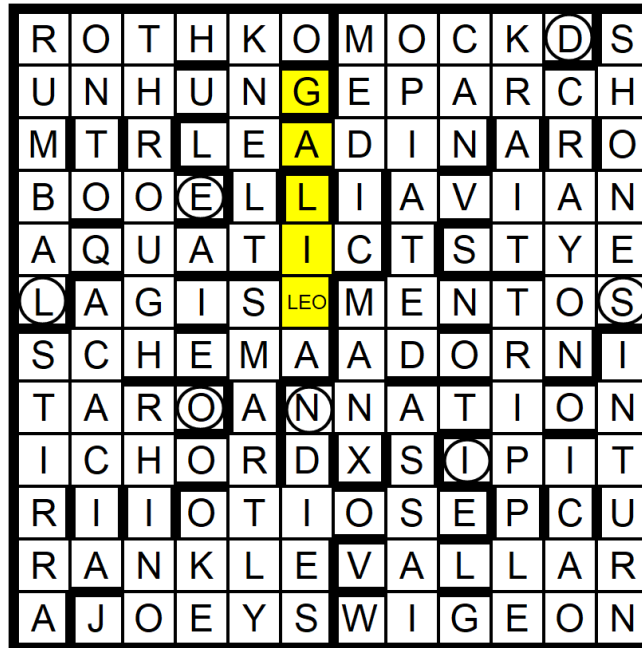


November Rain Solution



Extra letters in clues spell TELESCOPE. Letters in blank squares created by the telescopes spell LEONIDS, with the dropped letters spell RADIANT. Replacing the square from which the extra grid entries emanate from with LEO creates the name GALILEO.

Extra letters in clues can be connected with nine lines to depict the constellation Leo, as shown.

Across

- 1 Abstract artist took her drawing error badly (6)
- 5 Doctor set up brim of basket (5)
- 10 Vandal cuts endless moulds off the wall (6)
- 11 Metropolitan escarp (*not* escarpment) with dome (6)
- 13 Cream nailed groove at start of record (6, hyph)
- 14 Slip by kicking heels of pair of Wellingtons (4)
- 16 Gateman buoyed by a caravan of birds (5)
- 17 Acquit criminal charged with acting like a shark (7)
- 18 Fashion model's right to take off eyesore? (4)
- 19 Patronage bans European before start of match, revealing discrimination (5)
- 21 Reminder to post viral image by noon (6)
- 23 Cough in middle of section about plant (6)
- 24 Notice first sign of rotting boards on deck (5)
- 26 Barbarian's unwelcome buildup in trap (4)
- 28 Active titan exercises by running and swimming (7)
- 30 I chant, covering us in liquid from holy vessel (5)
- 31 Hard seed has certain appeal for songbird (4)
- 33 Spare nap in Edinburgh, dressed in t (6)
- 34 Cause angler's line to get knot back east (6)
- 35 Privy backed up by fat cut of honorific garland (6)
- 36 Glimmer of emerald seen in treasures—little ones kept in pouch (5)
- 37 Duck moved owing to Gulf site not having perch (6)

Down

- 1 Cryptic hint to make pop band cake soaked in alcohol (6, 2 words)
- 2 Cognizant of metaphysics branch? Not half (4)
- 3 Finished having dialogue about cast (7)
- 4 Knight in Gaul prepared to become one, perhaps (5)
- 5 Silly scrubs college ought to provide doctor (5)
- 6 Individual prior to a piercing chose to be sedated (7)
- 7 Where to store film cutter: where film's honoured (3)
- 8 Scaled killer peak near a ski resort at last (5)
- 9 Native American footwear worn by small baby (6)
- 12 Fleece coats unravel, being uncovered in drawer (6)
- 15 Old ghost of Rome reported in capital (4)
- 19 Shrub with berry and a hedge around (6)
- 20 Crafty interns deface shirt fashionably (7)
- 21 Isle natives cross Vietnam in UPS rockets (4)
- 22 Prince doubles in three-beat carter in Cape Town (7)
- 23 Scottish sir in trouble with gunmen (6)
- 25 It gets name in ballot box successively (6, 2 words)
- 27 Beast that's the same when having caught Eros? (5)
- 28 Princess vaguely sees at least four daggers? (5)
- 29 In the context of making score, every attack falls short (5)
- 32 Aviation org invested in upgrading amino acids (4)
- 33 Acceptable to gain bit of extra weight in Turkey (3)

Answer	Explanation	Extra letter
ROTHKO	(TOOK HER – E)*	
MOCOCK	MO + COCK	
UNHUNG	HUN in [f]UNG[i]	
EPARCH	ESCARP – SCAR + ARCH	
LEAD-IN	NAILED*	
BOOBOO	BOO[t] + BOO[t]	
AVIAN	I in A + VAN	
AQUATIC	A in ACQUIT*	
STYE	STYLE – L	
AGISM	AEGIS – E + M	
MEMENTO	TO after (MEME + N)	
SCHEMA	HEM in (S + CA)	PLAN(T)
ADORN	AD + (R in ON)	
NATATION	(A TITAN)* + ON	
ICHOR	I CHORUS – US	
PIPIT	PIT + IT	
OTIOSE	OOSE around TI	TI(E)
RANKLE	(L + KNAR)< + E	ANG(L)ER
VALLAR	LAV< + LAR[d]	
JOEYS	E in JOYS	
WIGEON	OWING* around (SITE – SIT)	
RUM BABA	Cryptic hint for “ABBA”	
ONTO	ONTO[logy]	
THROUGH	“THREW”	CAST(E)
KNELT	N in KELT	
MEDIC	COMEDIC – CO	DOCTOR(S)
OPIATED	(I + A) in OPTED	
CAN	“CANNES”	(C)UTTER
KRAIT	Ending letters	
SHOSHONE	SHOE around (S + HON)	
CRAYON	CON around [f]RAY	
LIMA	“LEMUR”	ROME(O)
ACACIA	(ACAI) + A around C	
SMARTLY	SLY around (MAR + T)	
MANX	(X + NAM)<	U(P)S
TRIPPLE	TRIPLE with two Ps	
STIRRA	STIR + RA	
IN TURN	(N in IT) + URN	
RHINO	Same as RHINOCEROS	
DIESES	DI + SEES*	
ASSAI	ASSAI[L]	(E)VERY
ICAO	aminO ACIDs <	
OKE	OK + E	
MENTORS	MONSTER*	
CANARD	CANAR(Y -> D)	
DANDIES	ALL is in D AND IES in DALLIES	
TERNI	(IN RE + T)<	
MOHAIR	H in (MO + AIR)	
SIGNAL	(LANG IS)<	
TAIPAN	IPA in TAN	