



**Zip Code** | a cryptic puzzle by Emily Cox & Henry Rathvon

In this grid the letter O always shares a square with a different letter from the crossing word. Use the Os to circle their companion letters and then read the circled letters column by column from left to right to show where to place the zip code for a relevant delivery. The code itself is hidden in five Across clues as otherwise superfluous letter sequences. Enter those sequences in the central squares, in clue order, to confirm the delivery's locale.

**Across**

- 1 Sort of reddish gold glow (6)
- 5 Pioneer having illuminated nature (7)
- 10 Bananas sprouted in reserve (6,2)
- 11 Name in Genesis, first of Exodus and Numbers (4)
- 12 One of the NFL teams: it dressed in brown shades (6)
- 13 Bear I captured by camera (6)
- 14 Center coil newly implemented by computer (10)
- 16 Each street passes fencing in the Malay Archipelago (4,6)
- 17 Wolf leg Bob reset (6)
- 18 Daddy eats a yellow fruit with black seeds (6)

- 22 Indian goddess's opening of escape hatch (6)
- 25 His event began badly, almost failing (6)
- 27 Breath reeking, do a tune about tea party member (10)
- 30 Ted has some awfully fat worms (10)
- 31 Feature on a shoe to walk backwards (3,3)
- 32 Absurd art gag of ill-sorted elements (6)
- 33 Crew members uttered some choice words? (4)
- 34 Team's pic shot where pitchers work? (8)
- 35 Bob, Fifi vexed hornets (7)
- 36 Heavy grassland home to lions (6)

**Down**

- 1 A juice ingredient connected with starfish (8)
- 2 Lack of any point after the first service (7)
- 3 Data units rearranged by set (5)
- 4 Split a large Airbnb offering (6)
- 5 Rock measures of Cream heard (6)
- 6 Pang in airway conveying a painful condition (6)
- 7 First Latin II exercises (7)
- 8 Snare piece facing the wrong way (4)
- 9 One affirmative answer inside another makes a pair? (5)
- 15 Getting along the slanted top of a wall (6)
- 16 Stone Age relic the oil damaged (6)
- 19 No danger converting male hormone (8)
- 20 Dodgers hail returning Reds pitching (7)
- 21 Heart-shaped, as a leaf, heart of artichoke or fruit of a palm (7)
- 23 Line of Scottish monarchs beginning around Uther's birth? (6)
- 24 Greek islander retired in eighty-six (6)
- 26 Recorded disc with New Testament copy (2,4)
- 27 Liquid asset more than suffices (5)
- 28 Fluid-to-air proportion (5)
- 29 What ultimately holds back the Beehive State (4)

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