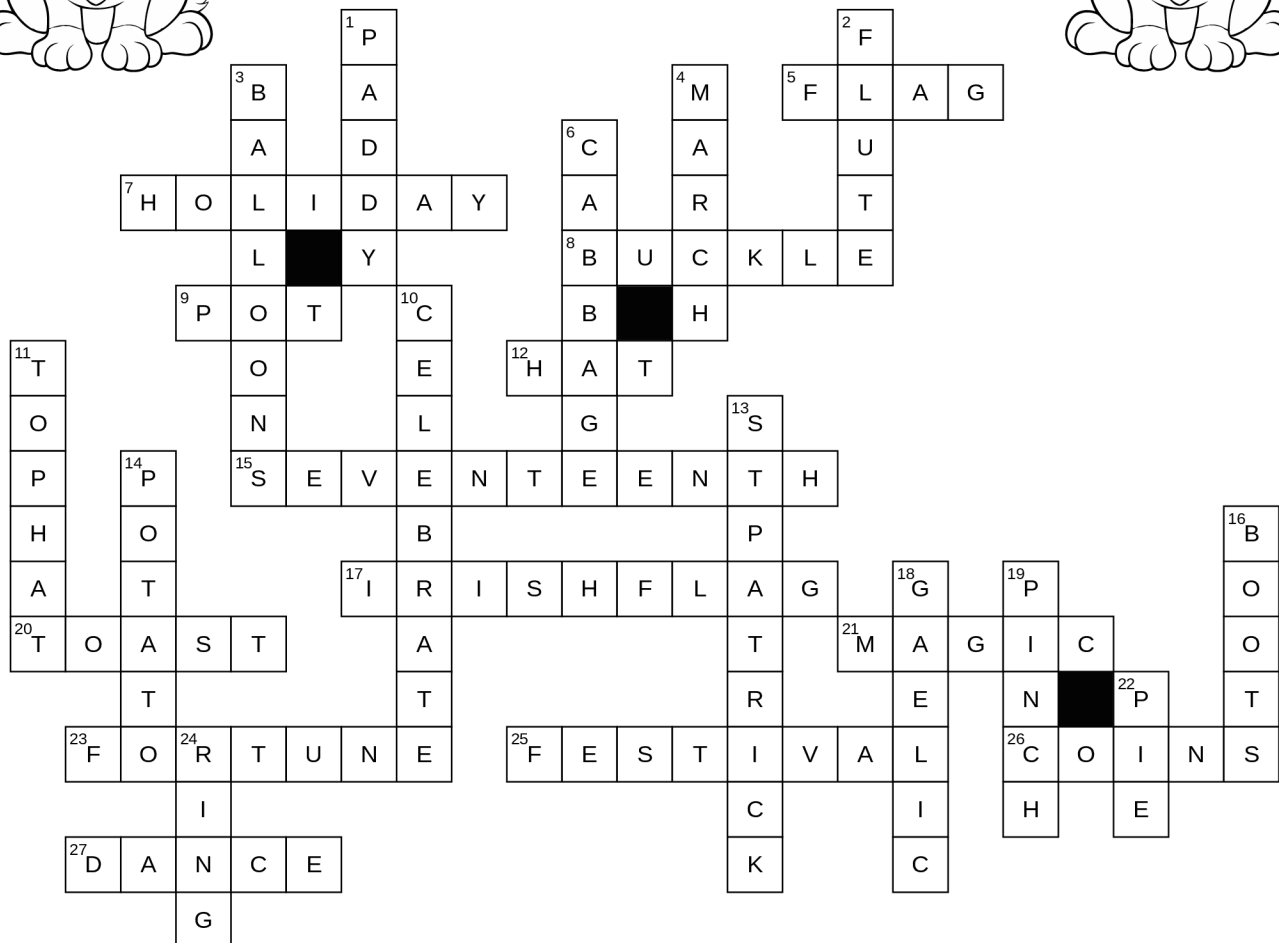




ST. PATRICK'S DAY

— CROSSWORD —



ACROSS

5. Cloth symbol waved to show pride for Ireland.
7. Special day off when people honor St. Patrick.
8. Shiny metal clasp on a belt or leprechaun's shoes.
9. Round container that might hold a rainbow's gold.
12. Green or tall headwear worn for St. Patrick's Day fun.
15. Day of March when St. Patrick's Day is held.
17. Green, white, and orange flag that stands for Ireland.
20. Short wish or speech made before people raise their glasses
21. Mysterious power in stories about leprechauns and fairies.
23. Good luck or wealth people hope for on this day.
25. Big event with music, food, and parades for St. Patrick's Day.
26. Small pieces of money that might be found in a pot of gold.
27. Lively Irish steps done to fiddles and flutes.

DOWN

1. Friendly nickname often used for Patrick.
2. Wind instrument that plays light, sweet Irish tunes.
3. Bright decorations filled with air and hung up for St. Patrick's Day.
4. Month when St. Patrick's Day is celebrated.
6. Green vegetable often cooked with corned beef for the holiday.
10. To enjoy St. Patrick's Day with parties, music, and fun.
11. Tall green hat often worn by leprechauns in pictures.
13. Saint honored for bringing Christianity to Ireland.
14. Staple food in many traditional Irish meals
16. Sturdy shoes sometimes worn with Irish dancing outfits.
18. Traditional Irish language heard in songs and sayings.
19. Small squeeze given to someone not wearing green
22. Baked dish sometimes filled with meat or potatoes for the feast.
24. Small circle of metal that might be part of Irish jewelry.