

## ACROSS

- 1 Conveying news (9)
- 8 Look slyly (4)
- 9 Man-made orbiting spacecraft (9)
- 10 Long adventure film (4)
- 13 Twitch (5)
- 16 Queen's favourite breed of dog (5)
- 17 Drive forward (5)
- 18 Protect (5)
- 19 Canine restraint (5)
- 20 Marvellous (5)
- 21 Form of a verb indicating time (5)
- 24 Involving bloodshed (4)
- 27 Tool container at the rear of a bicycle (9)
- 28 Boy children (4)
- 29 Please do! (2,2,5)

## DOWN

- 2 Test of knowledge (4)
- 3 Sign of future events (4)
- 4 Brightly coloured spring flower (5)
- 5 Units of music (5)
- 6 Pimiento (3,6)
- 7 Conjecture (9)
- 11 Environmental expert (9)
- 12 Fail to maintain solidarity (5,4)
- 13 Ability to perceive with the eyes (5)
- 14 A further time (5)
- 15 Gnat-like fly (5)
- 22 Shirk (5)
- 23 Unfortunately (5)
- 25 List of available dishes (4)
- 26 Sewer-dwelling rodents (4)

