

**Puzzle to Play With** by Arlene Romoff and George Barany

**ACROSS**

- 1. Boy toy
- 6. Understands
- 10. Certain herring
- 14. "It is \_\_\_ wind that blows..."
- 15. Peaceful, not-so-smart race in "The Time Machine"
- 16. Former Yankee first baseman Martinez
- 17. Scrappy but lovable companion
- 19. Baseball's Mel and Ed
- 20. To paraphrase Mark Twain, a man who serves two masters
- 21. Adorable carnival giveaway
- 23. Has too much, briefly
- 24. Number two
- 26. Anti-narcotics branch of govt.
- 27. Mark for life
- 29. Kwik-E-Mart clerk on "The Simpsons"
- 31. Big bird of stories
- 34. Inscribed pillar
- 37. Star of "Hulk," "Troy," and "Munich"
- 39. Iconic creator of products coveted by collectors
- 42. Election day survey
- 43. Workout program you might do for kicks?
- 44. Humorist's forte
- 45. Shakespearean snake
- 46. Sechs/zwei
- 48. Rowboat accessory
- 50. Crossword puzzler's favorite cookie

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- 52. Gathered dust
- 55. Curvaceous clotheshorse
- 58. Roadblock
- 61. Hodgepodge
- 62. Colloquial compliment ... or a hint to 1-, 17-, 21-, 39-, 55-, and 69-Across
- 64. Alchemy material
- 65. Indian royalty
- 66. Major pro-choice org.
- 67. Take-out order?
- 68. JFK guesses
- 69. Small cutie with a wardrobe trunk
- 5. K-6: Abbr.
- 6. It blows off steam
- 7. Lift up
- 8. Weight unit for bricks, in a saying
- 9. Swim alternative
- 10. Best-selling author who wrote "I did not write it. God wrote it. I merely did his dictation"
- 11. Top of the pops
- 12. Nay sayer
- 13. Doctor's order
- 18. Battle or Price, e.g.
- 22. School
- 25. Cut back
- 27. Blind segment
- 28. Italian aperitif
- 30. Snaps
- 32. Common first floor apt. no.
- 33. Beloved, in "Rigoletto"
- 34. Old World duck
- 35. It's hailed by city dwellers
- 36. It's a matter of opinion
- 37. Pipe fitter's union?
- 38. \_\_\_ B'rith
- 40. Homer's "rosy-fingered" goddess
- 41. Fare for Fido
- 46. Flotsam and jetsam
- 47. Glass-encased item in "Beauty and the Beast"
- 49. Domicile
- 51. Pugilistic period
- 52. Contempt
- 53. Poe's middle name
- 54. Brit's boob tube
- 55. Fearless
- 56. On the quiet side
- 57. Brontë heroine
- 59. Tart taste
- 60. Louisiana tribe
- 63. Muesli morsel

**DOWN**

- 1. She laughed in "Ninotchka"
- 2. Grant-\_\_\_ (Federal subsidy)
- 3. Chimp who played Tarzan's pal Cheeta
- 4. Gymnast Korbut