ACROSS

1  Chasm
5  Meat alternative
9  Many times
14 Afloat
15 Mined metals
16 Make a letter
17 Farm building
18 Evaluate
19 Place
20 Pouch
21 Hit the water
23 Runners used to travel over snow
24 Tapered spike of frozen water
26 Feign
28 Container top
29 Head coverings
31 Energy unit
34 Code
37 Spring flower
39 Greek god of war
40 Alternative (abbr.)
41 Phoenix’s Basketball team
42 Fermented juice of the apple

44 List of definitions
47 Self-esteem
48 Quarry
50 Heavy drinking cup made of pottery
51 Flightless bird
52 Constructs
56 Baseball player Ty
59 Nuzzle
63 Cause of sickness
64 Blend of metals
66 Troop
67 Stake
68 Weighted fishnet
69 Capital of Italy
70 Hand outs
71 Frozen pizza brand
72 Payable
73 Get together
DECEMBER

DOWN

1  Jewish religious leader
2  Abraham's son
3  British princess
4  Convert into leather
5  Sub's weapon
6  Voiced
7  Soft cheese from Greece
8  Wields
9  Night bird
10 First processes in the freezing of water
11 Clock sound
12 Decorative needle case
13 Loch __ monster
21 Cut open
22 Beret
25 Shut down
27 Clock time
29 Plant with shiny leaves, red berries and prickly edges
30 Singing voice
31 Make unclear
32 Petite
33 Delivery service
34 Snob
35 Make over

36 Animal house
38 Utilization
39 Expert
43 Revolutions per minute
45 Melted ore
46 Certain
49 Operate
51 Type of wood
53 Long, skinny boat
54 Rank
55 Freezing rain
56 Throw off
57 Tub spread
58 Singular form of name for Russian pancakes served with sour cream
60 European monetary unit
61 Frozen form of precipitation that falls as ice crystals
62 What a clock tells
65 Affirmative
67 High naval rank (abbr.)
DECEMBER

Solution:

RIFT

TOFU

OFTEN

ASEA

ORES

WRITE

BARN

RATE

LOCUS

BAG

SPASH

SKIS

ICLE

ACT

LID

HATS

BTU

PROTOCOL

TULIP

ARES

ALT

SUNS

CIDER

GLOSSARY

EGO

PREY

MUG

EMU

ERECTS

COBB

NESTLE

AIL

ALLOY

UNIT

ANTE

SEINE

ROME

DOLE

TONYS

OWED

MEET