



Dou shake your head, trying to regain focus and not get distracted by the words on the road. You continue your swerving, detouring around other cyclists and out of their field of view. You start finding your own actions amusing, because otherwise the road would have essentially been one straight stretch to sail down.

At the end of the road you take a left, following along the waterside. There's a nice breeze blowing, so you slow down a notch to enjoy the waters. You hear some singing attempts in the background, making you wonder where the music is coming from. You turn towards the direction of the music, but all you see is what looks like a pink balloon with a swirl on it, leaving you mystified.

The cycling has been a fun ride, and before long you reach the end of the road, entering into the next town. You haven't been to this town before but there's somewhere you've always wanted to go, so you start by asking around. You spot a woman not far from you, handing out fliers.

"Excuse me! Would you b-"

Without missing a beat, she hands you a flier while ignoring your question. Stupefied, you look down at the flier in your hand, but all that's on it is a bunch of shapes and words...



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**Across**

- 3** Arranges alternative, shredded clothing (4)
5 Stare curiously at weapon (5)
9 Ignoring leader to hang with saint yields anxious feeling (5)
13 Objects heartlessly to ringing sounds? (5)
14 Demoted leader of Hong Kong, say, for Roman art? (3)
16 Eyeing group in sheltered position (7)
17 Frozen princess ignores leader to get health food (1,1,1)
18 Something you might shake—revolutionary non-Newtonian fluid? (3)
20 Essentially desired a title (3)
21 Arranging in rows to draw circle (7)
23 Instrument scrubbed iodine for nuclear reactor? (4)
24 Rumoured successors have an haughty manner (4)
28 Wilder brat uncovered tip for BSc/BA student maybe? (10)
31 Got odd high-performance car (2)
32 Extract from single animal (5)
33 For example, back-translate Roman language extract (7)
35 A noble gas expands little initially, sweetie (5)
37 Essentially trait for music style (3)
38 Duck, dart, switch sides (4)
39 Ruler's artisan crafted (7)
40 According to hearsay, causes pain to say, "old, mild and pale" (4)
42 Held a meeting after Friday? (3)
45 Retro jargon is a way to communicate (7)
46 Belts close to worn during frenzies (6)
47 Tipped salt into meat source? (3)
48 Burning dope (3)
51 Argues odds for date (3)
53 Rope into street gang (6)
54 Before a Latin and Greek character (3)
56 Marine animal, ultimately! (4)
57 Extremely terrible assessments are perhaps black and white (4)
60 Illuminated a drunk (4)
62 Rose acacia ingredient for drink? (3)
63 A fashionable last resort's not—? (3,1)
65 Kicks last series after Dynasty (5)
66 A last bit of sterling silver (2)
67 t-x? (3)
69 List French article with English article? (4)
70 Can progressive characters of the right wing...? (3)
71 Priest beheaded Discworld princess (3)
73 Surrounded by inverse trig (4)
75 Turner took drug for infection (5)
76 Fends off friendless bugs (5)
79 Fodder for grinding right in crux? (5)
81 Way to have Whiskey and Amaretto cocktail—not Matador? (4)
83 Streaks Saturn images unevenly (6)
85 Roses removed from grossest 10 in Australia (1,1,1)
86 Left after listening device revealed peer (4)
87 Green-design style (5)
90 Pull a face right, in spirit? (4)
93 Steps to move top to base for slabs (5)
95 Fix machinery (3)
97 Separating from associate as in gossip (7)
98 Take back, say, during downpour (6)
99 Long post details last attack (5)
100 What carollers did to cut Aussie sandwich? (4)

**Down**

- 1 Crafty community lost backing for carbon pricing? (1,1,1)
 2 Tear when Echo leaves heartless Narcissus to waters? (5)
 4 Trace good piece attached to clothing (5)
 6 Clue from function announced? (4)
 7 Turned Mason on again? (5)
 8 Goddess of discord returned to father (4)
 10 Drug kit? (4)
 11 Thanks to intact heart (2)
 12 South-eastern Persian dough's kind of killer? (6)
 15 Hire genuine odd nuts within (6)
 19 Bill, maybe, last customers after gold removed from cake (5)
 22 During giveaway, one guy was particularly quick (11)
 23 System including second mole is backward (1,1)
 25 Call from Rowan's home finally connecting (4)
 26 Pointless Greek wine for eyepiece? (6)
 27 Delays fishers? (7)
 29 Time goddess lost face (3)
 30 Still, odd layer has more particles sized 2-63 microns (7)
 31 Gun recoil limits—around a knot? (5)
 32 Gillian, Isabella, Rebecca, Lilith, Siobhan, for starters! (5)
 34 A criminal might be at this regal function? (5)
 35 Reportedly more spacious space (4)
 36 Obtains reverse-steganography content (4)
 40 A drug-free networker? (3)
 41 Spore producers revealed essence (2)
 43 Cracks programmer's structures? (5)
 44 Tears shreds into prices (5)
 49 Cryptically 70d moment? (7)
 50 Scheduled twisted, short exam (3)
 52 Mark soil and land... (6)
 55 ... a-about 100 m²? (3)
 57 More fanciful installer? (6)
 58 Sacrifice structures when changes announced (6)
 59 Nail a marginal Thai backtranslation into Roman language (7)
 61 That's without right to anger (3)
 64 Dirties superficial girl with god? (6)
 65 Follow Beethoven's day? (3)
 68 Needs odd letters to console (1,1,1)
 70 Brown can switch leader to model (3)
 72 Isolation after vacation at home (2)
 74 Wasn't present for it accepting points (3,1)
 77 Alarm naked ape (3)
 78 Rows over grand kitties? (6)
 79 Google navigation search for valley (4)
 80 Announced rule for restraint (4)
 82 Now, deserted trained group of three (5)
 84 Read end to story (4)
 88 Engineer greets outsiders' work units (4)
 89 Online short story—and others (2,2)
 91 Delivered medium toast (4)
 92 Two soldiers are golden? (4)
 94 Cut stone for narrow strip (4)
 96 Perhaps greed's fashionable? (3)