WONDROUS WILDLIFE CROSSWORD

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ACROSS

3. A bloodless alternative to hunting using an artificial scent. Not to be confused with 'Trail' hunting.(4)
5. The collective noun for a group of skylarks. (10)
7. The collective noun for a group of badgers. (4)
9. The most common duck in the UK - best known for its familiar 'quack'. (7)
10. Plant with flat clusters of white flower heads whose dried stalks are used for divination. (6)

DOWN

1. What is a 'plums and custard'? (8)
2. Flora's partner. Animals of a region. (5)
4. These deer, believed to be the smallest deer species in the UK, were introduced in the 20th century. (7)
6. The League Against Cruel Sports flagship wildlife sanctuary. (10)
8. As a noun, refers to a bird. As a verb, means 'to have a moan'. (6)