

Solution to Puzzle #111 – August, 2010 "Don't Miss a Trick"

S	P	A	D	E	D	O	E	N	T	C
L	O	R	E	N	S	N	A	R	E	L
A	T	I	N	O	M	A	R	E	P	U
N	T	S	E	D	E	R	G	L	I	B
D	O	A	R	E	T	O	R	A	E	G
I	S	N	O	T	R	U	M	P	T	R
A	C	E	N	O	I	S	E	S	H	A
M	A	N	A	R	C	A	D	E	I	D
O	L	T	R	E	B	L	E	S	H	I
N	E	R	A	R	A	S	P	P	E	N
D	P	I	T	O	R	H	E	A	R	T

The omitted letters (in parentheses in the list below) spell
CONTRACT BRIDGE

Across

1. **SPADE**
2. DO(C)ENT
3. C(O)LOR
4. ENSNARE
5. LATINO
6. MARE
7. PUNT
8. SEDER
9. GLIB
10. DO(N)A
11. RETOR(T)
12. AEGIS
13. **NO TRUMP**
14. TRACE
15. NOISE
16. SHAMAN
17. ARCADE
18. IDOL
19. TREBLE
20. SHINER
21. A(R)RAS
22. (A)PPEND
23. PI(C)TOR
24. **HEART**

Down

1. SLAN(T)
2. **DIAMOND**
3. POTTO
4. SCALE
5. PARIS
6. ANENT
7. (B)RIDE
8. NERO
9. NA(R)RATE
10. NODE
11. TORE
12. RODS
13. METRIC
14. BARON
15. AROUSAL
16. SHEAR
17. GR(I)ME
18. DEPEN(D)
19. RELAPSE
20. SPATE
21. PIET
22. HI(G)HER
23. **CLUB**
24. GRADI(E)NT

Kevin Wald solved the puzzle in 30 minutes.