

The Stickler Weekly 112 Solution

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Across	Clue	Explanation
1 BRIDAL	Rib broken by young man set back wedding (6)	Anagram of RIB + (LAD reversed)
5 TRAP	Deceive character taking retirement (4)	PART reversed
9 U-BEND	Section of pipe or tube with ends trimmed two different ways? (1-4)	T(UBE) + E(ND)S
10 DISTEMPER	Is worker sometimes covered in reflective form of red paint? (9)	(IS + TEMP) inside (RED reversed)
13 CLIMATE	Feeling - one admitted by close friend (7)	I inside (CL + MATE)
14 LITURGY	Fired-up guy upset about right order of service (7)	LIT + (anagram of GUY outside R)
15 ACES	Flying war heroes, a short time back (4)	A + (SEC reversed)
16 HISTORICAL	Authentic chariot is repaired and left (10)	Anagram of CHARIOT IS + L
19 FLAMINGOES	Brilliant lights around home set off birds (10)	FLAMES outside (IN + GO)
20 SUVA	4WD completed with a Fijian's capital (4)	SUV + A
23 RAISINS	Dried fruit is consumed in wet weather (7)	IS inside RAINS
25 RACKING	Coach recalled star performer stretching excessively (7)	CAR reversed + KING
26 HANDICAPS	Practical lids, so to speak, for hampers (9)	Sounds like HANDY CAPS
28 MOTEL	Prisoners, inside, unable to move around "accommodation"? (5)	unable TO Move reversed
29 CAKE	Thicken contents of packet with mixing? (4)	Anagram of P(ACKE)T
30 POSING	Modelling assignment short on time (6)	POSTING minus T

Down	Clue	Explanation
2 REDRAW	Find a new winner for tender? (6)	RED-RAW
3 DODDERING	Feeble stranger involved in minor accident (9)	ODDER inside DING
4 LYSOL	Sort of alloys not tarnished by a disinfectant (5)	Anagram of ALLOYS minus A
5 TWEETERS	Quaint, compact, cut-down speakers (8)	TWEE + (TERS)E
6 PIE	Dish that is served after finishing of soup (3)	IE after SOU(P)
7 YUM CHA	Chinese meal, say, much different without soy primarily (3,3)	Anagram of SAY MUCH minus (S)OY
8 DELIBERATION	Be seen in food shop helping with discussion (12)	BE inside (DELI + RATION)
11 PARACHUTISTS	A cold shelter is built in sections for drop-outs (12)	(A + C + HUT + IS) inside PARTS
12 ROYAL	Imperial offspring of viceroy allegedly? (5)	viceROY ALlegedly
17 THEORISTS	The short stories excited those who speculate (9)	(TH)E + anagram of STORIES
18 DIVISIVE	Troublesome visit ended early in sleazy bar (8)	(VISI)T inside DIVE
19 FORTH	Stronghold starting to help out (5)	FORT + (H)ELP
21 ARGYLE	Diamond-shaped pattern geologist originally found in fractured layer (6)	(G)EOLOGIST inside anagram of LAYER
22 ACUMEN	A copper staff's sharpness (6)	A + CU + MEN
24 SWAMP	Did butterfly, perhaps, head to peat bog? (5)	SWAM + (P)EAT
27 ARC	Output from solar cell's electric discharge (3)	solAR Cell

