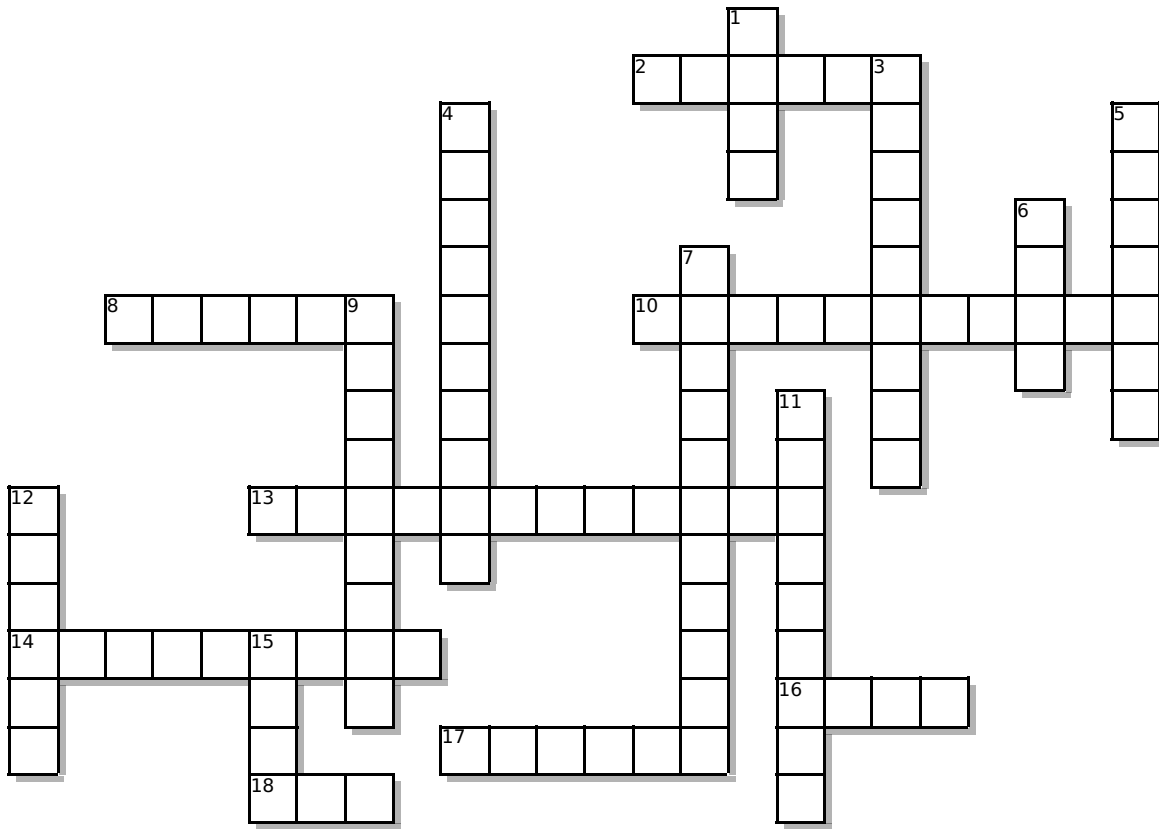


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ACROSS

- 2 Stems of this were used for basketmaking.
- 8 Village communal ploughs were often kept here.
- 10 The name of the field left empty to rest and regenerate.
- 13 Poet and agricultural writer who wrote verses giving farming advice for each month.
- 14 The process of beating gathered stalks to make them shed their grain.
- 16 Sheep weren't just kept for their wool, they also provided this.
- 17 This hand tool was used for harvesting grain.
- 18 The main animal raised for meat in Tudor times.

DOWN

- 1 This was grown for yarn.
- 3 The removal of chaff from the grain.
- 4 Farmers aimed to have grain processed and stored by this feast day.
- 5 The feast day which marked the beginning of farm work in earnest after the winter.
- 6 The animals used for pulling ploughs and carts in medieval and Tudor times.
- 7 The festival celebrated after the harvesting was done in September.
- 9 The process of breaking up earth or turning over the earth to cover sown seeds.
- 11 The feast day when animals were traditionally slaughtered before winter.
- 12 This long-handled tool was used for cutting hay.
- 15 This was grown to make rope and cords.

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