

"EXTRA PADDING"
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1 Noise that repeats nine minutes after snoozing
 6 Home of the NWSL's Royals
 10 La ___: Italian opera venue
 15 Good spot to check for loose change
 19 Red ___: playground game
 20 Bond villain with an underwater lair
 21 Islamic dietary standard
 22 Video game franchise set on ring-shaped worlds
 23 Jaunty coast-to-coast race?
 26 Shiraz's land
 27 Attached with thread
 28 Cassowary relative
 29 Tried something new
 31 Tic-___-toe
 32 Scrapping
 34 Legitimate
 35 Relax completely
 39 Arizona running back's evasive maneuver?
 44 "Good to go!"
 45 American short story writer Bret
 47 Padre's hermana
 48 Shot administrator
 49 Hosted, for short
 51 Skewed view
 53 "Licorice Pizza" setting
 57 "Close this program" key
 58 Incomprehensible peace treaty?
 62 ___ it up
 63 Beijing money
 64 "Oh boy!"
 65 Midflight info
 66 "What difference ___ it make?"
 67 Tidy up
 69 Turned off?
 72 Gets even?
 74 " ___ she blows!"
 75 Arriving soon
 77 Vegan milk choice
 78 Years, in Italian
 79 Bowl edge
 80 "Sesame Street: Sing the Alphabet," perhaps?
 87 "Midsommar" director Aster

88 Photoshop tool
 89 Absence
 90 Time long past
 91 Latest fad
 93 Year divs.
 95 Maldon and Himalayan pink
 98 In the past
 99 Painters who specialize in portraits of imps?
 104 Beef stroganoff, e.g.
 106 Romantasy novelist ___ J. Maas
 107 "___ been warned"
 109 Co. founder's second title, often
 110 Literary 1-Down
 114 Cocktail shaker noisemaker
 115 Tubes
 119 Actor Liu
 120 "Better not throw a changeup?"
 123 Blueprint detail
 124 Rock opera by The Who
 125 Chemist's building block
 126 ___ de tigre: ceviche
 127 Totally flop
 128 Got going
 129 Looks at
 130 Shared values
DOWN
 1 Characters' journeys
 2 Ancient tales
 3 Swear
 4 Unplugs and plugs back in, say
 5 Low-sodium seasoning brand
 6 Japanese noodle
 7 "Ur correct"
 8 Additional wing
 9 Source of some political gaffes
 10 A little short
 11 Till filler
 12 Basic compound
 13 Stored up
 14 Fleecy camelid
 15 Acupressure massage
 16 Couple of rowers
 17 London apartment
 18 Primo
 24 Brown shade
 25 Cost
 30 Up to the moment
 32 Story accessed by ladder, maybe
 33 Sorrow
 35 Iron Bowl team, familiarly
 36 Highlands water
 37 Malm bed seller
 38 Outfitters
 40 "Pantheon"
 41 Target, as for a con
 42 Magazine productions
 43 Bottle parts
 46 Words on a Wonderland cake
 50 Wash day appliance
 52 Superfan
 54 Covered (in)
 55 Sick
 56 Paying careful attention to
 59 With 111-Down, "Illusion" singer
 60 Insincerely aim to please
 61 Using pointe shoes
 66 Fancy mat
 67 French president before Sarkozy
 68 Thin coating
 69 Preps, as a Slip 'N Slide
 70 Marble, for one
 71 Mercator projection book
 73 Vaccine molecule
 74 Amusement park rides
 76 Winners of the first FIFA Women's World Cup
 78 Maxi skirt terminus
 80 "Little help here"
 81 Not entirely
 82 Like tedious text
 83 Start of a classic boast
 84 Craft sometimes shaped like a swan
 85 Strong impulse
 86 Mouser's call
 92 "Little help here"
 94 Showing no feelings
 96 "Don't play," in music
 97 Church topper
 100 Record label launched by Clive Davis
 101 Deep hatred
 102 Dynamics prefix
 103 "An example being ...?"
 105 Part of USSR
 108 Chevy sports car, for short
 110 "Hey, can you keep a secret?"
 111 See 59-Down
 112 Sign from above
 113 ___ Club
 115 Scots' bonnets
 116 Make a nameplate, perhaps
 117 Sound in an empty room
 118 Patrick Swayze's "Like the Wind"
 121 Sheridan of "Mud"
 122 Garden tool

