

Solution to Puzzle #209 — November 2018 "Hooha"

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

The omitted letters (in parentheses in the list below) spell
TOMFOOLERY

Across

1. BROUHAHA
2. SEVERE
3. RENO
4. MEDE
5. (T)RICE
6. (O)RATOR
7. CREEL
8. COME
9. REACT
10. RIOT
11. (M)ELANIA
12. SHENANIGANS
13. LONELY
14. CAMP
15. TOOT
16. LOOM
17. ROOST
18. DE(F)ENDER
19. TOUCAN
20. ARENA
21. ORLAND(O)
22. FOLDEROL

Down

1. BERETS
2. L(O)OT
3. CARRIER
4. HOOD
5. ANO(L)E
6. CLIENT
7. ENDURE
8. CONE
9. LEAF
10. HERO
11. TALON
12. ROAN
13. AMEN
14. YODEL
15. HOTEL
16. IC(E)
17. MEND
18. AMOR
19. AGAR
20. RA(R)E
21. SERENA
22. MOTORED
23. CAIN
24. POOR
25. OVERCAST
26. SULL(Y)

Kevin Wald solved the puzzle in 16 minutes.

"Hooaha" solvers

The first ten are listed in the order their solutions were received, the others alphabetically.

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