

One solution is not in the normal references but may be easily derived from relevant entries.

May 2026 Slot 6 by Crow-boy

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Across

- 1 Put the brake on Jack getting into wine (6)
- 4 Barrage splits cannon - it's likely in a mess in India (8)
- 10 An elegant friend without sensitivity (15)
- 11 I initiated mud mixture containing neat white powder used in ceramic glazes (8,7)
- 12 Refusal heard from the horse's mouth (5)
- 13 Ways for Rex perhaps to escape unruly to-do inside means of transport (3,5)
- 15 Took a walk to sort out contrary dean (8)
- 16 Some Dublin gossip is mumbo-jumbo (5)
- 18 They provide testing matters for class containing males with endless courage (8,7)
- 20 Magistrate imprisons smart clergyman, one assisting the enactment of tragedies (7,8)
- 21 Highly decorated recruit in dire need (8)
- 22 Confidential remarks when with old date in Rome (6)

Down

- 1 Blasting kiln inside enclosure (8)
- 2 Those presenting tributes to a film restricted by taxes (15)
- 3 Adjusting after daylight saving, no hens cry out amidst emerging (15)
- 5 Went before "extinct" volcano blew up around its core (9)
- 6 Settle for Julia Gillard, for one (6,2,7)
- 7 Holding various grains, a moony fool left northwards in quiet (15)
- 8 Chaos has Cuddlepie's mother on edge (6)
- 9 Humour abandoned without you (4)
- 13 Pass just less than 5km from partner (9)
- 14 Partners upset, not cross (8)
- 17 Gypsy cheerfully revealing Cupid's love (6)
- 19 Detailed instructions for cheese (4)