

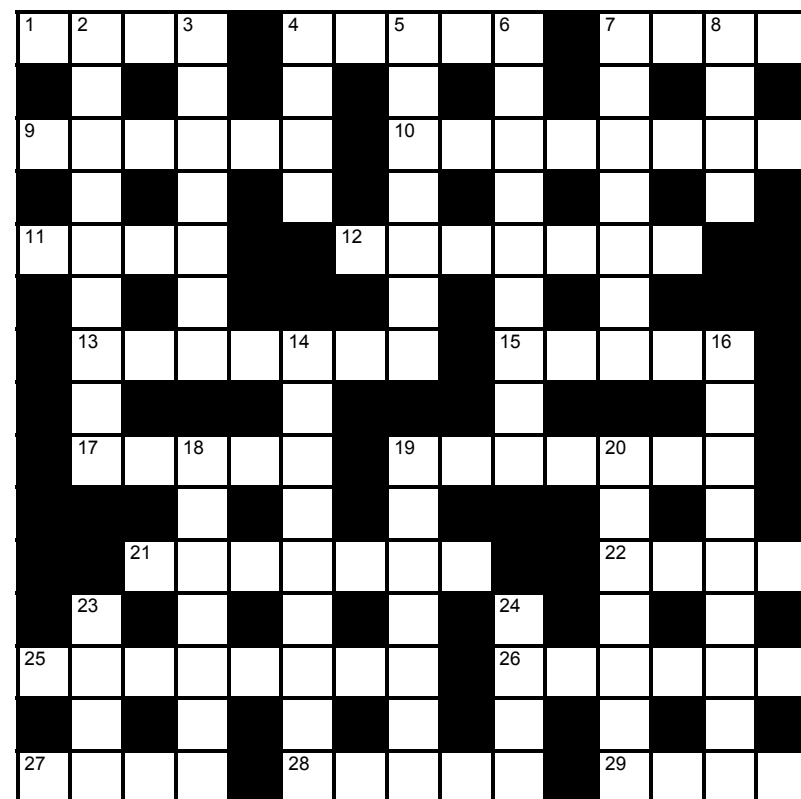
# York S&B 2017 - 'Time Flies' by Egbert

Solution and blog available on Fifteensquared  
from 11am Sunday 29th October

**NOTE:** All **across** clues lead to thematic solutions that will only fit in the grid when thematic elements are omitted - letter counts are to the full solutions. Down clues are normal.

## Across

- 1 Don't use 25, OK? German youth leader overturns rule by king (7)
- 4 Carry out check on pains in joints (9)
- 7 A bundle of tobacco on the carpet, perhaps? (8)
- 9 Unusually, heads of radio network have broadcast a description of "Black Beauty" (5-6)
- 10 Nurse campaigning against porter engages old Italian actress with twisted short neck (8,11)
- 11 I have initially gone crazy inside post box (10)
- 12 UK version of Irish Bar once notorious for its sandwiches (7,4)
- 13 Could a disheartened runaway finish up aboard international ship somewhere in the Atlantic? (7,7)
- 15 A thousand articles about treasure chest reveal signs of quality (9)
- 17 Keep cocaine near - pulverised it will give you a big lift! (5,5)
- 19 Exercise in using bin cut off when note is dropped - p-p-pick it up! (7, 7)
- 21 Normal rubbish trend in clothing created by mechanical repetition? (6,7)
- 22 Final performance of melody receives weak, brief response (8)
- 25 Road safety feature I'm able to go over in government following parking manoeuvre completed by learner (7,8)
- 26 Dodge management teams used to get over difficult conditions (4-6)
- 27 Swirling snow found in summit lookout point (5-4)
- 28 Recreational activity with hard



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| 29 March goes out around zero, initially setting temperature record (5-4)                                | drug results in obsession (5-5) | orders (7)   |
| <b>Down</b>  |                                 | 8 Braveheart's fate (4)  |
| 2 One skilled in dissecting a small particle is team leader (9)  |                                 | 14 Cathedral city envelops half of this Cheshire town (9)                            |
| 3 Marx perhaps allowed revolution within German consortium (7)   |                                 | 16 Excited by muscular German during date (3,2,4)                                    |
| 4 Smart cartoonist (4)   |                                 | 18 Gadget comedian keeps headgear in (7)   |
| 5 Gives notice of the way schools are organised (7)  |                                 | 19 Leftover scrambled egg - 12 sandwiches for 225 contributor? (7)                   |
| 6 Keep it quiet - second of the penultimate tournament matches is put back when entertainments begin (9) |                                 | 20 What new MP does to old one stuns organisation covering the essence of sleaze (7) |
| 7 One strongly urging travelling salesman to return round about 1st September with last of               |                                 | 23 Where you might find 27 in the middle of the street (4)                           |
|  |                                 | 24 Expert turned up in a wheelbarrow (4)   |