

	Item	Update	Support
1	Places Available	Just a reminder that there are still places available in most of the classes.	If you know of any children who are looking for school places, ask them to contact the office on info@shellybanksetns.ie
2	Building Issues	<p>The BOM want to sincerely thank all parents, staff and students who have been incredibly supportive and understanding of the issues that came about last week.</p> <p>The most recent update from the DES is that all relevant meetings and checks have taken place and they are awaiting for the paperwork to be issued.</p> <p>In particular, we would like to acknowledge the help of Labour Councillor Dermot Lacey and Labour Senator Kevin Humphries who worked on behalf of the school to get the process moved along quickly. This help has been central to getting the rooms re-opened for the Junior Infants.</p>	
3	Fun Day in the Park	We are hoping to take the children to Herbert Park on Thursday at 10.45 . This is obviously weather dependent. The children will be having their lunch and playing some games with their classmates. We aim to return to school for 12.30. We will need some parents to help us supervise. If you are available, please email you class teacher.	gemma@shellybanksetns.ie aisling@shellybanksetns.ie aiveen@shellybanksetns.ie fiona@shellybanksetns.ie fionnuala@shellybanksetns.ie eoin@shellybanksetns.ie aileen@shellybanksetns.ie mark@shellybanksetns.ie rachel@shellybanksetns.ie ciara@shellybanksetns.ie
4	Class Reps	Thank you to all of those who have offered to act as Class Rep for the coming year. The class reps for this year are:	

		<p>Gemma's class: Adam Aisling's class:TBC Aiveen's class: Anne-Marie Fiona's Class:TBC Eoin's Class: Cynthia Fionnuala's Class: Jen Aileen's class: Wendy Mark's class: Tanja Rachel's Class: Gemma Ciara's class: TBC</p>	
5	After-school clubs	<p>Please see the timetable for the afterschool clubs attached. Please note that all clubs will start on Monday 24th September</p>	Timetable
6	Parent Contact details	<p>If you wish to have your email and phone number shared with the parents of your class, please email the office. If you attended the parent info evenings and signed the sheet, there is no need to do this.</p>	
7	Parent Room	<p>The parent room is available between 1.30-2.25. All parents must enter and exit through the middle doors and sign in on the clip board. Parents should not use the black doors by the toilet to enter/leave the building. This door should not be opened by parents using the parent room. This is part of our health and safety policy. Classes are still taking place so it is essential that these procedures are followed. Please pass this information child minders etc.</p>	
8	Drama Teacher	<p>Senior Infants and 1st class will be having a drama teacher working with the class on Thursdays, for eight weeks. The aim of this is to help children develop their oral language skills, imagination and give them the skills to speak aloud, more confidently. The cost of this class is €8 per child.</p>	<p>Please see the email that will follow with the link to make this payment.</p> <p>If payment is an issue for any family, please contact</p>

			johanne@shellybanksetns.ie directly.
9	Swimming	Children in 2nd and 3rd class will be taking part in swimming lessons after the Winter Break. The cost of this will be approx €25. More details to follow	If payment is an issue for any family, please contact johanne@shellybanksetns.ie directly.
10	Gaeilgeoir na Seachtaine	Feicfidh mé thú amárach – I'll see you tomorrow <i>Fek-hee may who a-mar-uck</i>	Awards
11	Student of the Week	This week the target is 'We are kind to others'.	Awards
12	Assembly	Class assemblies are returning at the end of the month. If the weather is too wet/cold on that day we will reschedule. All parents are welcome to attend at 8:50. Infant classes will be after the winter break. 28th Sept - Rachel 5th Oct - Ciara 12th Oct - Aileen 19th Oct - Mark 26th Oct - Eoin 9th Nov - Fionnuala	
13	PTA Committee Meeting	The PTA Committee will meet at the school on Tuesday, 18 September at 19:30, to plan the October Annual General Meeting and discuss a possible re-organisation of the committee. If you're interested in being part of the PTA's work this year, please come along!	
14	PTA Parents' Night	All Shellybanks parents are invited to meet up at Slattery's Pub on September 28, starting at 20:00. Hope to see you there!	