

# We love playing with words

## Big Round Numbers by David Bukszpan '02

**ACROSS**

- 1 Network where 2014 Commencement speaker Martha Raddatz reports for "World News Tonight with David Muir"
- 4 Wise (like Marquette basketball coach Shaka '99, H'17)
- 9 The College is famously not near it
- 15 Actress Longoria
- 18 Nothing for the soccer team?
- 19 They play loudly across from Gund Gallery every Friday afternoon
- 21 Head case?
- 22 Southern Oh. city
- 23 Ltr.'s second add-on
- 26 Huge source of litter?
- 28 We all signed it
- 31 Anxiety disorder, for short
- 32 Longtime Hapsburg domain: Abbr.
- 33 Jogger's woes
- 34 Whose mater?
- 35 Whose list?
- 36 Trig function that's a homonym of 22-Across
- 37 P.M. periods
- 38 "\_\_\_ Spartacus!"
- 39 Michaels of "S.N.L."
- 40 British music mag whose name sounds like a foe
- 41 Color, as Easter eggs
- 42 See 91-Down
- 44 Caustic cleanser
- 45 Oklahoma Indian
- 46 Brian in the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame
- 48 Not in French class?
- 49 Richard whose sculpture "Pivot" is on the West Quad
- 50 The letters "round on the end" parts of "Ohio"
- 51 Use it to fill in this answer, if you dare
- 52 WWII vessel
- 54 Nickel or dime
- 55 Pity-ful member of The A-Team?
- 56 First or last digit of intro class numbers
- 57 Don't rent?
- 58 Questlove's hair style, for short
- 59 Anita Bath, Carmen Geddit and Ann B. Dextrous, very likely
- 63 \_\_\_ in corn field (as opposed to K as in Kornfeld)
- 64 Brothers in Leonard, for short
- 66 Droops
- 67 In the \_\_\_ (not far in the future)
- 68 Before, to a poet
- 69 Flannels not worn outdoors, say
- 70 Drunkard
- 72 Ripped (open), as an acceptance letter
- 73 Duke's lady
- 74 Bronx Bombers, on scoreboards
- 75 Gray mo. on campus
- 76 \_\_\_ canto (singing style)
- 78 "Ben-\_\_\_" (1959 Best Picture)
- 79 Itinerary abbr.

- 80 "Ready Player One" star Sheridan
- 81 As strong as \_\_\_
- 83 "For \_\_\_ jolly..."
- 84 First word of the Declaration of Independence
- 86 With 96-Across, some campus protests
- 87 A wish for the College
- 96 See 86-Across
- 97 Biden's style of shades
- 98 Walks Middle Path just to walk Middle Path, say
- 99 Pepper offered as a topping at the Village Inn
- 100 200, e.g.
- 101 Traverse again, as the path to the Church of the Holy Spirit?
- 102 "\_\_\_ 200th 112-Down, 131-Down!"
- 103 Buys Bud Light instead of Natural Light for a frat party?
- 104 Secretive government org.
- 105 "We all \_\_\_ little mad sometimes"
- 106 "There happen to be \_\_\_, large parts of adult American life that nobody talks about in commencement speeches." — David Foster Wallace
- 108 Whiskered sucker
- 110 Stick-in-the-mud
- 111 Hail \_\_\_ (good luck doing so in Gambier!)
- 113 Composer Berlin and literary critic Howe, to their friends
- 114 Give a trim
- 116 Born as
- 117 New Deal agcy.
- 118 The Trojans of the NCAA
- 119 @@@
- 120 Greek letter after pi
- 121 Cabinet dept. overseeing the CDC and FDA
- 122 Moody rock genre
- 123 Jerry Lewis hosted its telethons annually: Abbr.
- 124 Delta Kappa Epsilon member, familiarly
- 126 Defensive ditch
- 127 Actress Long, singer Peeples, and astrophysicist Imara '03
- 129 So
- 130 "Tobacco Road" author Caldwell
- 132 South quad-based coed social group known for their Halloween parties
- 133 The Lowry Center, essentially
- 135 Former term for a first-year
- 137 Question that, in the 1970s, would only have been asked on campus in 142-Down
- 139 Cut a class?
- 140 Chase (but not like Philander)
- 142 Frosty's eyes
- 143 "That's the Way It Is" singer Celine
- 145 "Bah," in Bavaria
- 146 MGM rival that made "Citizen Kane"
- 147 Grp. selling brownies in front of Wiggin Street Elementary
- 148 Inner ear?
- 149 Herbert of the "Pink Panther" films

- 150 New immigrant's class, often: Abbr.
- 151 Unit of work in physics
- 152 Shake a leg, in Shakespeare
- 153 Word before apple or after whiskey
- 155 Becomes pallid
- 156 League for Caitlin Clark
- 158 Waterloo's loc.
- 159 Purify, as liquor
- 161 Growl
- 162 Adjective often heard before 131-Down ... but we'd say she's 200 years young!
- 16 \_\_\_ Gothic architecture (style of Ascension Hall and the Church of the Holy Spirit)
- 17 Before "72-Down, 110-Down, 155-Down" the "Philander Chase" lyric that follows "He taught the classes, rang the bell..."
- 19 House for the anthropology department, named for a former prime minister of Sweden ('48)

**DOWN**

- 1 Seeing humans as focus of the universe
- 2 2024, for the College
- 3 Feign ignorance of, as the truth
- 4 Restaurant list with a fixed total price
- 5 NPR's \_\_\_ Liasson
- 6 "The Greatest" in the ring
- 7 Accounting department contraction
- 8 "Mos def."
- 9 Self-proclaimed psychic Geller
- 10 2000 winner Nobel Prize for Literature \_\_\_ Xingjian
- 11 Novelist Patchett who spoke at the College
- 12 The point of writing?
- 13 Butch Cassidy and the Sundance Kid, and Calvin and Hobbes
- 14 Mine, to a French major
- 15 Type of fac. who taught "The Federal Reserve System" or "Futures or Options" this fall, say

- 53 Animal that took over the Bookstore in 2022
- 54 Egg on
- 58 Hall historically home to WKCO
- 60 It's bottled in Cannes
- 61 Atomic energy oversight agcy.
- 62 Texting format inits.
- 64 Spinner's spot at a party
- 65 Not how the decision to streak across campus is typically made?
- 66 Like three film editing suites in the Wright Center
- 69 Quaker William and actor Sean (and writer Robert Warren?)
- 71 "Comps"
- 72 See 17-Down
- 75 Org. concerned with air traffic
- 77 "\_\_\_ and Society" (recently added interdisciplinary concentration)
- 82 Additional, in adspeak
- 83 "Alumnus promotes financial startup to \_\_\_ college students" (Recent "Collegian" headline)
- 84 Sound of a hard smack
- 85 Bottom of a boat
- 87 Derisive laugh
- 88 First lady?
- 89 How-\_\_\_: DIY guides
- 90 Spots for MDs and RNs
- 91 With 42-Across, Dr. Seuss book with the line "My father can read big words, too, like Constantinople and Timbuktu"

- 92 Breakfast quaffs, for short
- 93 Schmancy commencement attire
- 94 Indianapolis to Gambier dir.
- 95 "U.S.A." author John \_\_\_ Passos
- 106 Turns tail?
- 107 Upper-left keys, for short
- 108 Enormous dessert once served in a pizza box
- 109 English writer whose gift to the College is recalled in the "Philander Chase" lyric, "And begged

- at every noble's door/And also that of \_\_\_"
- 110 See 17-Down
- 112 See 102-Across
- 113 Accustomed
- 115 VW Golf's bigger brother
- 125 Lawman Wyatt
- 126 Word seen on fewer College bathrooms since 1969
- 128 Sandusky to Gambier dir.
- 129 BMOC, e.g.
- 131 What links us all, stretching across 200 years
- 133 Get a \_\_\_!
- 134 Texts and voicemail" Abbr.

- 135 \_\_\_ on the Hill (member of a campus comedy troupe)
- 136 Many-\_\_\_ (polychromatic)
- 137 Class of '63 architect who designed many of the newest buildings on campus
- 138 Where to have lunch with Abraham Lincoln, Sir Galahad, Hamlet, and 109-Down (or at least their portraits in stained glass)
- 139 "Ragtime"

- writer E.L., '52
- 141 We are like and not like this river (either way, we like this river!)
- 142 \_\_\_ Hall, high-rise named after the president of the College from 1968-1975
- 144 Lords and ladies
- 154 Slugger's stat
- 155 See 17-Down
- 157 "This should come \_\_\_ surprise..."
- 158 Crow, but not Crowe
- 160 "Que \_\_\_?" ("How's it going?")

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