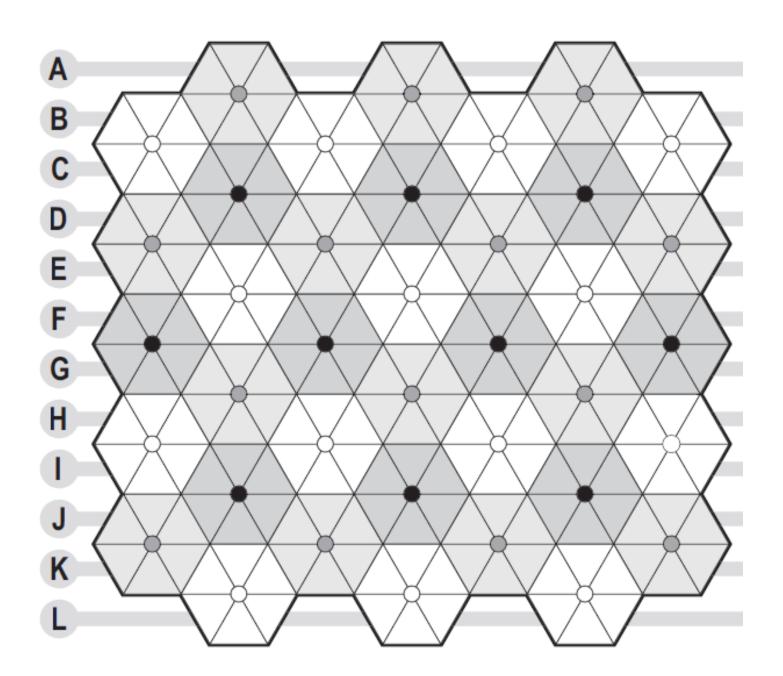
Non-Mandering Monster Cable

The Sokobard heard that there was a present waiting for them in a mysterious flower garden, but they got into some rows while exploring.





ANSWER: _

ROWS

- A Able to be prevented
- B Organization that opposes
 James Bond
 Turner or Del Rey
 - -mo

Standing yoga pose

- Virginia governor Ralph
 Judas Iscariot, for a while
 Moved or spoke awkwardly
- D One of four of the Apocalypse
 Element number 27
 Not prepared
- E Word before ball or case
 Statement of beliefs
 Plant of the parsley family
 Clue
- F "Congratulations!" (2 wds.)
 Operative (2 wds.)
 It travels at 1,125 feet per second
- G Those who give things form
 Golf accessory
 Separate or remove, as a perforated sheet (2 wds.)
 Special ____
- H "I'm ____" (series of animated shorts featuring Jiminy Cricket) (2 wds.)
 - ____ Day (the last Friday in

April, in the United States)

- Roll a natural 1, perhaps
- ____ *and Feelings* (album by The Doubleclicks)
- Brand of pain reliever
 Obama catchphrase (3 wds.)
 Playground retort (2 wds.)

- J Plentiful
 - Palace (Las Vegas casino) Cadillac coupe (2 wds.)
- K Fairy tale that Disney has filmed in both animated and live-action versions
 Goal-scoring Hamm
 Taking small bites
- L Having full knowledge of (2 wds.)

LIGHT BLOOMS

Juan and Eva of Argentina Anderson of *Baywatch* fame Shout (or author Saul) Made turbulent Whom the pot calls black Break a rule or principle Traveler's inexpensive lodging Goalkeeper Gianluigi Glasses-wearing Smurf Sandsmark, AKA Wonder Girl *High Times* subscriber, probably More vulgar Landlocked country in Africa Unruly mob

MEDIUM BLOOMS

Jump or dance excitedly Brand of bottled water What to shoot fish in? Detests Crabby astrological sign? Word after carpal or wind Delicate 2012 film where Bruce Willis and Joseph Gordon-Levitt play the same character Space rock Forever Product of two consecutive integers (also known as oblong or heteromecic) One who gets rung up Middle Eastern bread? "Are you ?" (Dr. Scholls advertising line)

DARK BLOOMS

London's river Forbidden things Quantity or amount Word that Billy Batson shouts to become a superhero _____ Union (state that dissolved in 1991) Open-topped glass flask Imperial units of weight "_____ little children, and forbid them not, to come unto me" (KJV, Matthew 19:14) Teeter-totter Brand of eye drops that "gets the red out"

HELPFUL INFORMATION

HOW TO SOLVE A ROWS GARDEN

Answers go into a Rows Garden puzzle in two ways:

ROWS are clued in order from left to right, using the lettered markers to indicate each Row. There is more than one answer clued consecutively in each Row, except for Rows A and L which each have one answer (totaling nine letters, ignoring the spaces between those hexagons).

BLOOMS are all six letters long. Blooms read either clockwise or counterclockwise around one of the shaded hexagons in the grid corresponding to their type ("Light", "Medium", or "Dark"). The starting space and orientation of each Bloom answer is left for you to determine. (At Standard difficulty, the Bloom clues are given in the order in which their answers appear in the puzzle, reading from left to right and top to bottom. At Advanced difficulty, the Bloom clues are given in alphabetical order by clue and it's up to you to determine where to place each Bloom answer in the grid.)

Just like in a crossword puzzle, every letter in the grid is used twice, once in a Row answer and once in a Bloom answer. In general, solving a Rows Garden is a lot like solving a themeless crossword. Going back and forth between the Rows and the Blooms is helpful, since each Bloom shares three letters with each of the two Rows that it intersects.

HERE BE MONSTERS

After you have completed the grid, you must discover the hidden monsters that the Sokobard encountered as they explored the garden. The names of the monsters are clued below in alphabetical order.

Trophy 1: In ROW J, there is a creature that you might encounter in the Nine Hells (5 letters). Take all five of its letters, but you'll have to rearrange them.

Trophy 2: In ROW I, there is a Fury-ous creature from Greek mythology (7 letters). Take its first, second, and fifth letters in order.

Trophy 3: In ROW K, there is a mythical monster with the torso of a woman and the body of a snake (5 letters). Take its fourth letter, its fifth letter, and then its first letter.

Trophy 4: In ROW B, there is a ghostly undead creature (7 letters). Take its first four letters in order.

If you have stolen the correct letters from each of the lurking monsters, you should be able to reorder the four trophies and figure out what the Sokobard found. Your final answer is two words.