## Ladies and Gentlemen ... by Tim Croce / Edited by George Barany

## **ACROSS**

- Certain offensive foul, in basketball
- 7. Poli
- 10. With 83-Across, 44-Across coach who won a national title in his first eligible year
- 15. Military wing with wings
- 16. Pinocchio, when experiencing a growth spurt?
- 17. Dress style with a flare
- 18. Home town to the 44-Across
- 21. Company that sells
  "Giant Rubber Band
  (For Tripping Road
  Runners)"
- 22. Suave and debonair
- 23. Abbr. for the list-averse
- 24. Star 44-Across player for Coach 83-Across
- 28. Corp. V.I.P.
- 29. Surface on which 51-Across excelled
- 30. "A date which will live in infamy" mo.
- 31. Perfumes, or what perfumes try to cover up
- 33. Number of combined national titles (and title game appearances) for the 44-Across basketball teams
- 38. Whistler on the range
- 39. They play at N.C.A.A. tournament games
- 40. Singlet-clad contender's spot
- 42. Assist by 24-Across, e.g.
- 43. Do some posing?
- 44. Nutmeg State team
- 46. 24-Across or Breanna Stewart in the 2014 Final Four, e.g.
- 49. Smokey Bear spots, for short
- 51. Rink legend Bobby
- 52. High flier's attire
- 54. "\_\_\_ return" (MacArthur declaration)
- 57. 44-Across coach who won his ninth national title in 2014
- 59. "Hasta la vista, baby"
- 60. Col. winter hours
- 63. \_\_\_ mode (fashionable)
- 64. "Here come those Santa \_\_\_\_ winds again ..."
  (Steely Dan lyric)
- 65. Championship celebration, perhaps
- 72. Abbr. on mariners' maps
- 73. Islamic law code

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- 74. Iron or wedge
- 75. Feat achieved by the 44-Across basketball teams in 2004 and 2014
- 80. Ceremonial volley
- 81. Luau souvenirs
- 82. Fin de \_\_\_\_ (late-19th century time)
- 83. See 10-Across
- 84. One may be tight or defensive
- 85. "That's our cue!"

## **DOWN**

- 1. Houses, in Havana
- 2. Fly in the ointment
- 3. Topic for "Wine Spectator" magazine
- 4. An exceptional individual, like former 44-Across guard Sue?
- 5. Watchdog's warning
- 6. "MMMBop" trio?
- 7. Mononymous comic who starred in "Jingle All The Way"
- 8. Hors d'oeuvre with caviar
- 9. Peace-loving
- 10. Dennings of "Thor"
- 11. Certain Nutmeg State collegian
- 12. One may bust an illegal gambling ring
- 13. Like a fetus
- 14. What the seller actually pays

- 16. Forsaken or bereft, oldstyle
- 19. Slangy "No reason"
- 20. Lincoln center?25. Musical segments
- 26. Tappan \_\_\_ Bridge (in the Empire State)
- 27. Some red deer
- 32. Court V.I.P.'s
- 33. "As yet undetermined" letters
- 34. Suffers from
- 35. Press coverage
- 36. They may be seen wading in billabongs
- 37. "Made You Look" hiphopper
- 38. They run lab sections
- 41. Canvas flooring decision, for short?
- 42. Llama land
- 44. Holbrook of "Mark Twain Tonight!"
- 45. Nest egg for the golden yrs.
- 46. Like an uncooperative witness
- 47. Pep in one's step
- 48. Org. concerned with class struggles?
- 49. Fill the bill?
- 50. Cossack or Croat
- 52. \_\_\_ monster (Arizona lizard)
- 53. One on a quest

- 54. Parent's peremptory "no reason"
- 55. Like some massages
- 56. Aptly-named herb with medicinal properties
- 58. Séance sound
- 60. He was selected in 1995 as the top player in the history of University of Minnesota Golden Gophers men's basketball
- 61. Pollen producer
- 62. Sluggish
- 66. Suffix with bear or bull
- 67. Social reformer Jacob after whom a Big Apple park is named
- 68. Retired Chinese Rocket?
- 69. Title role for Mia Farrow in a 1990 Woody Allen movie
- 70. Lego brand for toddlers
- 71. Buddy of "The Beverly Hillbillies"
- 76. XXVIII doubled
- Running star Sebastian who was the 1000-meter world record holder from 1981 to 1999
- 78. Australian state whose capital is Sydney: Abbr.
- 79. "Sprechen \_\_ Deutsch?"