CROSSWORD
No. 16,100 Set by JASON

ACROSS
9 Love a bash with budget (9)
10 Love silver primate (5)
11 Official in Commons could be small next to Crown and monarch (7)
12 Divine old Scot downing some wine (7)
13 Kip down (3)
14 I am a child knocked back by ape (11)
17 Delightful starters of ginormous Italian mushrooms perhaps (5)
18 Take the mickey out of some jazz music (3)
19 Time to squabble about gins (5)
21 Keep ancient name somehow (11)
23 Long stretch in therapy (3)
25 One of Cavafy’s letters open in the matter of driving force? (7)
28 Plonked down by your woodland deity (5)
29 Dreadful program – sort of wrestling with golf (9)

DOWN
1 Checks relating to fruit (6)
2 Simple and unsophisticated domestic’s witticism (8)
3 Subversive in the IT dept? She reports on tense troubled visit (10)
4 Pastry recipe such as you might see at the seaside (4)
5 Break to run and run tediously in plant (10)
6 With due respect, pressure the best (4)
7 Wreck in a place to moor up? (6)
8 Fidgety? Have fewer breathers (8)
15 One who leaps into the unknown with standard mystic (10)
16 Where to lay out fighting irons is open for discussion (2,3,5)
17 I’ll fight for my right to have short skirt in social event (8)
20 Whiffled pirate providing whistle-whetting drink (8)
22 Whip up popular state (6)
24 Give out a small gesture (6)
26 Pick up, without lecturer, merit (4)
27 Navigation aid going round America breaks (4)

JOTTER PAD