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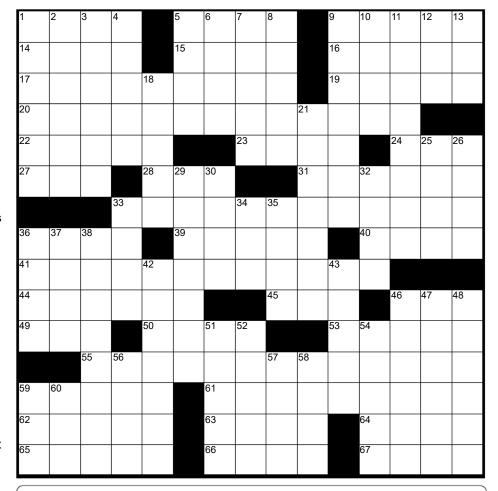
Muller Monthly Music Meta http://www.pmxwords.com

ACROSS

- 1 Folks with heavy tax burdens?
- 5 Like Jud in a song from "Oklahoma!"
- **9** Singer Marilyn of the 5th Dimension
- **14** Work performed over 1,000 times at the Metropolitan Opera
- **15** Holly
- 16 Bikini, for one
- **17** Magnetic, in a way
- **19** Like many snacks carried by thruhikers
- 20 "I've got some big news ... and it's not good"
- 22 Dangerous partner?
- 23 First word of a rhyming drawing toy's name
- **24** Org. you wouldn't want to be wanted by
- 27 "___ Gone" (Grateful Dead song)
- 28 Palindromic preposition
- 31 Talk down
- **33** Religious leader with an eponymous university
- 36 Sierra Madre wolf
- 39 Key partner?
- **40** Finishing that pint of ice cream you started, say
- **41** Beer ingredient popular as a nutritional supplement
- **44** Eyelike markings, or, without the first letter, some musical instruments
- 45 Palindromic preposition
- **46** ____ Jayawardenepura Kotte (Asian capital)
- 49 Sticky stuff
- 50 Some colonists
- **53** Colorado town near the Maroon Bells
- 55 Attention-getting shades
- **59** Band with the first music video ever banned by MTV
- 61 Composer whose "Vexations" consists of four lines of music played 840 times
- 62 1972 Bill Withers hit
- 63 Scotch that really sticks to you?
- **64** Ed Sheeran hit rumored to be a diss track about Ellie Goulding
- 65 Tiger Woods has won a record 21
- 66 Bedazzles
- 67 "Wake Me Up When September

DOWN

- **1** Algerian area referenced in a 1982 hit
- 2 Only U.S. capital name not sharing a single letter with its state
- **3** Wednesday played by Jenna Ortega on Netflix's "Wednesday"



The meta for this puzzle is a well-known song from the '70s.

- 4 G. Love & Special
- 5 "___ Party" (2015 hit that samples Lesley Gore's "It's My Party")
- 6 Mix
- 7 Show that sounds like something often written about a show
- 8 Apply, as influence
- **9** Seized the opportunity, metaphorically
- **10** 2017 SZA album
- 11 Nice hairdresser?
- **12** Matador motivator
- 13 "Same ___ Love" (Selena Gomez hit)
- 18 Tree on the Lebanese flag
- 21 Bagel topper
- 25 Joint replacement?
- 26 William nicknamed the "Playwright of the Midwest"
- 29 Accessory for Blink-182's Tom DeLonge, once
- 30 12 and 30, for Josh Baskin in "Big"
- 32 Talk up
- **33** Go turkey hunting?

- 34 Preceder of "Ya!" or "Jude," in song
- 35 Sheltered, at sea
- 36 Some Wall St. takeovers
- 37 Predatory ocean mammal
- **38** [Move it, slowpoke!]
- **42** Former Manhattan restaurant mentioned by Billy Joel in "Big Shot"
- 43 Prey for a 37-Down
- **46** "Bingo!"
- **47** You can do it to reality TV, but not to reality
- **48** Philadelphia and Pittsburgh on a Pennsylvania map, perhaps
- **51** Greek letter often seen on trigonometry exams
- **52** Back-breaking thing, in an idiom
- **54** Glam rock band with the overseas hit "Merry Xmas Everybody"
- 56 Rapper Ma
- 57 Cry of pain
- 58 Squeaks (by)
- 59 Part of Bad Bunny's "YHLQMDLG"
- **60** Vessel opener?