More Y CAT Questions….

What are you doing about the bumpy roads and pot holes?
Hampshire County Council looks after highway inspections. They will inspect an ‘A’ road (main carriageway) once per month and will inspect roads on housing estates once per year for defects. They will also arrange an additional inspection if a member of the public raises a concern. When they do the inspections they will only arrange to repair a hole that is over 40mm in width.

Why are there so many speed bumps?
There are not many speed bumps in Fareham and these have only been put in as a response to public demand, or as part of a Safer Route to School scheme. In the future, it is very unlikely that more will be put in as although they reduce speed they also create a noise problem for residents.

What can be done to make teen shelters better as they don’t give enough shelter?
The teen shelters aren’t designed to be super comfortable as this could attract rough sleepers or encourage people to stay late into the night. This can cause noise problems for local residents or (if the teen shelter is away from houses) concerns about safety.

Could the speed limit be reduced in the countryside as there are too many blind corners that can cause road incidents?
Legally, you have to drive according to the road conditions, so the people that drive unsafely are already breaking the law. If the Police are told about a road that is a regular problem for unsafe driving they can send their Road Policing Unit to target it.

Why isn’t there work experience for special effects make-up?
Each of the theatre groups has their own specialist make-up artist. If you contact them and explain your interest you may be able to arrange some volunteering with them. The Leisure and Community Team has a list of contacts for the theatre groups in the area which they can share with you.