Shellybanks ETNS Weekly Bulletin 11/09/2017

	Item	Update	Support
1	Class Rep System	Each class has a class rep from the parent body. You will hear more about this at the curricular meetings. Every rep is given a copy of the names of the parents in their class, along with their email address.	If you do not want your details to be shared, please email the office on info@shellybanksetns.ie
2	Head lice	We have been informed of cases of head lice in the older classes.	For information on how to treat head lice visit www.hse.ie
3	Board of Management Parent Nominee	Every parent will have the opportunity to vote at the curricular meetings this week. Public Count will take place at 8pm on Wednesday in the Junior Infant Room	
4	Student Information Form	Reminder to any parents who have not yet returned this form to the school. Please do so as soon as possible	
5	Parent Information and Curriculum Meeting	We will be having our Parent information meetings this week. Junior Infant parents: Tuesday 12th September 6.30-7.15 Senior Infants: Wednesday 13th September 6.30-7 1st Class: Wednesday 13th September 7-7.30 2nd: Wednesday 13th September 7.30-8	This meeting will be an opportunity to meet your child's teacher and get an understanding of the curriculum and the timetable of the school day. This meeting is for parents/guardians only
6	Student of the Week	This week the children will be working on: 'We have good manners in class.'	
7	Gaeilgeoir na Seachtaine	This week we are asking the question: Person 1: How are you? Person 2: I'm good	If you would like to practice your own Irish or help your child improve their vocabulary, try out www.duolingo.com

8	Aistear	The Infant teachers are looking for specific resources to help with the teaching of aistear (a structured play based approach to learning).	Please follow this link and see if you can donate any of the required items.
9	Fiver Birthdays at Shellybanks	We endorse 'Fiver Parties' at Shellybanks ETNS. It means that in lieu of presents, children are asked to put €5 in a card and bring it along to the party. Then the birthday child can take his/her money and select a gift of their own choosing later. Obviously this is entirely up to you and your child. Simply write Fiver Birthday on the invite. If you would prefer presents then leave it off the invite and people will know that you would prefer traditional gift giving	