

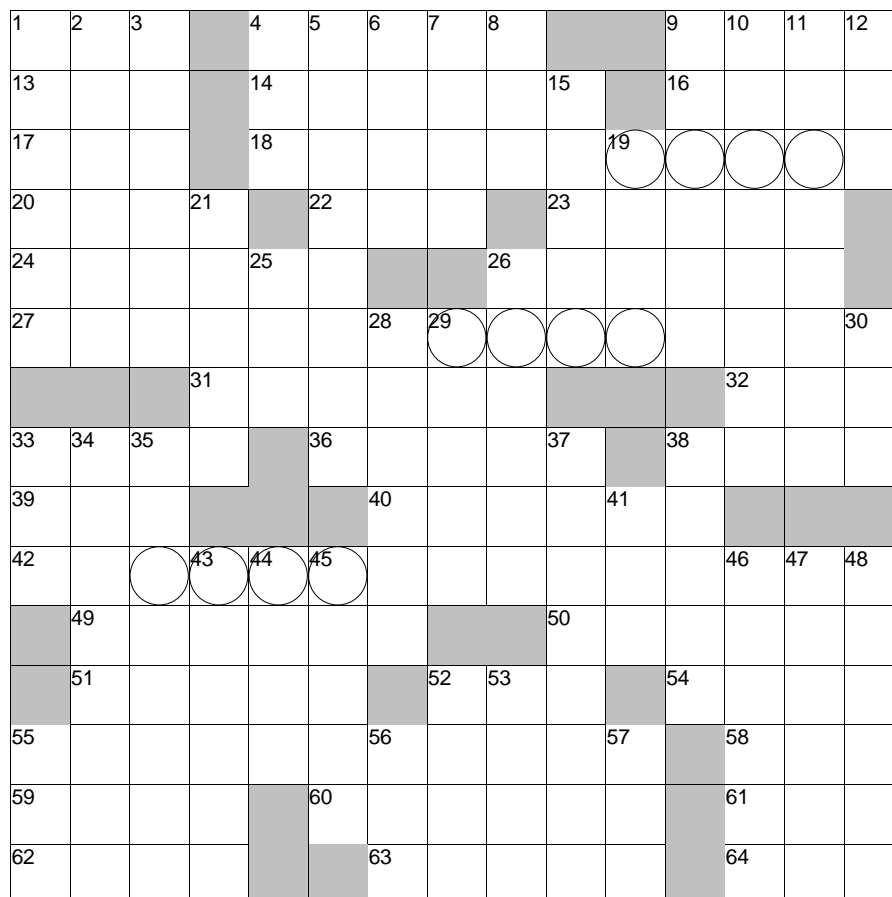
WHAT A RELIEF! Brendan Emmett Quigley (www.brendanemmettquigley.com)

ACROSS

1. Knee part torn by some NFL players
4. Boo-boos in the playroom
9. Mononymous rapper with the label Konvict Muzik
13. Long, narrow inlet
14. Muse of comedy
16. Japanese-British singer/songwriter ____ Sawayama
17. What goes in these squares: Abbr.
18. Difficult spot
20. App development stage
22. You, in French
23. Israel city that is home to the Bahá'í World Centre
24. Kid's post-detention cry
26. Sexy "Austin Powers" villain
27. "Young Woman Bathing Her Feet" painter
31. ____ Tap
32. Ride to the shop
33. "How It Started vs. How It's Going," e.g.
36. '50s car failure
38. Alert sound
39. Toil and trouble
40. Capital that was originally called Bytown
42. "Hate to break the bad news, but ..."
49. Husband's better half
50. Second note in a B-major chord
51. "Jesus, are you listening?"
52. Belly dancer's muscles
54. Gas station in 40-Across
55. Fail to make progress, or this puzzle's theme
58. Frequent inspiration behind a fantasy sports team name
59. Dissenter
60. What a scout might search for
61. Cathedral city of England
62. TV auteur Rae
63. Covered with dirt
64. Hydroelectric holder

2. Field of stars
3. Spotify rival
4. Ballplayer who appeared on a 39¢ stamp
5. Minor story
6. "I hate the Moor" speaker
7. Education publishing div.
8. "Make yourself comfortable"
9. Speedy Gonzales exclamation
10. Korean compact sedan model
11. Keeping the beat?
12. Edinburgh denial
15. Fire sign?
19. Parts of a motor
21. Spring up
25. Run the Jewels rapper
26. Juicy steak servings
28. Provides with financial backing
29. Elbows on the table?
30. Symbol of wisdom
33. Gaping hole

34. Times units
35. Places in a club where the hits are well received?
37. Eddie Bauer rival
38. Soak in the tub
41. Lifter's gear: Abbr.
43. Lifting injury
44. Computer that comes with Retina 5K
45. "Get a load of this"
46. Spoke scratchily
47. "The Little Mermaid" villain
48. Caesar salad or sandwich, e.g.
52. Freedom of speech defending org.
53. Required stitches, maybe
55. ____ choy (Chinese mustard)
56. Aaron Donald is one
57. Spot that's tough to keep clean



DOWN

1. Language read right to left