



June 24, 2024 - "Period Play" - Jasmeet Arora, edited by Amie Walker

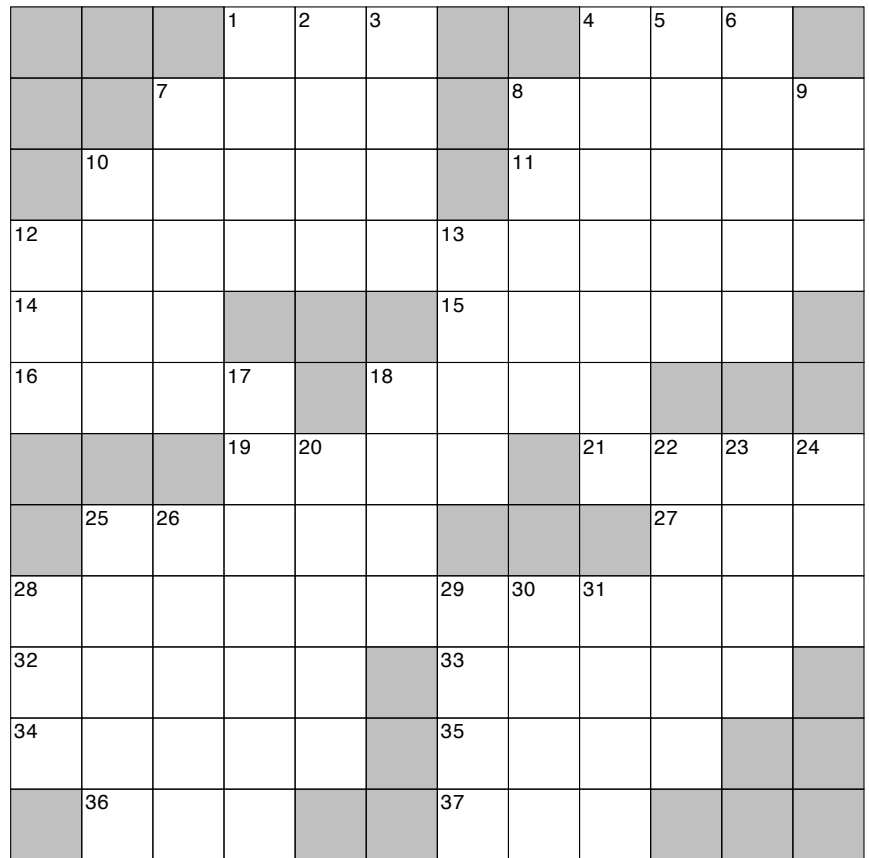
ACROSS

- 1 Winter hrs. in Manitoba
4 Org. that might prevent you from carrying on?
7 Country where the Great Mosque of Djenné is located
8 Downs
10 One-____ production (like Rachel Bloom's "Death, Let Me Do My Show")
11 ____ Boyacense (Colombian snack with queso campesino, perhaps)
12 Pivotal innovation in menstrual products patented by inventor Mary Kenner
14 Some viral makeup?
15 Lift up
16 3/15, e.g.
18 On the same plane
19 Onion rings and chicken wings, casually
21 What some dogs do (so I need a lint roller after seeing them ... but it's so worth it <3)
25 Summer camp craft?
27 Big production
28 My response to "I bet the dog park is your favorite place to be"
32 Shrub with berries and flowers

- 33 My tendency to say "like" after every other word, e.g. (but I'm, like, not trying to stop, because it's actually, like, a good thing! <https://time.com/5592953/use-like-too-much/>)
34 Tiny skin openings
35 "The ____ is just going to ask a few questions" (my cashier after I buy anything anywhere these days)
36 That's not gross!
37 ____ 101 (behavioral science intro class)

DOWN

- 1 Brief underwear?
2 Strip for the bed?
3 "The Best" singer Turner
4 Headwear symbolizing faith, community, and equality in Sikhism
5 Some winter weather
6 Gala, for example
7 "Being a queer black woman in America, someone who has been in relationships with both men and women - I consider myself to be a free-ass motherfucker.": Janelle ____
8 "abcdefu" singer



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- 9 What the Greensboro Four peacefully did to protest racial segregation
10 Type of vibrator
12 ____ Guru Granth Sahib (Sikh holy book)
13 Accelerates, with "up"
17 Musical celebration before a wedding
18 Electric sword used in the Olympics
20 Rains and rains
22 "Soo, my name ... my name is Bella ____" (trending TikTok sound bite from a model)
23 Lower contrast or raise shadows
24 Period in an email address
25 It's above the period, on a keyboard
26 "I am not free while any woman is unfree, even when her shackles are very different from my own. And I am not free as long as one person of Color remains chained. Nor is any one of you.": ____ Lorde
28 "Absolutely!"
29 Leader follower?
30 Weakens
31 Site on which a middle-school me spent a whole night bidding on Les Miz collector's edition CDs