

Solution to Puzzle #119 – April, 2011 "Avram"

B	U	T	A	R	D	P	L	A	S	M
A	S	T	M	I	E	L	U	S	T	Y
T	E	N	I	S	R	E	B	E	C	S
I	T	E	N	E	C	A	R	R	O	T
O	R	R	A	N	A	H	O	N	O	R
N	O	A	M	C	H	O	M	S	K	Y
D	I	N	A	R	E	S	U	M	E	P
E	N	T	N	E	S	T	D	A	N	E
R	V	E	T	W	E	E	D	C	A	R
I	E	S	R	O	A	D	E	L	C	I
T	S	T	A	R	S	C	R	A	T	H

The omitted letters (in parentheses in the list below) spell  
**SYNTACTIC STRUCTURES**

**Across**

1. BU(S)TARD
2. PLASMA
3. ST(Y)MIE
4. LUSTY
5. TE(N)NIS
6. REBEC
7. SITE
8. NEC(T)AR
9. ROTOR
10. RANA
11. HONOR
12. **NOAM CHOMSKY**
13. DI(A)NA
14. RESUME
15. PENT
16. NEST
17. DAN(C)ER
18. VET
19. (T)WEED
20. CARIES
21. ROAD
22. EL(I)CIT
23. STAR
24. SCRAT(C)H

**Down**

1. BA(S)TION
2. DE(T)RITUS
3. (R)ETRO
4. INVEST
5. T(U)NER
6. ANTE
7. STAMINA
8. MANTRA
9. RISEN
10. CREW
11. ORDER
12. CA(C)HE
13. SEAS
14. PLEA
15. HOSTED
16. CLUB
17. ROM
18. UDDER
19. AS(T)ERN
20. S(U)MAC
21. LAST
22. C(R)OOK
23. ENACT
24. MYST(E)RY
25. PERI(S)H

Kevin Wald solved the puzzle in 40 minutes.