

Crossword by Alan Steele

Across

- 1 Thoroughbred's pace
- 5 Opposite of throwing
- 9 Steelers All-Pro safety
- 10 All-time home run leader for switch-hitters
- 11 Fourth on all-time hit list
- 12 Ms. Kournikova
- 13 Oriole who was MVP in both leagues
- 16 Hits to all fields
- 17 Of the highest degree
- 19 Like defending champs
- 22 NFL Network's Eisen
- 23 Sports section sites
- 25 Flyers Hall of Famer Bobby
- 26 Reds hitter holding single-season strikeout record
- 28 Evaluated
- 29 Better than birdies

Down

- 2 In the air
- 3 Lawn Tennis Association
- 4 "...buy me some _____ and cracker jacks..."
- 5 Auto racing flag
- 6 Takes a spill
- 7 Career extra-base hits leader
- 8 Pitched 12 career one-hitters
- 11 Season Ticket Renewal
- 14 Areas beyond the diamonds
- 15 Gehrig nickname
- 18 Connect locker rooms to playing fields
- 19 Destiny's child, Kelly
- 20 Properly positioned
- 21 Slang for fastball
- 24 Ground covered by a fielder
- 27 Reach for a throw in the dirt

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