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crossword puzzle by Christopher Shaw

Across
1. Mathematica operator
5. Crush
10. Plato may have walked in one
14. Slide—
15. Whales
17. Opener in a group setting?
19. Sluice gate, e.g.
20. One of a standard ten
21. Long ___ of the law
24. McCourt memoir
25. Signs of doom
27. Set of two
29. A la ___
33. ___ Tecnica, source of tech reviews
34. Lug
36. Consumer, of sorts
38. Pythagorean setting
43. Literally, it means "to God"
44. Teen’s tablet
46. Compendium of psyc. disorders
48. Species voiced by Jack Black in an animated film from 2008
51. How many vertices a circle has
52. Drink from a bowl, as a cat
54. Blvd. alternative
56. Suture
57. Strict ending?
58. Fiery morsel
63. Focus about which forces are equalized
68. Conscripts, as a servant
69. Word with bright or right
70. Two-legged attack vehicle employed on Endor
71. Save, as a variable
72. Penalize, as for missing work

Down
1. icm.org, for instance
2. "A Boy Named ___"
3. Ferrell title role
4. Emeritus faculty, e.g.: Abbr.
5. European language group
6. Almost first lady ___ Heinz Kerry
7. No longer worried by
8. New
9. Livery spread
10. Boat pronoun
11. Traditional royal assistant
12. Many layered things
13. Burden carriers
16. "Comin’ ___ the Rye"
18. Seed
21. Super Bowl draw, for some
22. Rhine tributary
23. It was once French Sudan
26. Word with error or victory
28. Conquistador Vasco
30. Old show
31. Mai ___
32. Zeta theta link
35. Mathematics thesis result, perhaps
37. Terminus
39. Nib
40. Informal academic gathering
41. Landlocked Asian land
42. Coastal flier
45. Wood used for bowmaking
46. Wouldn’t dream of
47. Acts unmercifully
49. Hot water
50. Disinclined
52. St. ___ (Caribbean isle)
53. ___ and now
55. Pitcher’s stat.
59. Liberal ___ college
60. Boxing matchup
61. Big ‘do
62. "Metamorphoses" poet
64. ___ Offensive
65. Union sealing proclamation
66. Gumshoe
67. Prattle