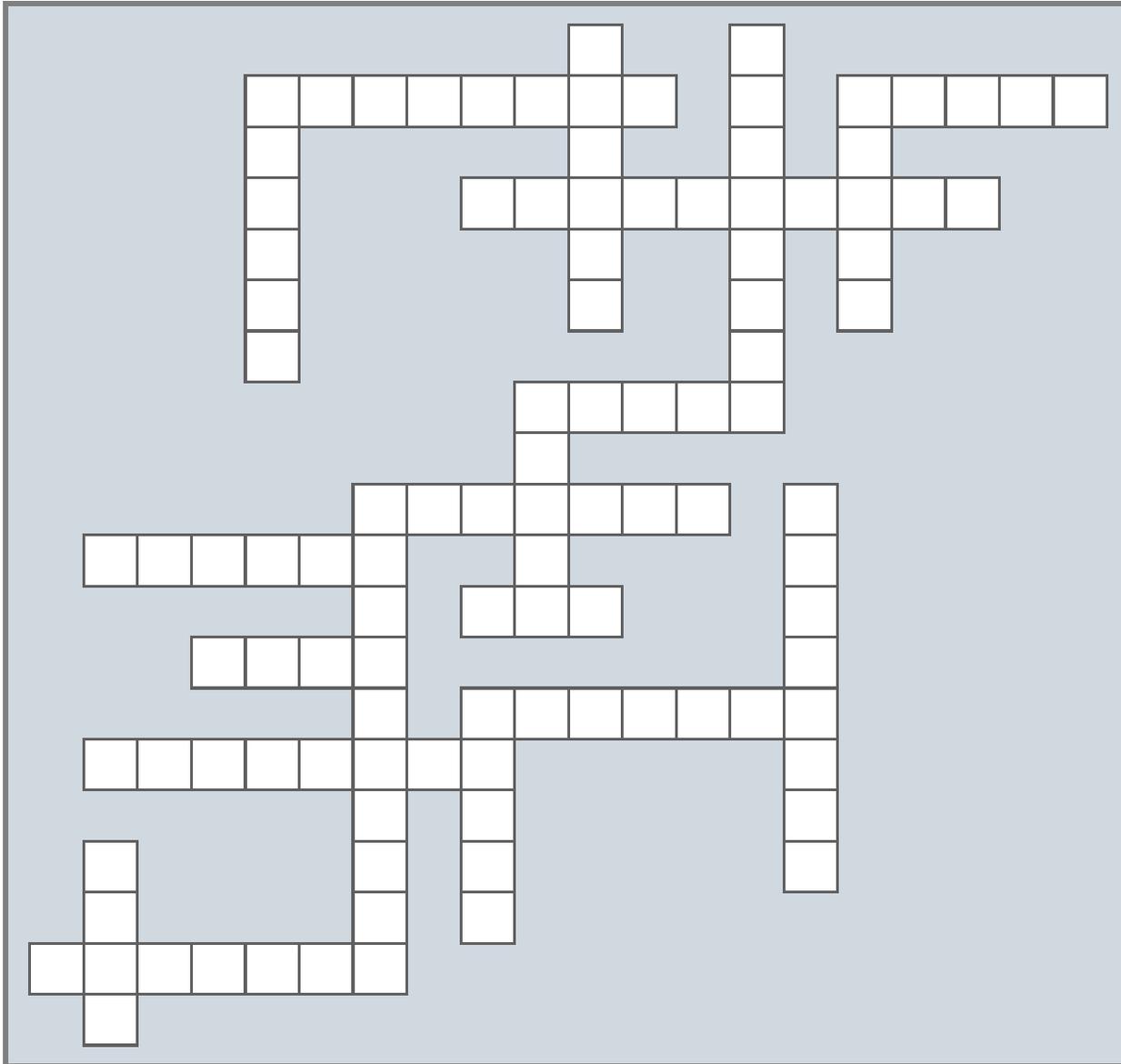


## Crossword Puzzle

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### Striking Words Crossword Puzzle 11-19-2015





## Crossword Clues

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### Across

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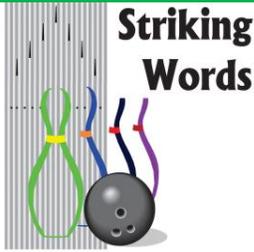
3. Same thing as drifting, moving the approach path to the right or left of the target line as the ball is delivered, instead of staying on line. (8)
4. A synonym for a messenger pin. (5)
5. The distance in boards between the position of the sliding foot (when preparing to begin the delivery) and the laydown point on the lane at delivery. (10)
6. Another name for coverstock, the outer portion of a bowling ball containing the weight block and filler. (5)
7. A tenpin bowling score without handicap. (7)
9. Said of lanes lacking sufficient lane conditioner. (6)
10. The group or series of games comprising a league session or block of games in a tournament. (3)
11. Anticipated ranking based on how well a player has done in the past season. (4)
12. A spare leave where one pin is located directly behind the other, for example, the 8-pin directly behind the 2-pin. (7)
13. A bowler that has six strikes in a row has a six-pack. (8)
15. Another word for barmaid, double wood, sleeper, bicycle, man in the bedroom and so on. (7)

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### Down

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1. A term used by Dr. John O'Dell indicating that a bowler has chosen his ball and its drilling pattern to produce a sharp break rather than a smooth arc. (6)
2. Synonym for messenger, a pin that skitters across the pin deck and takes out other pins. (8)
3. A description of a ball surface, polished or waxed or a pearl surface. (6)
4. A lane condition that is oily, i.e., there is excess lane conditioner on the lane. (5)
6. A railroad, the 4-6 leave, a so-called impossible split. Also called Dracula's Teeth. (5)
7. A bowler who intentionally keeps his average low early in season in order to have extra handicap later. (10)
8. Reputedly, in the U.S. Southwest, a name for four strikes in a row. (8)
12. If a ball is skidding too far before hooking it is said to be skating. (5)
14. A bowling ball delivery. (4)



## Crossword Key

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### Across

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3. **SLANTING**—Same thing as drifting, moving the approach path to the right or left of the target line as the ball is delivered, instead of staying on line.
4. **SCOUT**—A synonym for a messenger pin.
5. **SEPARATION**—The distance in boards between the position of the sliding foot (when preparing to begin the delivery) and the laydown point on the lane at delivery.
6. **SHELL**—Another name for coverstock, the outer portion of a bowling ball containing the weight block and filler.
7. **SCRATCH**—A tenpin bowling score without handicap.
9. **SAHARA**—Said of lanes lacking sufficient lane conditioner.
10. **SET**—The group or series of games comprising a league session or block of games in a tournament.
11. **SEED**—Anticipated ranking based on how well a player has done in the past season.
12. **SLEEPER**—A spare leave where one pin is located directly behind the other, for example, the 8-pin directly behind the 2-pin.
13. **SIX-PACK**—A bowler that has six strikes in a row has a six-pack.
15. **SOLDIER**—Another word for barmaid, double wood, sleeper, bicycle, man in the bedroom and so on.

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1. **SNAPPY**—A term used by Dr. John O'Dell indicating that a bowler has chosen his ball and its drilling pattern to produce a sharp break rather than a smooth arc.
2. **SHRAPNEL**—Synonym for messenger, a pin that skitters across the pin deck and takes out other pins.
3. **SHINEY**—A description of a ball surface, polished or waxed or a pearl surface.
4. **SLICK**—A lane condition that is oily, i.e., there is excess lane conditioner on the lane.
6. **SHAKE**—A railroad, the 4-6 leave, a so-called impossible split. Also called Dracula's Teeth.
7. **SANDBAGGER**—A bowler who intentionally keeps his average low early in season in order to have extra handicap later.
8. **SOMBRERO**—Reputedly, in the U.S. Southwest, a name for four strikes in a row.
12. **SKATE**—If a ball is skidding too far before hooking it is said to be skating.
14. **SHOT**—A bowling ball delivery.