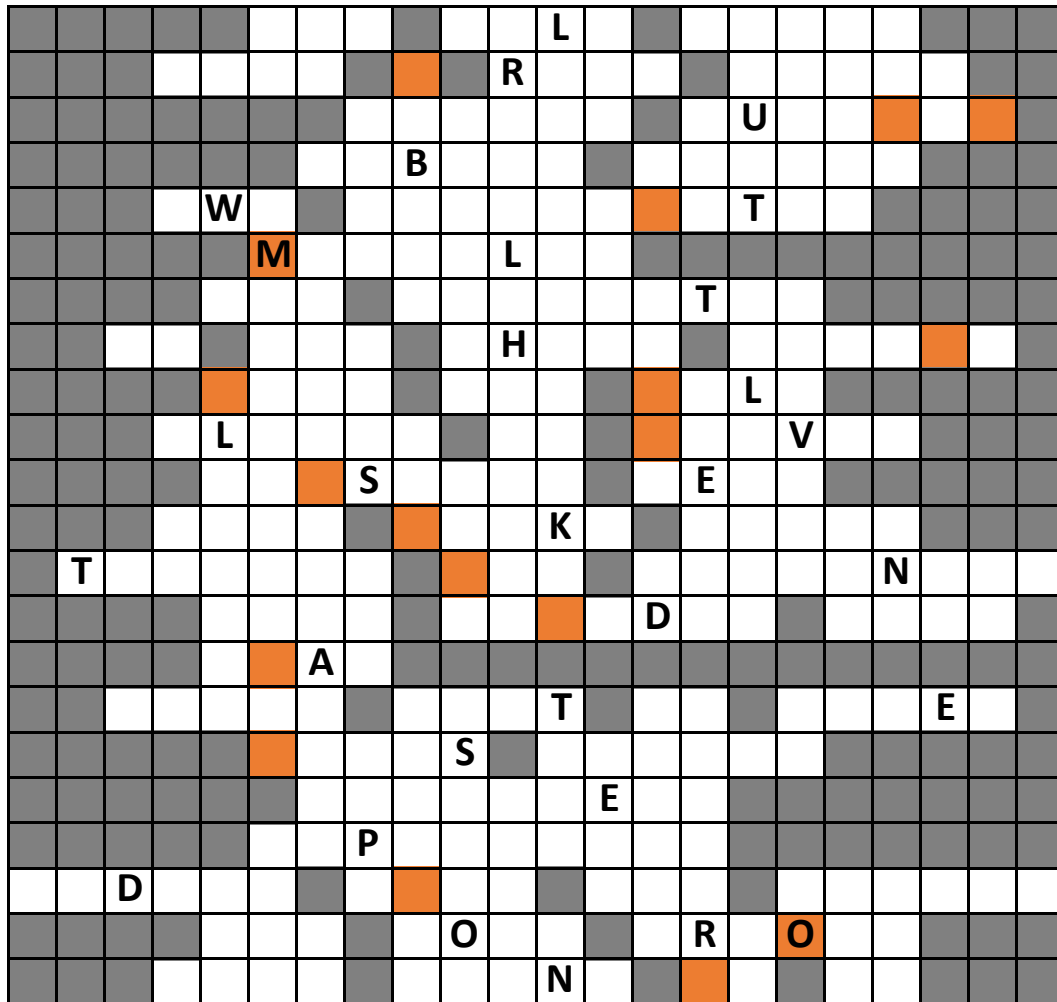


THE 2018 FESTIVE QUIZ FOR NEWSLETTER READERS



CLUES: Solve each question (see next page) and place answers into the appropriate line on the grid above (across only)

A few random letters have already been placed into the grid to help you.

Next, take the letters in the orange boxes and re-arrange them to reveal the title of one of Russ's early singles which is made up of three words (4,5,9)

Here's the clues:

Cutting in the big apple (3,4,6)
Hello, is this a gold plated fake or another New York Groove? (4,7,4)
Russ's spooky birthday or all hallow's eve (9)
Katie and Joe's last motorcycle ride (6,4,3,6)
B side of rare Argent EP single is nearer to paradise (6,2,6)
Lifelong timkeeping friend keeps Banging On (6,6)
Daltrey album produced by Russ Ballard is almost a nursery rhyme (4,1,4,5)
Allo Allo café owner found not guilty (4,5,2,2)
RB's final Argent song sees making his way to the gates of St Peter (5,4,2,5)
Joining Adam's backing group was a bit of a gamble (3,9)
Trophy worn by Russ on his Winning album sleeve (8,4)
Fast road to your heart, but is it the best way? (10)
Speaking clock will give you the album title (2,3.5,6)
Seasonal saxophonist, keyboard player, guitarist and occasional co-writer (5,6)
Nexus track causes a storm (7,3,9)
Neither Russ Ballard or Colin Blunstone believe in them (8)
Spotted standing face to face in the window in 1984 (3,11)
Abba vocalist singing in a strait jacket? (4,5,5)
Widely covered Russ Ballard song from the first Argent long player (4)
Cost a fortune but what the heck (3,4,5)
Julie wants what kind of lover? (4,3,4)
Chuck's tiny monarch is one of Russ's all time favourites (6,7)

Three more teasers. Can you answer these additional questions about Russ's iconic electric guitar?

- 1 When Russ bought a Fender Stratocaster and decided to customise it, he called on the services of a guitar maker. What was his name?
- 2 To create something different and visually striking, Russ asked the guitar maker to drill some holes in it. What inspired him to come up with this idea?
- 3 When he got the customised guitar back it was now sprayed silver, but how many holes were created?

Please do not send in your answers. This is purely for fun. We will publish the answers in next month's newsletter.