

Across

1. *Start of a word chain*

5. *Step 3 in the chain*

10. And others, for short

14. Brush fire operation, briefly

15. Cowboys and Indians film, in slang

17. Air: pref.

18. Rambo, e.g.

19. Future D.A.'s undergraduate studies

21. "I've been better"

22. Big mouth

23. Nash of humorous verse

24. Corn ____

25. "Close My Eyes Forever" singer ____ Ford

26. Scooby-____ (cartoon dog)

27. Up, in a way

29. Hole in the head?

30. *Step 5 in the chain*

31. Dada, for example

32. Drains by suction

35. Virginia army installation

36. "Lawrence of Arabia" star Peter

37. *Step 6 in the chain*

38. Grating

39. Chute for logs at a theme park

40. To be, in Barcelona

43. Yale players

44. Bring ____ end

45. Oscar-winning actress for "Tootsie" and "Blue Sky"

47. Be in session

48. By way of, briefly

49. Equivalent to the key of C

50. Attended

53. Blunted blade of sport

54. At times

55. Abbr. on an envelope

56. "Beloved" author Morrison

57. *Step 4 in the chain*

58. *Step 7 in the chain*

Down

1. Chinese restaurant veggie

2. Exceed

3. City on the Rio Grande

4. Sorbonne, e.g.

5. Indian Ocean boat

6. Long, long time

7. Wash cycle

8. Singer Donny or Marie

9. Make fun of

10. Antipollution org.

11. *Step 2 in the chain*

12. Dynamo component

13. Be ruinous

16. Middle name of John and Sean Lennon

20. Chess master Karpov

24. Chest muscles, briefly

25. Like a dryer trap

28. Sharpen

29. Light reddish-brown horses

30. Mall units

31. Par for the course

32. Touchy subject

33. "Mambo ____" (Rosemary Clooney song)

34. *End of the word chain*

35. Goat-man of myth

37. Chilean-born pianist Arrau

39. Robin Hood's 'hood

40. Become sharply attentive

41. Marsh birds

42. Feel remorse for

44. Oakland baseball team, to fans

46. Lots

48. Active component in marijuana, for short

49. Dog's treat

51. 601, in old Rome

52. Rugged peak



