

Shellybanks ETNS Bulletin 29.4.19

Item	Update	Support
Welcome back	A warm welcome back to all our families at Shellybanks ETNS. We hope you all had an enjoyable and relaxing break. We look forward to our final term in the RDS!	
Closure	We are closed to children this Friday and will reopen on Tuesday.	Calendar 2018/19
Secretary	As you are aware Suzanne has finished up in the office. We are recruiting a new school secretary - during this time please contact class teachers directly about any changes to collection and allow two weeks for letters to prove attendance in school for passports and visas.	
Staffing	We have Amy starting with us who will be covering maternity leave for Rachel.	
Assembly	Please see timetable for remaining class assemblies. Thanks for all the parent support at our assemblies to date.	Assembly Timetable
Gymnastics Day	We have won a free gymnastics day on Tuesday 7th May. Equipment may be set up before school begins so children will line up inside at drop off time.	
GAA	Well done to First Class who played in the Clanna Gael GAA Blitz before the holidays.	
Genius Hour	Well done to the 2nd & 3rd Class children who exhibited their Genius Hour projects on Tuesday, April 9th. There was lots of fantastic work on display! Thanks to teachers and parents for supporting children with these projects.	
Cricket	Cricket will begin for 1st Class to 3rd Class next Friday & it will run for 6 weeks.	
After-school clubs	Term 3 after school clubs are due to begin this week.	Link
Student of the Week	This week the target is "We are kind to our neighbours."	Awards
Gaeilgeoir na Seachtaine	This week we are learning how to say: <u>Infants & 1st Class</u> Conas atá tú? How are you?	Awards

	<p>Cun-ass a-taw too?</p> <p><u>2nd & 3rd Class</u></p> <p>Cad is brí sin?</p> <p>What does that mean?</p> <p>Cod iss bree shin?</p>	
PTA	No update this week	
Building Update	<p>Sincerest thanks to all of the parents of who have been in contact with offers of help to pack up the school. Due to health and safety concerns, we cannot have anyone outside of the staff moving or packing on the premises. Rest assured we have a moving company who will do all of the heavy lifting!</p> <p>The Department of Education has not given us a handover date as yet.</p> <p>We will be contacting parents directly in relation to setting up walking buses to school as there are restrictions around parking at the new school.</p>	