Brachiopods

ACROSS
1 a cousin of the brachiopods
6 the oldest living order of brachiopods
7 a tube for gathering food
9 hair like tentacles inside the lophophore
10 the era in which brachiopods flourished
11 a depression in the brachial valve
12 bottom dwelling
13 lives in the ocean

DOWN
1 having two shells
2 a raised part of the pedicle valve
3 brachiopods that do not have hinged joints
4 a benthic marine bivalve
5 a class of brachiopods with a hinge
8 an order of brachiopods that lived and became extinct during the Cambrian Period
10 a fleshy organ used as an anchor
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Solution:

B R Y O Z O A N S  F I N
I N V L I N G U L A T A D R
A R A L O P H O P H O R E T I
C I L I A V B P A L E O Z O I C
H C E E E U L L A T A
I S U L C U S E D L I L A T
O L E D P L A T A T A
P T B E N T H I C L D A
D A L D A M A R I N E A