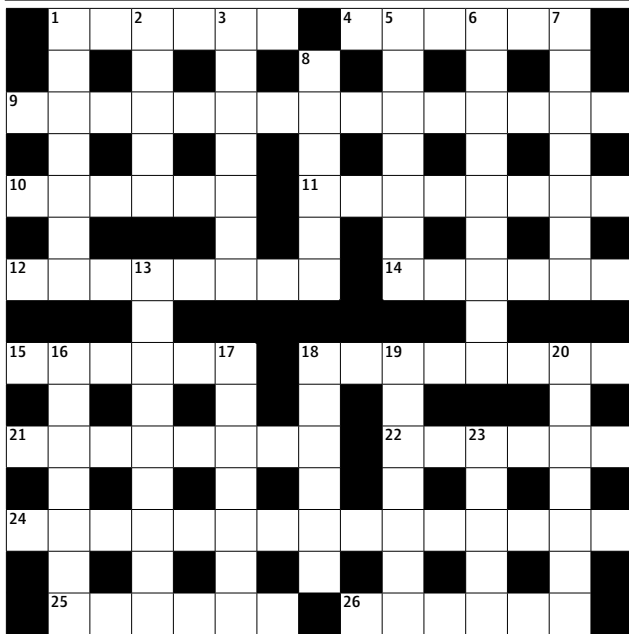


# Guardian cryptic crossword



No 25,415 set by Chifonie

## Across

- 1 Bishop, a laconic wit, makes one rock (6)
- 4 Long to have an architectural feature (6)
- 9 9 or 10 (3,4,3,5)
- 10 Bowled before game gets tight (6)
- 11 Suffering to grasp edge of plant (8)
- 12 Show recent changes in gym (8)
- 14 Clear the French weed (6)
- 15 Roué's demolished éclair, finally getting more tart (6)
- 18 Swap urban myth for wisdom (8)
- 21 Supplement, if it included cocaine, would be habit-forming (8)
- 22 It's a certainty sovereign lacks good table linen (6)
- 24 Imprisoned owing to sentence made at the critical moment (2,3,4,2,4)
- 25 Boy and girl becoming pretentious (2-2-2)
- 26 Article covered by bolt is a washer (6)

## Down

- 1 Incompetent musician stifles note (7)
- 2 Bearing solicitor's drink (5)

- 3 Prevaricated to have a rest (3-4)
- 5 I answer differently when put under oath (5,2)
- 6 Foolish when keeping mum? That's colloquial! (9)
- 7 Let Noah produce mood-modifying drug (7)
- 8 Calm after having drinks in A&E (2,4)
- 13 Water I discarded is contaminated (9)
- 16 Service book for German Standards spoken about (7)
- 17 Was in power and stoical when son left (7)
- 18 Drawing a small boat (6)
- 19 Died in lagoon swimming from boat (7)
- 20 Implement used in garden? It's in better order! (7)
- 23 The importance of receiving Tory manifesto (5)

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