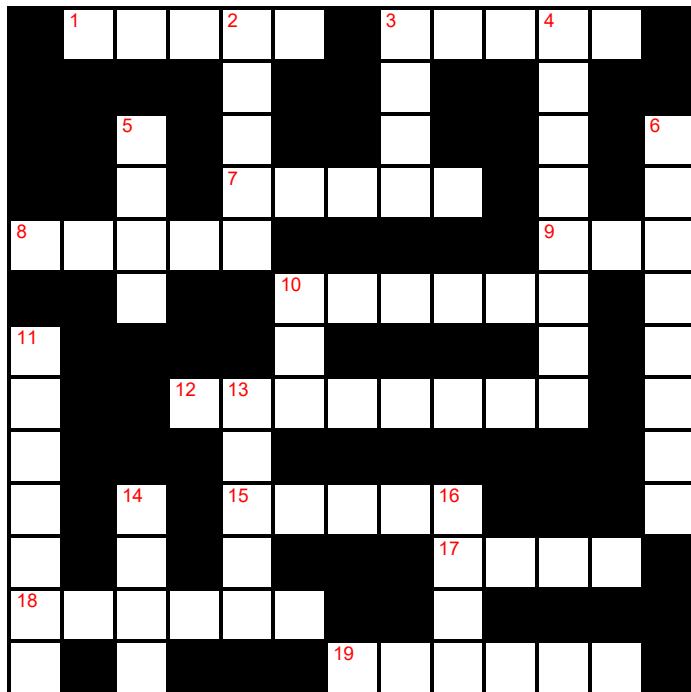


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Across

- 1 A formal contest in which two or more persons or teams compete. (5)
- 3 A bat without any covering. (5)
- 7 An unbroken sequence of several successive strokes. (5)
- 8 A ball landing near the net. (5)
- 9 Six inches high strip of netting dividing the table into two equal parts. (3)
- 10 A ball with a great deal of spin. (6)
- 12 A type of player who attempts to kill almost every ball. (8)
- 15 The bat is held in front of the ball with little

movement at the point of contact. (5)

- 17 Acronym for International Table Tennis Federation. (4)

18 User of the loop until the ball pops up enough to kill. (6)

- 19 A return made by hitting the ball before it bounces. (6)

Down

- 2 A specially marked area within which a game is played. (5)
- 3 Made of celluloid or similar plastic material (38 mm in diameter and weighing 2.5 gms). (4)
- 4 Such player pushes, chops,

blocks and tries to force his opponent to make a mistake. (8)

- 5 A long sweeping upward motion that just grazes the ball and puts tremendous spin on it. (4)

6 When the serve hits the net and lands on the opposite side. (3,5)

- 10 A serve that strikes the net before falling into the receiver's court; the ball must be served again. (3)

11 Being disqualified from a game or match. (7)

- 13 Nine feet long and five feet wide with playing surface at a height of 2 feet, 6 inches above the

floor. (5)

- 14 To force the opponent to hit the ball into the net. (4)

16 The fastest possible shot that is almost impossible to return. (4)