

Shellybanks ETNS Weekly Bulletin 6/3/17

	Item	Update	Action/Support
1	Wellbeing Week	Huge thanks to the Holistic Committee for organising the fantastic booklets the children received last week. The children took part in different activities each day with a focus on nutrition, exercise, mental health, feelings etc. Every child managed to complete the 1 mile walking challenge also. Big thanks to Sonja and Rachel for organising this week.	
2	World Book Day	We will be celebrating World Book Day in school this Thursday . Children are invited to dress up as their favourite Book/Fairytale character and bring in their favourite book. There may even be some spot prizes for the best costumes!	
3	Staff Training on Wednesday	All staff are completing First Aid Training on Tuesday, straight after school. Please be on time when collecting your child at 2.25pm	
4	St Patrick's Day	Reminder that all school will be closed on March 17th for St Patrick's Day	

5	Vision/Hearing Form	Reminder to all Junior and Senior Infant Parents- please return the vision/hearing forms to your teacher as soon as possible , as they will be collected from school this week.	
6	Student of the Week	This week the children will be working on “Using Kind words”.	
7	Parent Room	We are happy to announce that the parent room is available to parents who have children attending afterschool clubs on Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday until 3.30pm. We ask that parents and toddlers become familiar with the guidelines for the room surrounding entering and exiting the room, parent supervision and not visiting classrooms/hallways after school finishes etc. For more info, please see the full set of guidelines in the parent room.	
8	Notes for Teachers	Reminder to all parents- if your child is going on a play date, being collected by another adult or has been absent – a written note is required for their teacher. You can do this by writing a note in your child’s diary/folder or by emailing the teacher. Please be aware that our secretary works part- time and messages sent late in the day often will not get passed on to the teacher before home time.	

9.	Junior Infants 2017	<p>We have now offered places to all Junior Infant siblings coming in September 2017. If you have a younger child starting in September and have not heard from us, please contact the office at info@shellybanksetns.ie</p>	
	A Note from the PTA	<p>Scholastic Book Fair</p> <p>The Scholastic Book Fair will take place from 20th-24th March. This is an opportunity for children to purchase books, the proceeds of which will go towards raising funds for school library books. A great opportunity to support the school and purchase a much loved book at the same time. Timings each day as follows:</p> <p>8.40am-9.10am 1.25pm-2.00pm 2.25pm-3.00pm</p> <p>Volunteers to assist with the book sale would be much appreciated. Please contact Laura at laurafano@gmail.com and advise if you can help with one or more time slots on any of the days.</p> <p>More info here</p>	

		<p>P TA Training</p> <p>The National Parents Council will conduct a PTA training on 9 March from 7.30pm-9.30pm in the school. All parents are welcome. Please RSVP to the email previously sent.</p>	
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