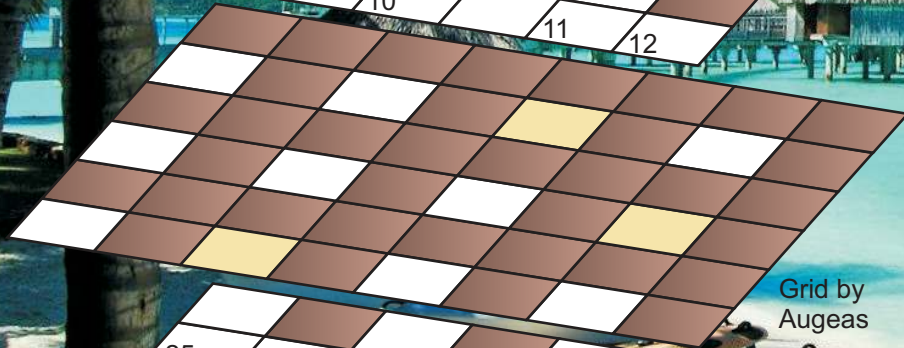
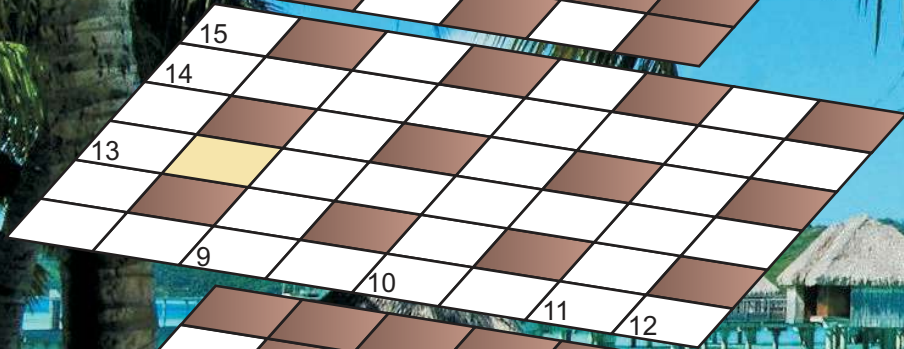
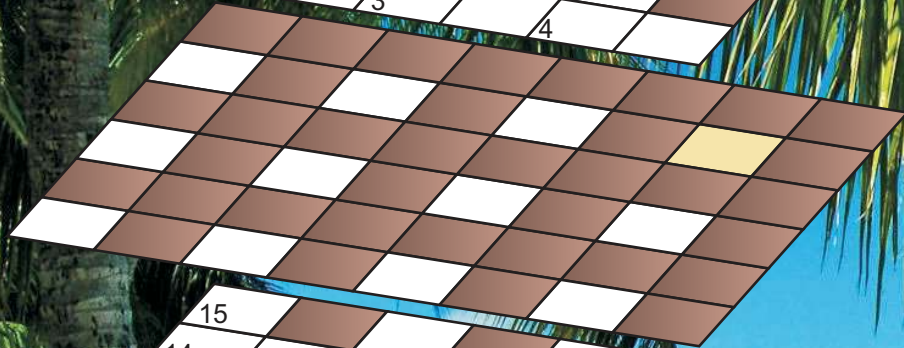
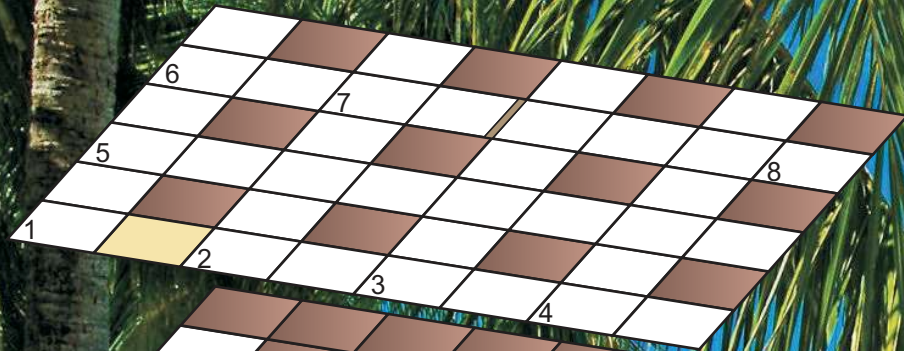


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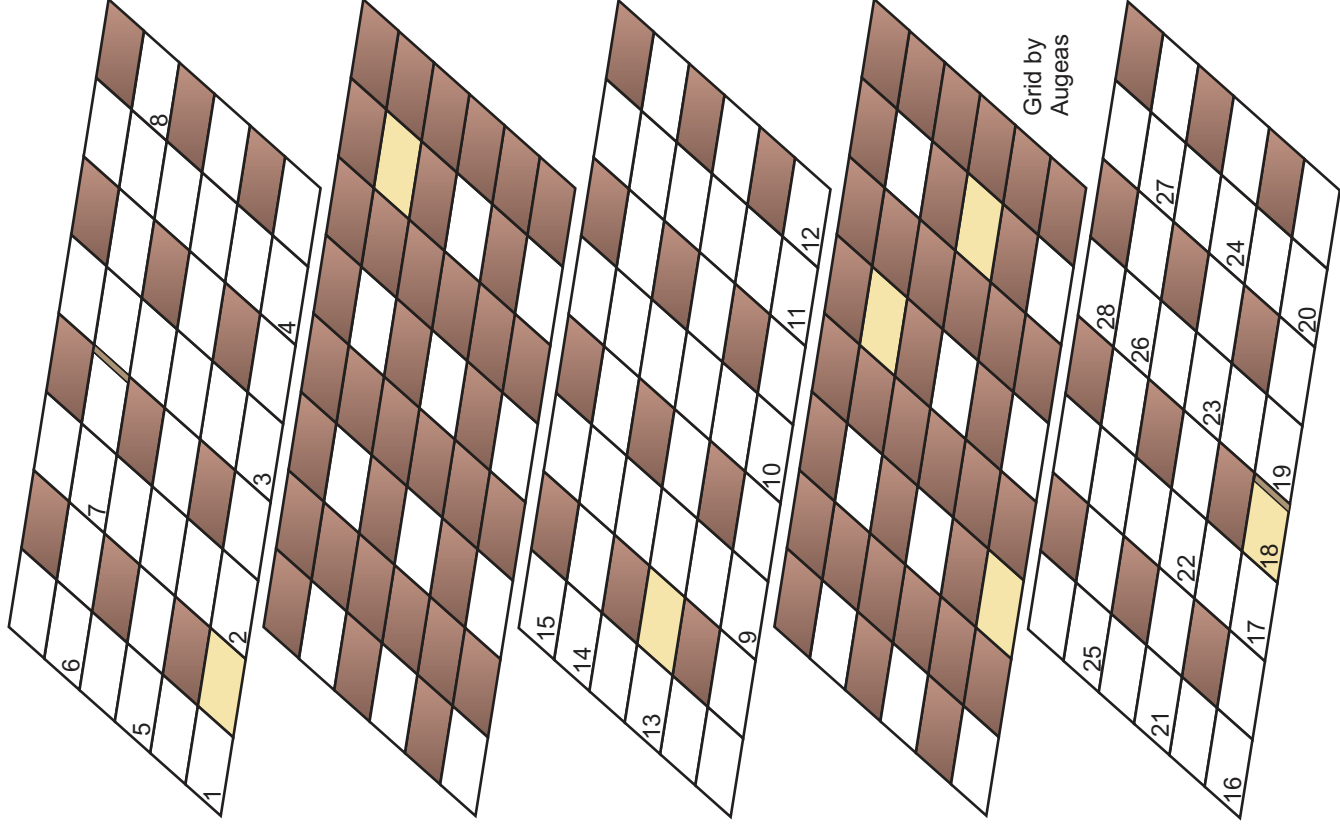
Noting a 75th anniversary.

Seven asterisked lights are members of a chain of eight. They are clued by including a mixture of their letters occurring together somewhere in the clue but have no definition. The highlighted cells provide an anagram of the eighth member, whose name should be written below the completed grid.

Clues are presented in alphabetical order of their solutions.

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| | | | 1 _{11aw} Wear down a hair band from the sound of it (6) | 2 _{17aw} Supporters b— off for cash (6) | 3 _{23up} Bambi's mum was at the back in the glen (5) | 4 _{17up} Mother Teresa was, ignoring Scotsman, an English saint (5) |
| 5 _{26up} Luthier in dramatic circumstances (5) | 6 _{9aw} Mix clay with water – messy bungle (6) | 7 _{13ac} Jackie was once followed by small dogs (8) | 8 _{12ba} Maybe Dr Lecter had toff in passage (8) | 9 _{15to} Type of conflict commemorated here – madly go ballistic without it (sic) (6) | 10 _{1aw} American refuge returns plunder – hurrah! (6) | 11 _{28to*} *The cricketers left India a whitewashed side (6) |
| 12 _{1d} Greeting 50 in chopper (5) | 13 _{1ac} City's near disastrous 29-10 defeat (8) | 14 _{7d} Mightier embrace Queen (5) | 15 _{19ac} Empress has sons – mischievous ones (4) | 16 _{27up} Confused din in Iowa – could it be heard from here, half a world away? (5) | 17 _{18ba,16aw*} *Tribesmen make wool hats for the tourist trade (9) | 18 _{22up*} * When called to speak I automatically stammer (5) |
| 19 _{3aw} Perhaps Oddjob loses crown of bowler replaced by M's predecessor – for young Connery maybe (6) | 20 _{14ac} Latecomers returning in pairs drag gals (8) | 21 _{3d*} *I wear a red bandana like this (5) | 22 _{24up} Elgar's variation – great! (5) | 23 _{4aw} Southern general with freedom of action and room to manoeuvre (6) | 24 _{21ac} Worthy of being positively regarded on Facebook – as if clever (8) | 25 _{8ba*} *The oldest puma in the Delhi zoo has died (4) |
| 26 _{2aw} Red Rum's cries – what Walton's on, we hear (6) | 27 _{10aw*} *The cricketers left Mumbai in a hurry (6) | 28 _{6ac*} *Tea house of the August moon (4) | 29 _{20up} Frosted type – she's a prized example (5) | 30 _{20aw} Trashy fiction – it might be denounced from here (6) | 31 _{5d} Head of lager follows frothy beer revolt (5) | 32 _{5ac} Seasonal draught animal, "rhodorhinate" perhaps? (8) |
| 33 _{25up} Hood lawyer sent down concealing zapper (5) | 34 _{25ac} Muddled fair warning: no mixed gin - it thins the blood (8) | | | | | |

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