## Clown Car

## GEORGE BARANY AND FRIENDS

This politically themed puzzle comes to you from a consortium of progressively-minded friends of Rockefeller alum (1977) George Barany, who is currently on the faculty of the University of Minnesota-Twin Cities. For more about this specific puzzle, including a link to its answer, visit here. More Barany and Friends puzzles can be found here.

## **ACROSS**

- 1. Way to go
- 5. Env. stuffer, at times
- 8. Doo-wop syllable
- 11. Can. city
- 14. Cacophonous
- 16. Make tawdry
- 18. Brazilian city, familiarly
- 19. Like a GOP candidate's convoluted approach
- to the Jewish question?
- 21. Surfing site
- 22. Triangle type
- 23. "\_\_\_ B?"
- 24. Dedicatee of a piano classic
- 26. Like ears of some politicians
- 27. GOP candidate's optical illusion?
- 29. City Obama visited to receive his 2009 Nobel Peace Prize
- 32. Those, to José
- 34. Houston AFL team that became the Tennessee Titans
- 35. Fascinate
- 37. Communication system for the gorilla Koko: Abbr.
- 39. Jai \_\_
- 40. "La Fille du Regiment" role that made Pavarotti a superstar
- 41. Showy annuals
- 44. Political scandal topic, perhaps
- 45. GOP candidate's autonomous tactics?
- 48. African-American alternative to LGBT
- 51. Ties together
- 52. Supremes' wear
- 56. Pub pints
- 58. Ball girl?
- 59. Reason for a bad hare day?
- 61. "Le " (Matisse piece)
- 63. Sicilian volcano
- 64. John or Paul, but not George or Ringo
- 65. Like a GOP candidate's amateurish operation?
- 68. God, to a Rastafarian
- 70. Legend maker
- 71. California's Big \_
- 72. Leary who advocated ""turn on, tune in, drop out"
- 76. You can give it a whirl
- 77. GOP code for pro-gay, proabortion Jews
- 80. Med. care grp. in the USA
- 81. Staring at trouble
- 82. Nail-biting
- 83. José or Francisco's leader?
- 84. John Quincy, to John Adams
- 85. Masthead VIPs
- 86. Brand, in a way

## **DOWN**

- 1. Cut back
- 2. Like Carson's campaign, it seems

- 16 18 21 19 20 23 24 30, 31 33 39 36 41 42 43 45 47 50 60 62 63 68 67 69 70 72 79 80 81 82 84 85 86
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- 3. Soliloquy starter
- 4. Styling stuff
- 5. Green concern: Abbr.
- 6. Ice-loving org.
- 7. Fragrant coniferous trees
- 8. Kind of bank where you lose interest after making a deposit?
- 9. The other woman
- 10. Cherubim, at the Vatican
- 11. South African golfer nicknamed "The Big

Easy"

- 12. Requiem Mass hymn
- 13. Chain whose name derives from its original room rate
- 15. Rice-A-
- 17. "\_\_\_ Ben Adhem"
- 20. Swindler, slangily
- 25. Kinks song with the lyrics "girls will be boys
- and boys will be girls"
- 27. Vehicle that's hailed
- 28. \_\_\_ opposites
- 29. Baseball's Mel or Ed

33. Steakhouse sound

- 30. Welcome sign on B'way
- 31. Multi-PC hookup, for short
- 36. Put out

- 37. Actress Bening
- 38. Squelches
- 42. Chief \_\_\_\_-A-Homa (onetime Braves mascot)
- 43. Put into pigeonholes, maybe
- 46. Excessive
- 47. Gun show exemptions, e.g.
- 48. Rest periods
- 49. Eyesight issue
- 50. Becomes more lenient with
- 53. Introduction to chemistry?
- 54. Clairvoyance, e.g.
- 55. "\_\_\_\_ You Later, Alligator" (hit for Bill Haley and
- the Comets)
- 57. Very, to Wilhelm
- 60. Indira's son and successor
- 62. Grammy winner Morissette
- 63. The Continent
- 66. Dam site in Egypt
- 67. Dolls' dates
- 69. Latin 101 word, much loved in crosswords
- 72. NYC Theater District discount booth
- 73. Adjust, as a radio
- 74. "\_\_\_ real nowhere man"
- 75. North Sea flower
- 78. Composer of crosswords?
- 79. Carew or Stewart