

My Crossword Library

I have been picking up crossword-related books for 30 years and I have recently started to catalogue them. I hope that this list is of interest to others. Work in Progress.

Year	Title	Author/Editor	ISBN	Notes
1931	The Quickway Key for Crosswords	H W Hill		
1932	The Handy Crossword Companion	Senior Wrangler		
1933	The Week-End Problems Book	Hubert Phillips		
1934	The Torquemada Puzzle Book	Torquemada		
1939	Concise Latin Grammar	Flecker/Macnutt		Written by Ximenes
1945	Word Play	Hubert Phillips		Ptarmigan (Penguin)
1946	Ask me Another	Hubert Phillips		Ptarmigan (Penguin)
1947	Chipwinkle	Hubert Phillips		Ptarmigan
1948	The Daily Telegraph 2 nd Crossword Book			Yellow Penguin
1948	Crossword Mystery	E R Punshon		Yellow Penguin
1948	The Observer Crossword Puzzle Book			Penguin (25 Ximenes puzzles)
1948	The Manchester Guardian 2 nd Cr. Puzzle Bk.			Yellow Penguin
1948	The Times 3 rd Cr. Puzzle Book			Yellow Penguin
1949	Armchair Crosswords	Afrit		
1951	The Manchester Guardian 3 rd Cr. Puzzle Bk.			Yellow Penguin
1952	A Problem a Day	R M Lucey		Yellow Penguin
1953	The Observer 2 nd C. Puzzle Book			Penguin (25 Ximenes puzzles)
1953	The Daily Telegraph 4 th Cr. Puzzle Book			Yellow Penguin
1954	Time & Tide Crossword Book			Yellow Penguin
1954	100 Cr. Puzzles from the Scotsman			Yellow Penguin
1954	The New Statesman Cr. Puzzle Book			Yellow Penguin
1955	The Observer 3rd C. Puzzle Book			Yellow Penguin (25 Ximenes puzzles)
1955	Daily Telegraph 5 th Cr. Puzzle Book			Yellow Penguin

1955	The Hubert Phillips Cr. Puzzle Book			Yellow Penguin
1957	The Manchester Guardian 6th Cr. Puzzle Bk.			Yellow Penguin
1960	The 7 th Daily Telegraph Crossword Book			Yellow Penguin
1962	The Penguin 100 Best Crosswords	Alan Cash		
1963	Anatomy of the Crossword	D St. P Barnard		
1964	The Connoisseur's Crossword Book	Alan Cash		
1964	Versions and Diversions	D S Macnutt		Presented to Ximenes on his retirement
1964	The Guardian 7 th Cr. Puzzle Book			Yellow Penguin
1964	The Guardian 7 th Cr. Puzzle Book			Yellow Penguin
1966	Ximenes on the Art of the Crossword	D S Macnutt		
1967	The Mayflower Crossword Dictionary	Kathleen Rafferty		
1967	The Daily Telegraph 10 th Cr. Puzzle Book			Penguin
1968	Sunday Telegraph 2 nd Cr. Puzzle Book			Penguin
1970	The Listener Crossword Book	Alan Cash		
1971	The Listener 2 nd Crossword Book	Alan Cash		
1972	The Penguin Book of Ximenes Cr. Puzzles	Ximenes	014003269X	
1972	The Game of Words	Willard R Espy	1579123244	
1974	The Strange World of the Crossword	Roger Millington		
1975	The Azed Book of Crosswords	Jonathan Crowther	0330252275	
1975	The Daily Telegraph 12 th Cr. Puzzle Book			Penguin
1976	Horse Under Water	Len Deighton	586044310	
1978	The Hamlyn Crossword Dictionary	J M Bailie		
1978	The Hamlyn Book of Crosswords 1			Apex, Duck, Jude, Smokey
1978	The Hamlyn Book of Crosswords 2			Apex, Duck, Jude, Smokey signed Apex
1980	The 3 rd Penguin Book of Listener Crosswords	Alan Cash	0140048227	
1980	The Times 50 th Anniversary Crosswords	Alan Cash	014005300X	
1980	Penguin Bk. of Observer Everyman Cr.		0140053840	
1980	The 19 th Fontana Bk. of Crosswords	Leslie Stokes		
1981	The ABC of Crosswords	Alec Robins		

1981	Daily Telegraph 16 th Cr. Puzzle Book		0140058737	
1982	The Anagram Dictionary	Michael Curl	0709196741	
1982	The Almost Impossible Quiz Book	Irene Thomas		Penguin
1983	The Ladybird 1 st book of Crosswords	Norman Pritchard		
1983	A Six-letter Word for Death	Patricia Moyes		Crossword novel
1984	The (Almost) Impossible C. Book	Gyles Brandreth	0722118643	paperback, inscribed Apex
1984	The (Almost) Impossible C. Book	Gyles Brandreth		hardback
1984	The Oxford Guide to Word Games	Tony Augarde		
1986	Chambers Crossword Manual	Don Manley	055021603	
1986	Crossword Crazy	Massingham/Millington	0862732867	St Michael
1987	The Universal Crossword Dictionary	Ursula Harringham	0861634322	
1987	Crossword Puzzle Dictionary		0862881706	
1988	How to Solve a Crossword	Colin Parsons		
1989	Best of Azed Crosswords	Jonathan Crowther	0550190309	
1991	The 3 rd Bk. of Independent Crosswords	Louise Levene	014014968	Penguin
1991	The Observer Azed Crosswords	Jonathan Crowther	0550190325	
1993	The Independent Magazine Crosswords	Richard Whitelegg	0747242275	
1993	How to Solve Cryptic Crosswords	Kevin Skinner	071602013	
1999	50 Crossword Puzzles	Lamford/Laws	0233997288	Improve Your Game
1999	The Times Crossword 2000	Brian Greer	0723010587	
1999	The Crossword Murder	Nero Blanc	0425169774	
2000	Latin Crosswords	Jones/Dare-Plumpton	0786707607	
2000	The Spectator Book of Crosswords	Tom Johnson	0330481347	
2000	Bradford's Cr. Solver's Dictionary 4 th Ed	Anne Bradford	1901659674	
2000	The Daily Telegraph Millennium CR. Bk.		0330480162	
2001	Ximenes on the Art of the Crossword	D S Macnutt		
2001	The Times Crossword Book 3	Mike Laws	000771301	
2001	How to do the Times Crossword	Brian Greer	0007108400	
2001	Chambers Wit and Wisdom		0550100156	Freebie

2002	Pretty Girl in Crimson Rose	Sandy Balfour		Uncorrected proof copy
2002	The Times Crossword Book 4	Mike Laws	000771300	
2002	Celtic Cyphers from Celtic Cyprus	David Arscott	0954258703	A crossword novel
2002	The Listener Crossword	Ross Beresford	0007146329	
2002	Chambers Back-Words for Crosswords	Una McGovern	0550100490	
2002	Cryptic Crosswords & How to Solve them	Kindred/Knight	0550100539	
2002	Monkey Puzzles	Araucaria	1843540045	
2003	Pretty Girl in Crimson Rose	Sandy Balfour		
2003	Chambers Book of Araucaria Crosswords	John Graham	00550101101	
2003	Chambers Wit and Wisdom		0550101209	Freebie
2004	Bradford's Crossword Lists	Anne R Bradford		
2004	80 Years of Cryptic Crosswords	Val Gilbert	1405049235	
2004	Black Marigolds	E Powys Mathers	085646372	Poems by Torquemada
2004	Chambers Words	Hazel Norris	055010125	
2004	Monkey Puzzles	Araucaria	1843542617	
2005	Secrets of the Setters	Hugh Stephenson		
2005	Chambers Book of Azed Crosswords	Jonathan Crowther		
2005	Ch. Book of Araucaria Crosswords v. 2	John Graham	0050101950	
2005	75 Years of the Times Crossword	Richard Browne	0007773498	
2005	Chambers Crossword Lists	Hazel Norris	0550100849	
2005	Independent Book of Weekend Crosswords	M Macdonald-Cooper	0550101772	
2005	The Independent Bk. of Concise Crosswords	M Macdonald-Cooper	0550101764	
2005	Bradford's Cr. Solver's Dictionary 6 th Ed	Anne Bradford	0007208944	
2005	Chambers XWD	Kindred/Knight	055010173	
2005	Chambers Crossword Taster		0550102787	Freebie
2006	Chambers Crossword Manual	Don Manley		
2006	A – Z of Crosswords	Jonathan Crowther		
2006	Chambers Book of Morse Crosswords	Colin Dexter		
2006	Chambers Crossword Completer	Hazel Norris	0550102493	

2006	The Cunning Linguist	Bunthorne		
2006	Ch. Book of Araucaria Crosswords v. 3	John Graham	0050101969	
2006	Chambers Crossword Dictionary		0550100814	
2007	Chambers Everyman Crosswords	Hazel Norris		
2007	Top Cat Crosswords	Tristan Clayton		Lulu.com
2008	Chambers Pocket Crossword Dictionary	Kate Sleight		
2008	The Times The Listener Crosswords	Derek Arthur	0550104045	