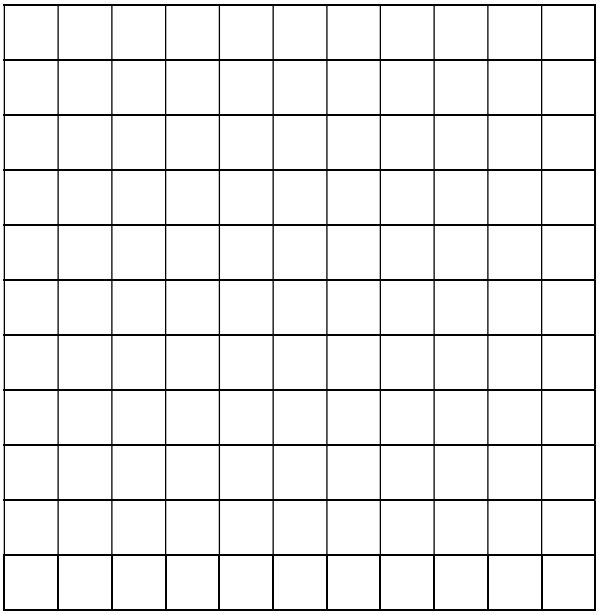
Puzzle #1 – June 2001 "Welcome to Puzzlecrypt"

Instructions: Guess the words defined by the cryptic clues (words vary in length from three to nine letters), then enter them in the grid one after another in the same order as their clues, starting in the upper left corner. Across words that don't end at the right margin continue on the next line below. Down words that don't end at the bottom margin continue in the next column to the right. Answers include four proper names.



Across

1. We arrive with start of lively greeting
2. Damage zero, with state accord
3. Enliven bird partner
4. Irritating ass rub produces little sacs
5. Baseball teams dressed to this?
6. Dash! Ungulate has no tail
7. Fool gets point around end of April
8. After second, a degree of sorts
9. Break instrument with tellurium
10. Run away with electronic gait
11. If rains messed up islands . . .
12. The terrible one with wagon
13. Holder of article in shelter
14. Look at that boil
15. Caress bird model
16. Carhop carries letter
17. Cylinder movement side to side
18. Impudent tykes crazy about redhead
19. Leave out nothing at tech school
20. What's left of Libra
21. Using ill, including error in spirit
22. Seaweeds a gale stirred up

Down

1. Did Will say "xylem"?
2. Bug gone astray following track
3. Devour bird
4. Putting me in sacred setting gets ugly
5. If terns shattered glass . . .
6. Indian in main cabin
7. Speak about a way in love
8. No right to share of magical liquids
9. Music critic downs wild lion
10. Book of records in protein
11. Unlimited flash before Vegas
12. Map titan
13. Express time reversal
14. Explosive holds one in color
15. "Habla, habla" confines drivel
16. Myrmecophage to pay up altered rate
17. Winged article behind schedule
18. Women layers
19. Pealed orange core
20. Elastic tire lines
21. Arch of canary's head color
22. Direct line of poetry in Old English