

## Guest Puzzle #72 – April 2018 "Polo Matches" (by Arthur Schless)

**Instructions:** Guess the words defined by the cryptic clues (answers vary in length from three to eleven letters; seven are capitalized, two are acronyms, one is foreign, and one is an abbreviation,) 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 continue on the next row, and down words that don't end at the bottom continue in the next column. Six across words and eight down words won't fit in the grid unless one of their letters is removed. Those fourteen letters, taken in order as they occur in across and down words, spell the name of a person related to the mystery entries. (Note that the grid for this puzzle has 12 rows and 10 columns.)

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**Across**

1. *Mystery entry*
2. Sheet Natalie fabricated includes metal
3. Honor exalted Ben, Leon
4. Distance race's range and quality will lead to intoxication
5. Upheaval of some sleep in hilltop
6. Warning: Einstein's no bachelor
7. Aunt trolling for fish
8. Subject filed incorrectly
9. Fatty tissue's appeal with a bit of thyme
10. Distribute some of shallots
11. Flock or herd moving around circle
12. Claim line is crooked
13. Lettuce: more in a mélange
14. Nightclub bacteria purged without iodine
15. Former sovereign state was part of guard
16. Break heart of Boston's hockey team
17. Look of brood in which 500 becomes 1000
18. Author uses incorrect sign
19. Kelly enshrouded in strangeness
20. Disassent involves back talk
21. Hairy fabric allowed by court law
22. Astaire takes a step
23. Level of simple sound

**Down**

1. *Mystery entry*
2. Concentrated rum becomes heavy
3. Involve in late rearrangement
4. Use attar freely to waterlog
5. Serious eastern blowout
6. Time of boredom becomes minutes of agency
7. Instrument of necessitarianism
8. Tutee loses final card game
9. Agency of two Americas
10. Empty container retired with broken lab tureen
11. Poor Peter's taking one break
12. Patricia's unhealthy lean
13. Vicar usually embraced Greek flyer
14. Vegetable disclosure reported
15. Emil's broken beam
16. Faust touring Austria briefly
17. Brothers of Warren Muck
18. One odd period of time
19. Bovine again functioning
20. Record of Coulter and Capp
21. Strangers surrounding Bulgarian town
22. Look of renovated loge