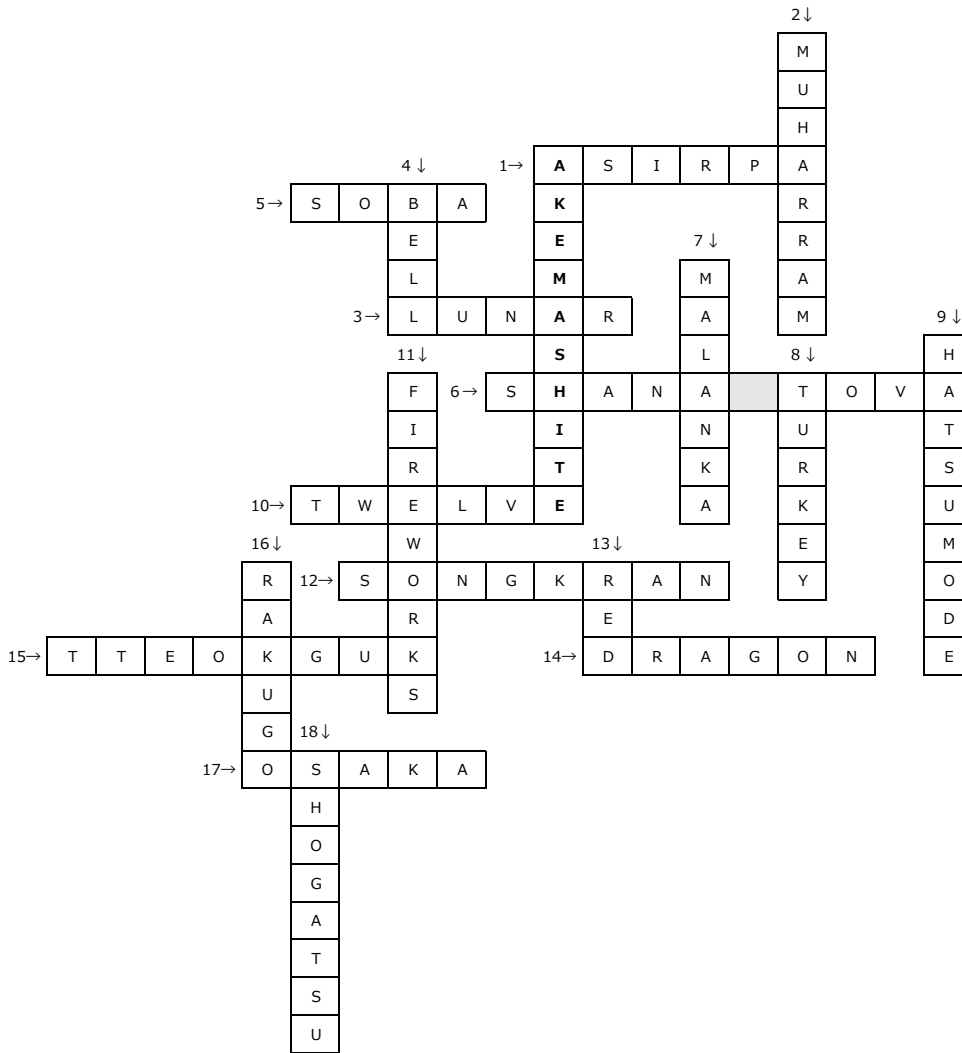


**OFIX News Vol.107 (Winter) Crossword  
Answers**



| Question |  |
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| 1        | Ainu word for "new" or "New Year"  |
| 2        | The name of the first month of the Islamic calendar  |
| 3        | The Japanese word 「旧正月」 means "● New Year"   |
| 4        | On New Year's Eve, Japanese temples will ring the ● 108 times as custom.   |
| 5        | Noodles that the Japanese usually eat on New Year's Eve.   |
| 6        | Hebrew word for "Have a Happy New Year"  |
| 7        | Name of the Ukrainian New Year's Festival  |
| 8        | A cuisine that is usually eaten during Christmas time in America.  |
| 9        | The name of the Japanese traditional custom for visiting a Japanese shrine or temple for the first time in the New Year. |
| 10       | In Spain, there is a custom of eating ● grapes on New Year's Eve.  |
| 11       | One of the common countdown events around the world  |
| 12       | The name of Thai New Year Festival   |
| 13       | During Chinese New Year, people will give out ● envelopes as gifts with money inside.                                    |
| 14       | The zodiac animal for 2024   |
| 15       | The name of Korean soup dish eaten during New Year's time.   |
| 16       | ● is a traditional Japanese verbal enertainment of storytelling.   |
| 17       | The city OFIX is located in  |
| 18       | "New Year's" in Japanese   |

| Answer     |
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| Asirpa     |
| Muharram   |
| Lunar      |
| Bell       |
| Soba       |
| Shana Tova |
| Malanka    |
| Turkey     |
| Hatsumode  |
| Twelve     |
| Fireworks  |
| Songkran   |
| Red        |
| Dragon     |
| Tteokguk   |
| Rakugo     |
| Osaka      |
| Shogatsu   |