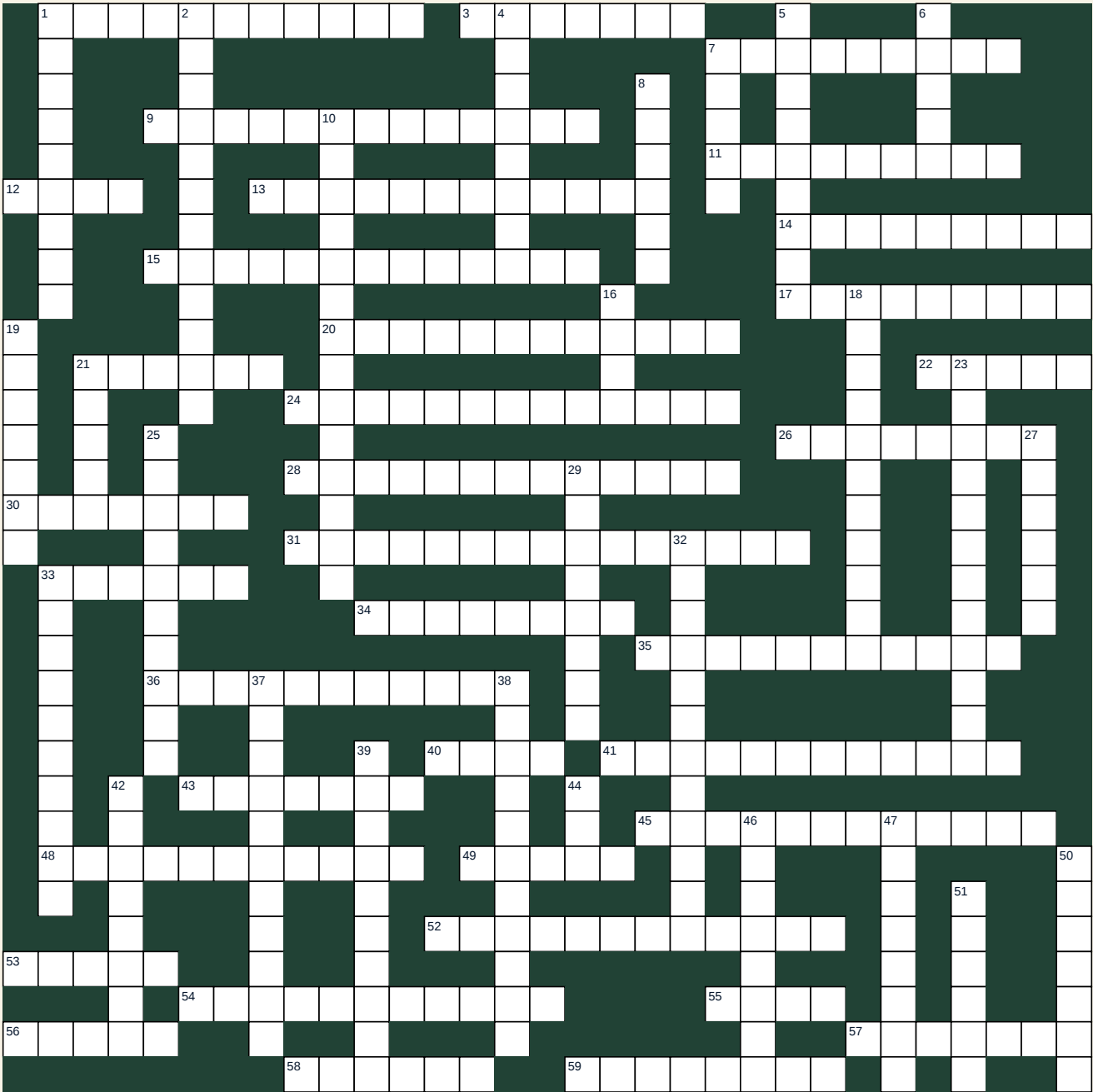


PUZZLE ONE

The Book & Library Crossword

A satisfyingly substantial reader challenge. Answers are on page 4.



Across clues

ACROSS

1. Craft of assembling and covering a volume (11)
7. Reference book for the word you want when another word is close (9)
11. Flexible edition made for tote bags and bent spines (9)
13. Inner journey that changes someone across a story (12)
15. Line from a book a reader wants to remember (13)
20. Book-length story told through sequential art (12)
22. Short nonfiction work developing an idea or argument (5)
26. After-hours destination for finished loans (8)
30. Books making their way back to the shelves (7)
33. Personal account focused on selected experiences (6)
35. Arranging text for printing (11)
40. A book's temporary trip away from the library (4)
43. Extra borrowing time, when no one else is waiting (7)
48. Perspective through which a story is told (11)
52. Opening installment that must earn the next one (12)
54. Accessible recorded format provided through specialized services (11)
56. Bound-page format that gradually replaced the scroll (5)
58. Rolled format used for many ancient texts (6)
3. Search tool for locating titles in a collection (7)
9. Seasonal program that keeps pages turning while school is out (13)
12. Small credential with surprisingly large reading power (4)
14. Story turn that rearranges everything you thought you knew (9)
17. Program that gives a story an audience and a voice (9)
21. Folded page corner that makes some book lovers wince (6)
24. Craft of making an invented setting feel complete and lived in (13)
28. Machine that transformed how books could be reproduced (13)
31. Front-of-book guide listing sections and their pages (15)
34. Voice responsible for telling the story (8)
36. Ending designed to make one more chapter unavoidable (11)
41. Reader who shares a considered opinion after the final page (12)
45. Stretch when choosing and finishing a book feels unusually hard (12)
49. Alphabetical guide to where information appears (5)
53. Japanese comics and graphic narratives (5)
55. Long narrative traditionally centered on heroic deeds (4)
57. Raised-dot reading system represented in accessible collections (7)
59. Traditional story passed through generations (8)

Down clues

DOWN

1. Life story written by someone other than its subject (9)
4. Flawed central character who resists traditional heroism (8)
6. Literature written primarily for performance (5)
8. Rows where the collection waits (6)
16. Request that reserves the next available copy (4)
19. Genre commonly set along a historical frontier (7)
23. Last installment that closes a multi-book journey (12)
27. Person using a library's services (6)
32. Reference work offering overviews across many subjects (12)
37. Beloved trope in which chosen bonds become home (11)
39. Book whose momentum makes it difficult to stop (10)
44. Expected back, as a borrowed title (3)
47. Story relationship that takes its time before catching fire (8)
51. Genre known for dread, secrets, and shadowy settings (6)
2. Extra story section offered after the expected ending (12)
5. Daily or weekly publication often available in print and databases (9)
7. Familiar story pattern readers may seek out on purpose (5)
10. Notebook for reactions, ratings, quotes, and bookish evidence (14)
18. Event that brings a writer and readers into the same room (11)
21. An author's first published book (5)
25. Publication that arrives in numbered issues (10)
29. Opening section that arrives before chapter one (8)
33. Text written or typed before publication (10)
38. Library space intended for quiet study and consultation (11)
42. Closing section offering one last look after the main story (8)
46. Imagined society where something has gone deeply wrong (8)
50. Revelation a considerate reader warns you about first (7)

Crossword answers

Crossword answer key

ACROSS

1. BOOKBINDING
3. CATALOG
7. THESAURUS
9. SUMMERREADING
11. PAPERBACK
12. CARD
13. CHARACTERARC
14. PLOTTWIST
15. FAVORITEQUOTE
17. READALOUD
20. GRAPHICNOVEL
21. DOGEAR
22. ESSAY
24. WORLDBUILDING
26. BOOKDROP
28. PRINTINGPRESS
30. RETURNS
31. TABLEOFCONTENTS
33. MEMOIR
34. NARRATOR
35. TYPESETTING
36. CLIFFHANGER
40. LOAN
41. BOOKREVIEWER
43. RENEWAL
45. READINGSLUMP
48. POINTOFVIEW
49. INDEX
52. FIRSTCHAPTER
53. MANGA
54. TALKINGBOOK
55. EPIC
56. CODEX
57. BRAILLE
58. SCROLL
59. FOLKTALE

DOWN

1. BIOGRAPHY
2. BONUSCHAPTER
4. ANTIHERO
5. NEWSPAPER
6. DRAMA
7. TROPE
8. STACKS
10. READINGJOURNAL
16. HOLD
18. AUTHORVISIT
19. WESTERN
21. DEBUT
23. SERIESFINALE
25. PERIODICAL
27. PATRON
29. PROLOGUE
32. ENCYCLOPEDIA
33. MANUSCRIPT
37. FOUNDFAMILY
38. READINGROOM
39. PAGETURNER
42. EPILOGUE
44. DUE
46. DYSTOPIA
47. SLOWBURN
50. SPOILER
51. GOTHIC