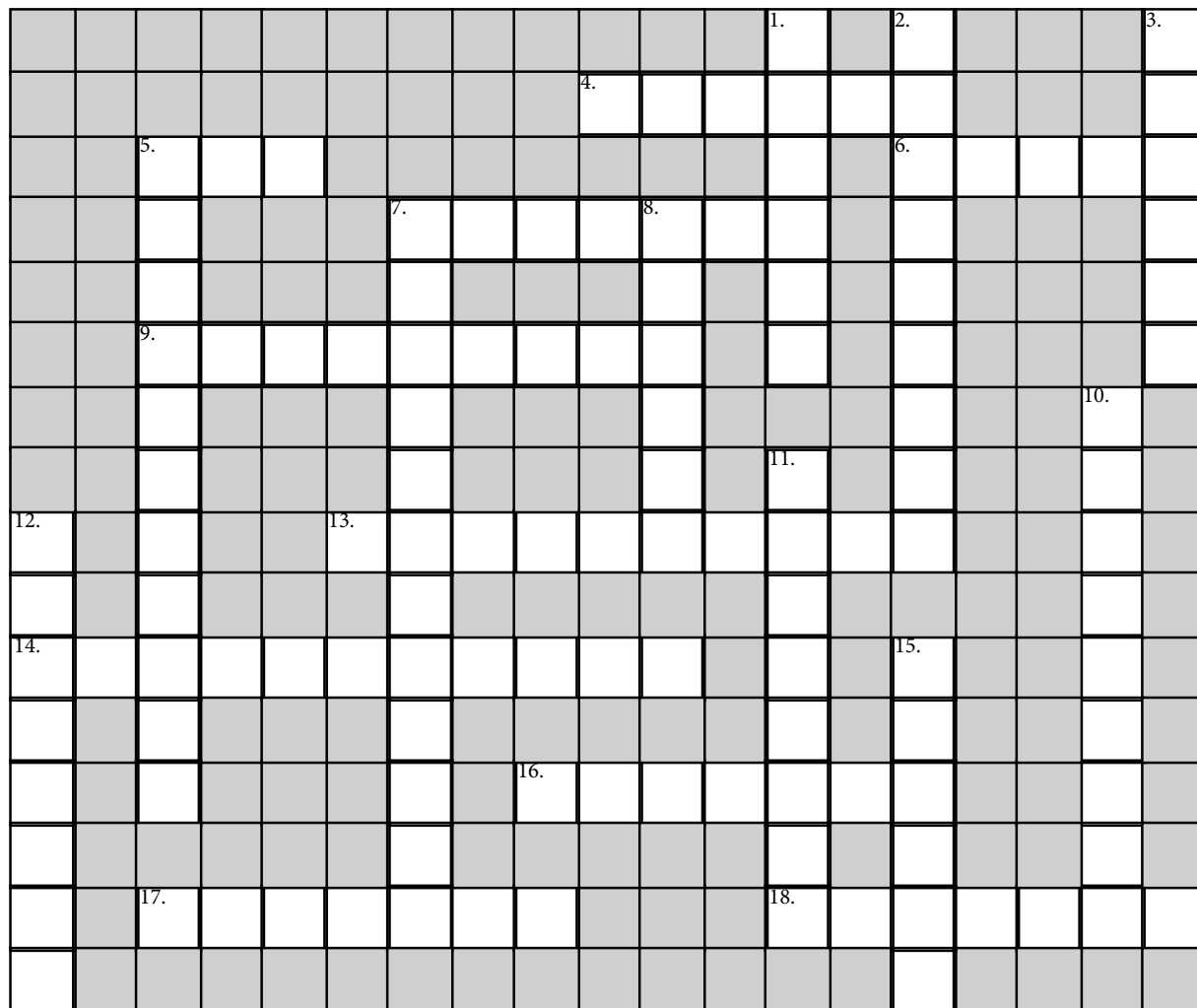


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Across

- 4. White whales nicknamed “sea canaries.”
- 5. Hudson ____.
- 6. Fox species once extirpated from Canada that’s made a miraculous comeback.
- 7. Reindeer.
- 9. Someone who attends NCC events and donates their time to help steward conservation lands.
- 13. World’s most endangered ecosystem.
- 14. Birds, bats, bees, butterflies and some small mammals.
- 16. Nature Destination in Alberta.
- 17. The pursuit and application of knowledge following a systematic methodology based on evidence.
- 18. Best time to spot vespertine species.

Down

- 1. Season when tamarack tree needles turn yellow.
- 2. Voluntary, legal agreements between landowners and conservation organizations that permanently limits uses of the land to protect its conservation values.
- 3. The physical world, including plants, animals and the landscape.
- 5. UNESCO Biosphere Reserve east of Edmonton.
- 7. Preservation of the natural world.
- 8. Forest stretching across 60 per cent of Canada.
- 10. Fastest land animal in North America.
- 11. Non-native species that outcompete native species.
- 12. Border between land and a river, stream or other body of water.
- 15. Member of the weasel family that is excellent at hunting porcupines.