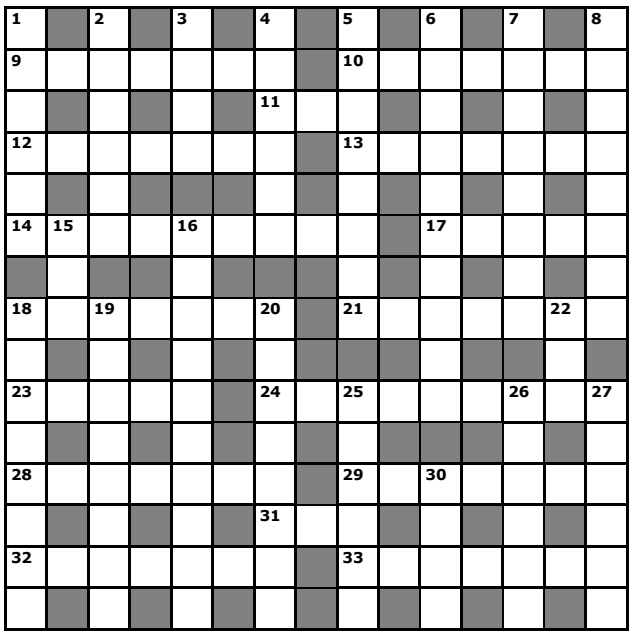
November 2026 Slot 7 by The Mythtics



Across

9 Two *Jeune* filles may provide sweet, if mechanical, music (7)

10 He left a *Brew* of horsemeat - what a genius! (7)

11 28 reaction of punters who have not backed those found here? ... (3)

12 ... or joyful cry of those who have! (7)

13 Fool wearing guard lacking headpiece - perhaps a one-piece substitute for silks? (7)

14 *Toryboy* missing track but getting mark - is hot and liable to act up? (9)

17 Duke and *Silver Knight* conceal love for Philistine god (5)

18 Makes brutes remove tails of *Marabou* and *Chester* (7)

21 Horse *Artilleryman* may use this to create confusion round the start of race (7)

23 Triple *Trivalve* ending encloses male connector head for microphone controller (5)

24 Gives *Might and Power* to reorganised Greenies' Society (9)

28 Emotional *Statesman's* second gets a stern talking to (7)

29 Southern Christian arrests uncle - *The Grafter* (7)

31 Leaderless *Kiwi* village (3)

32 Examine regularly ear pain of old *Warrior* (7)

33 Asian centre of *Wotan* mixed up in revolutionary grab (7)

Down

1 Cup's lid lost! Stolen? It happens! (6)

2 Attractive-sounding, but unlikely to be pulled by any here present? (6)

3 Perhaps feed provided by *Comedy King* at *Comic Court* - we've heard it before! (4)

4 A saying all about *Bitali's* nose pieces – hot stuff! (6)

5 Weaves singular *Gold and Black* mesh into traps (8)

6 Scarlet fish incubates its young internally. Again inspiring a success (10)

7 Outsider – strong *Protectionist* for group (8)

8 *Subzero* might be an appropriate description for this meteorological phenomenon! (4,4)

15 Device to steer *Toparoa's* rear part? *Shocking*! (3)

16 In the open, by means of style, all Melbourne Cup winners do this! (10)

18,20 Evil resting-place confused *Verry Elleegant* and *Tawrrific* perhaps (8,8)

19 Eastern Quarter of *Newhaven* is associated with church workers' entrances (8)

20 See 18

22 Old city supported by European *Banker* (3)

25 Sibyl is aesthetic, content to turn back *Without a Fight* (6)

26 Top score, short time, *Backwood* by the sounds of it (6)

27 *Efficient* translator blocks tune (6)

30 *Archer*, a violent criminal (4)