- 62 Busy ___ bee
- 63 Messy room