

Let Stalk Strine

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The answer to the meta is a 5-letter word

ACROSS

- 1 "Pequod" captain
- 5 Lamb's mother
- 8 "Old Mother Hubbard went to the ___"
- 14 Bound along
- 15 "Take On Me" band
- 16 "Hey Jude" outro syllables
- 17 "But, soft! What light through yonder window breaks? It is the ___, and Juliet is the sun"
- 18 He's taken
- 20 Cinema's Russell or Cameron
- 22 Drain blockage
- 23 Chemical in some plastics, briefly
- 24 With 26 across: "What does this item cost?"
- 26 See 24 across
- 29 Computer game series with virtual people
- 32 Vintage film channel
- 33 "In a similar ___"
- 34 "Stay (I Missed You)" singer, Lisa ___
- 36 English class assignment
- 40 German exclamation
- 41 Ayers Rock's current name
- 43 Hurricane's centre
- 44 Hollow cylinder used for moving fluids
- 46 Arab leader
- 47 Iowa State city
- 48 That woman there!
- 50 France's patron

- 52 Bird that resembles an ostrich
- 55 Dad's sister
- 56 She's a good old worker and a good old pal, apparently
- 57 Source of fibre
- 59 "They Call Me Mister ___!" (sequel to "In The Heat Of The Night")
- 63 Gymnastics apparatus that debuted at the Sydney Olympics
- 67 Ill-mannered one
- 68 Bear witness
- 69 It may be cast
- 70 Someone who talks Strine, which is what you're going to have to do to solve the meta
- 71 Letters after etas
- 72 With 73 across: "___ nothing..." (idiom that indicates a lack of confidence about the activity about to be tried)
- 73 See 72 across

DOWN

- 1 "Star Wars" actor, ___ Guinness
- 2 Frosty coating
- 3 Lhasa ___ (dog breed)
- 4 In the space that separates two objects
- 5 Sturdy piece of timber used to support the roof of a building, but it has been cut short?
- 6 Arcade game with persistent rodents

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- 7 Voice of Darth Vader, James ___ Jones
- 8 Chess piece that leaps over others
- 9 Burj Khalifa's country (abbr.)
- 10 Tenth of a grand (abbr.)
- 11 1942 Walt Disney movie
- 12 Not suitable
- 13 "Wayne's World" star ___ Carvey
- 19 Sinbad's transport
- 21 Dash lengths
- 25 "The Adventures of ___ and Otis" (movie narrated by Dudley Moore)
- 27 Slurpee alternative
- 28 Phone text, briefly
- 29 PC support pro
- 30 Kermit's greeting introducing another fast-breaking news story on "Sesame Street"
- 31 Stitched lines
- 33 Carpet cleaner, for short
- 35 English Empire
- 37 Prefix meaning "half"
- 38 "The ___ have it" (the bill passes)
- 39 Opposite of no
- 41 Toe the line
- 42 National language of Pakistan
- 45 Resistance unit
- 47 Another name for an exponential function when 10 is the base number
- 49 Animated movie starring the voices of Ewan McGregor and Robin Williams
- 51 Tolkien tree creature
- 52 Middle-___ (place where you might come across a 51 down)
- 53 Delight
- 54 www.ephesusscroll.com/about, for example
- 56 Sports fig.
- 58 Assistant
- 60 Clown of renown
- 61 Woody's "Toy Story" friend
- 62 Eyelid affliction
- 64 ___ Gala (Fashion's biggest night)
- 65 Free TV spot
- 66 Always, in verse