## **Highways Report - June 25**

Following this long period of glorious weather the roads are looking quite healthy .The council appear to be catching up with historic repair , Frog Lane ,and seem to be on top of more recent holes .

I would like to thank the Emily Estate for the resurfacing work they have done to the Rag and other areas, admittedly the damage was caused by their building work, it is appreciated that they then put it right.

I have observed the following areas that will need attention;

Sandbrook Lane North Cadbury

Outside Greenlands various holes in .what is a crumbling road surface. Further along next to the casual school lay-by another hole .

Catash Inn Cary road in front. One pothole next to the large manhole, the small manhole next to it is subsiding.

Woolston Road. Just past the Manor Farm entrance the road surface is breaking up, probably due to the heavier tractor traffic.

Ferngrove Lane junction outside Rose Cottage ,previous repair has sunk.

Dodinal House Road. Outside Hillash Court ( new house ) two holes . This is always getting reported . Further up the road the edge has crumbled away , opposite the field entrance.

Junction in the middle of Yarlington, ie Queen st/Lodge Hill. And West Street, road breaking up around manholes and other ruts

Village Hall pothole outside the hall, another hole outside Hilltop itself.

Crockers Hill approaching Shatwell bridge the road surface is deeply rutted and road surface breaking up.

Heading back along Stoke Lane towards Galhampton just past the new Black houses being built another hole , probably best left until all construction traffic gone!

Hearne Lane junction with Stoke Lane ruts in road.

Frog Lane Road edges still poor in places but there has been much repair carried out.

Small Way Lane. Top end Still some damage outside the farm near the 50 mph sign but the large craters have gone.

Finally returning to Sandbrook lane via Hearne lane there is a pothole outside Hewletts Cottage at the junction with Corkscrew Lane.

I note that the junction of the A 303 at Teals is being closed on the night of the 24th June for repair work. I have asked the council if the road surface is finally getting repaired, a long running saga this one ,but I can only get an automated response, all part of the improved service I assume. Anyway we should be able to see the results for ourselves by the meeting?

The road sign on the apex of the west street and Stoke lane junction is now completely submerged in the hedging, how will they find Yarlington? I will ask the Council if they can cut it all back!

## **Chris Jose**