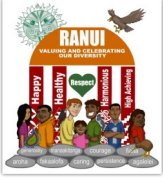


TUESDAY 3 SEPTEMBER 2024

**RANUI PRIMARY SCHOOL  
NEWSLETTER**



Tālofa lava, Mālō e lelei, Talofa, Noa'ia,  
Ni sa bula vinaka, Mālo ni, Fakaalofa lahi atu, Kia  
orāna, Tēnā koutou katoa

“Ka tangi te wharauora, ko ngā karere a mahuru”



**Kaiako Still Learn**

We are very lucky that our kaiako are enthusiastic and continue to learn to help our tamariki. At the moment we have 14 kaiako that are doing Te Ahu o Te Reo. Te Ahu o Te Reo is a programme to help our kaiako learn te reo and tikanga Māori.



**Safety on the Road**

Parents, please teach our tamariki to get in and out of the car on the footpath side. Their safety should be first.



**Getting to School**

If your tamaiti is riding to school please make sure they are wearing a helmet.



**Attendance at Rānui School**

Keep your tamariki coming to school. Our average attendance since the beginning of Term 3 is 78%. Please let us know if you tamaiti is staying home.

If your child is away please let the office know. You can do this by...

- Replying to the school text
- Phoning the school on 833-6286
- Sending a note to school with another family member or when your child returns to school.



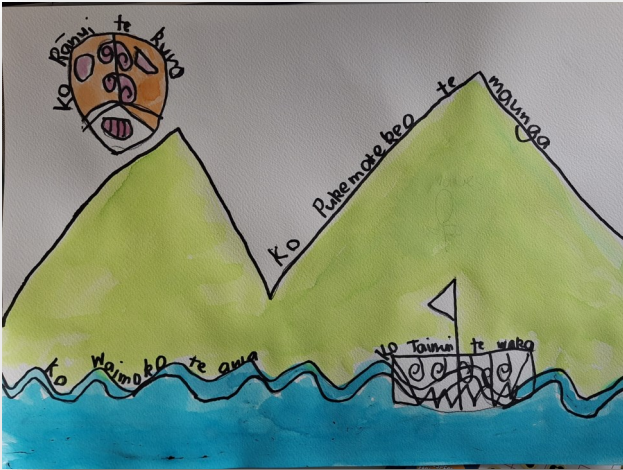
**KĀHU WHANAU HUI**

Thank you to the Kāhu whanau who came to our hui Tuesday night, what a great turnout. We covered many topics such as road safety, upcoming events and fundraising. If you have any questions or ways you could support our team, please let your child's teacher know.



## RUAUMOKO MARAE KELSTON

Nai Edmonds, Kāhu 1 and Kaleido Boroevich, Kāhu 4, visited Ruaumoko Marae in Kelston last week. They had a fantastic time making poi, pikelets, doing art and making friends with other tamariki visiting from other kura from around West Auckland.



Kaleido Boroevich Kāhu 4



Nai Edmonds Kāhu 1

### Woodwork Class

Tangaroa Waitai, Solomon Poutai and Peter Kake of Kāhu whānau have been working hard this term at the Henderson

Workshop. They love going on a Friday morning and learning alongside their mentor. This term the boys have made a stool. Fantastic mahi!





**Kereru 6**  
**Digital Art with Whaea Delishia**  
Artwork inspired by the artist Angie Dean



**Nicole**



**Mira Yabut**



**Godfrey**



**Sofia**



**Onyx**

## WINTER SPORTS

Rānui Rugby Squad battles to the end!

The Rānui Rugby team took on their fierce competitors in an intense battle. Many soldiers required refuge from injuries and hydration breaks. However, it was the

Rānui Open Weight Purple Rugby Team that was the team to watch. Although the team produced different athletic abilities, they found motivation and determination in their captain Victory Mulitalo who led the pack all the way to the finals. The standout combo in the backline between Victory Mulitalo, Gabriel Talau-Brown and Zeejay Peri-Anderson was an unpredictable force. Using their speed, agility and quick-thinking skills they managed to dismantle many teams.

The Rānui Open Weight Black Rugby Team were filled with experience and confidence. This team was the favourite to bring the trophy home. A group of individuals with excellent leadership qualities, pristine defensive and attacking skills that have the potential for a successful future. Their captain and her first year playing rugby, Pandora Keakea represented the purple and black uniform with pride. She was backed up with the tremendous talents of Junior Schmidt, Fili Toalepai, Rapture Oneata, Tazman Lord and Tama Moevao. An unexpected injury from Fusipongi Niupalau left a hole in the backline.

Lastly, the 10-person strong team of the Under 45kgs. The bravery and resilience displayed on the field was admirable. With very few subbing rotations, they battled through their bumps and bruises and persevered. This was displayed by their captain Javarnni -Taylor Keni-Tuala who took a knock to the nose in the early start of their first game. After attending to that situation, he continued on playing for the remainder of the tournament. With the support of his other teammates Tane Waitai, Edwin Henry-Taua and Eli-Jay Yew, he knew his team was in safe hands. And with Felix Haimona bursting through the scene, it is safe to say that the future of the Under 45kgs team has a bright future ahead.

The places in the Henderson Rugby Cluster are as follows...

**Rānui Black Open Weight - 2nd place**

**Rānui Purple Open Weight - 5th place**

**Rānui Under 45kgs Weight - 3rd place**

**Congratulations to all that participated.**



### Term Calendar of Events

DATE	EVENT	TIME	PLACE
6 September	Toloa going to Henderson Intermediate	8am-11am	Henderson Intermediate
10 September	Corbans Art Centre		Kererū Whanau
18 September	Ngā Pū Kākā Speech comp		Rānui Hall
19 September	Kāhu Trip		Auckland Zoo



Hockey B team made it to the finals and placed 3rd Senior students at Ranui Primary school attended one of the biggest events and were ready to compete and represent their kura.

On the 20th of August 2024 the Ranui hockey team went to Albany and competed with different kinds of schools with different kinds of skills.

When they arrived they had big smiles on their faces and showed us that they were ready. As they hopped onto the pitch and were in position, the whistle rings, hockey sticks were ready, the game started. They saw lots of warriors but the only thing they had eyes on was the ball. The game lasted for a few minutes and won that round, and so on.

After the game the team needed an energy break. After lots of rounds they made it to the finals. It was the only thing they needed to place in the podium so they gave it their best. Looking at the warriors they were unstoppable, but the Ranui hockey team were fearless and brave. After lots of struggles Ranui hockey B team still Won and came 3rd place on the podium.

I interviewed their coach and this is what she said, "I felt ecstatic about my team getting 3rd place and working as an astonishing team."

After taking a break, the Ranui hockey team went to their bus, drove to school and came home! Proud that they represented and made their school proud.

**Rhyne Quimzon**  
**Kāhu 1**



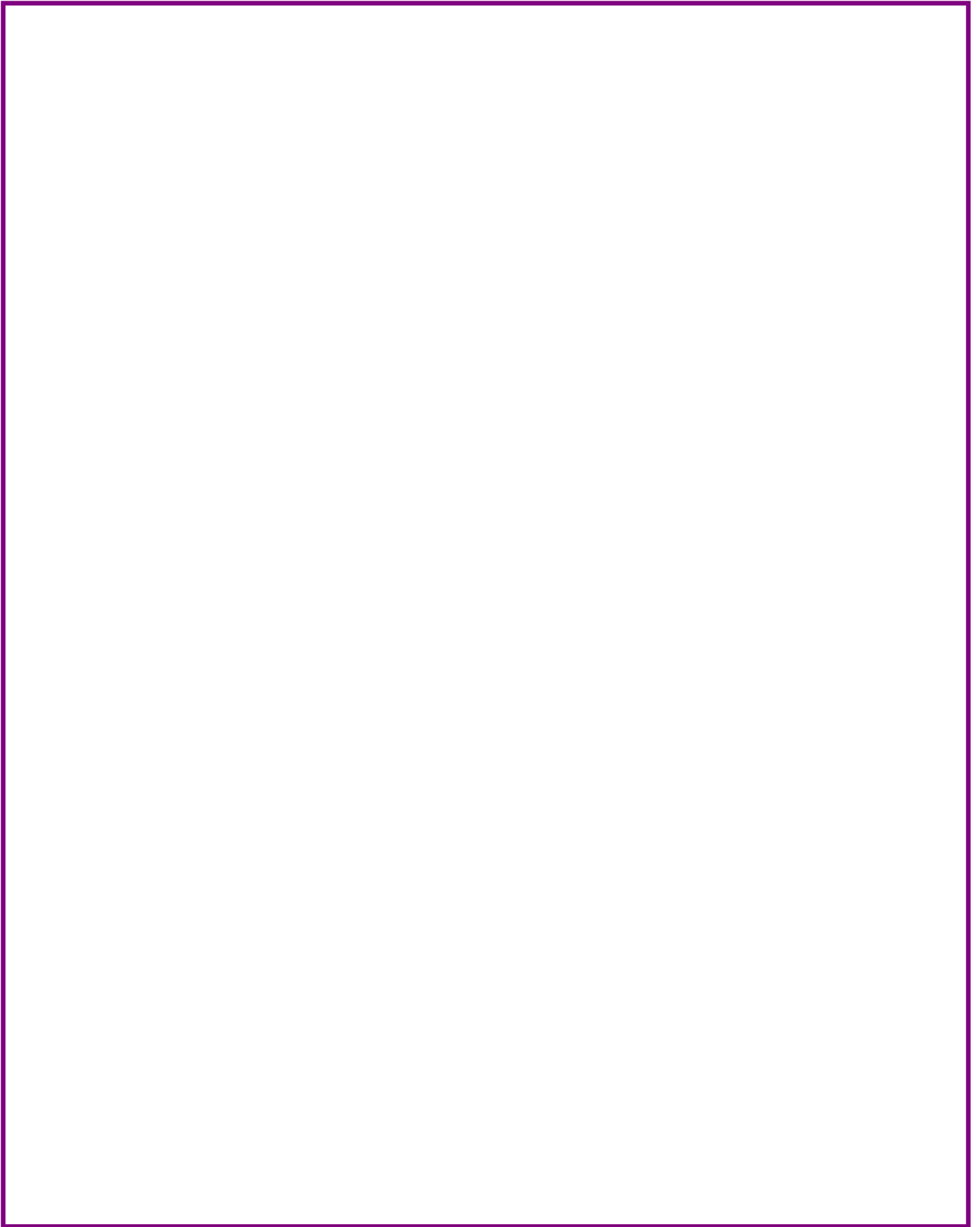
**10AM - 1PM**  
**SATURDAY 28TH SEPTEMBER**

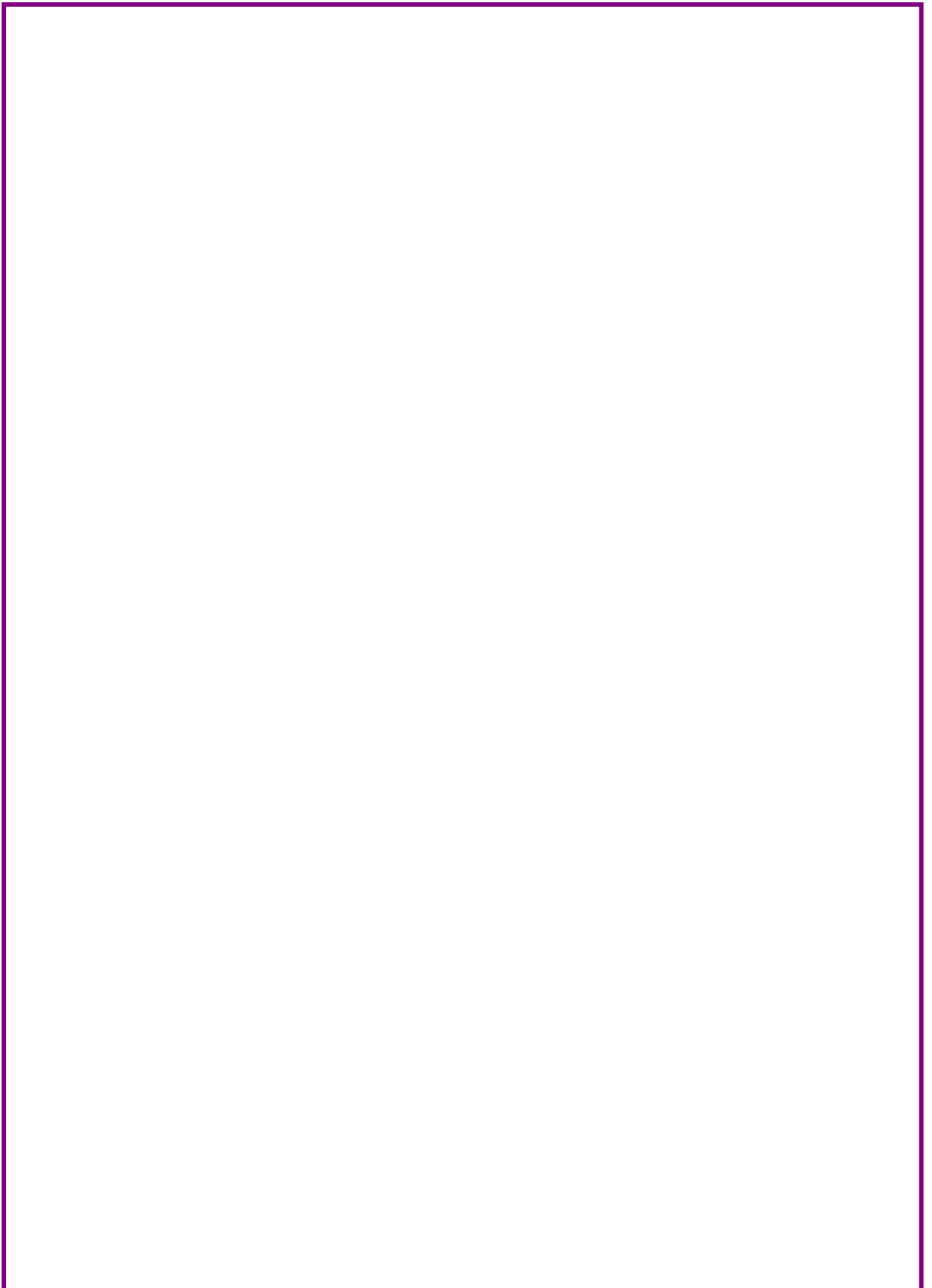
**Massey Birdwood Settlers Hall**  
**Corner Don Buck Road & Red Hills Road**

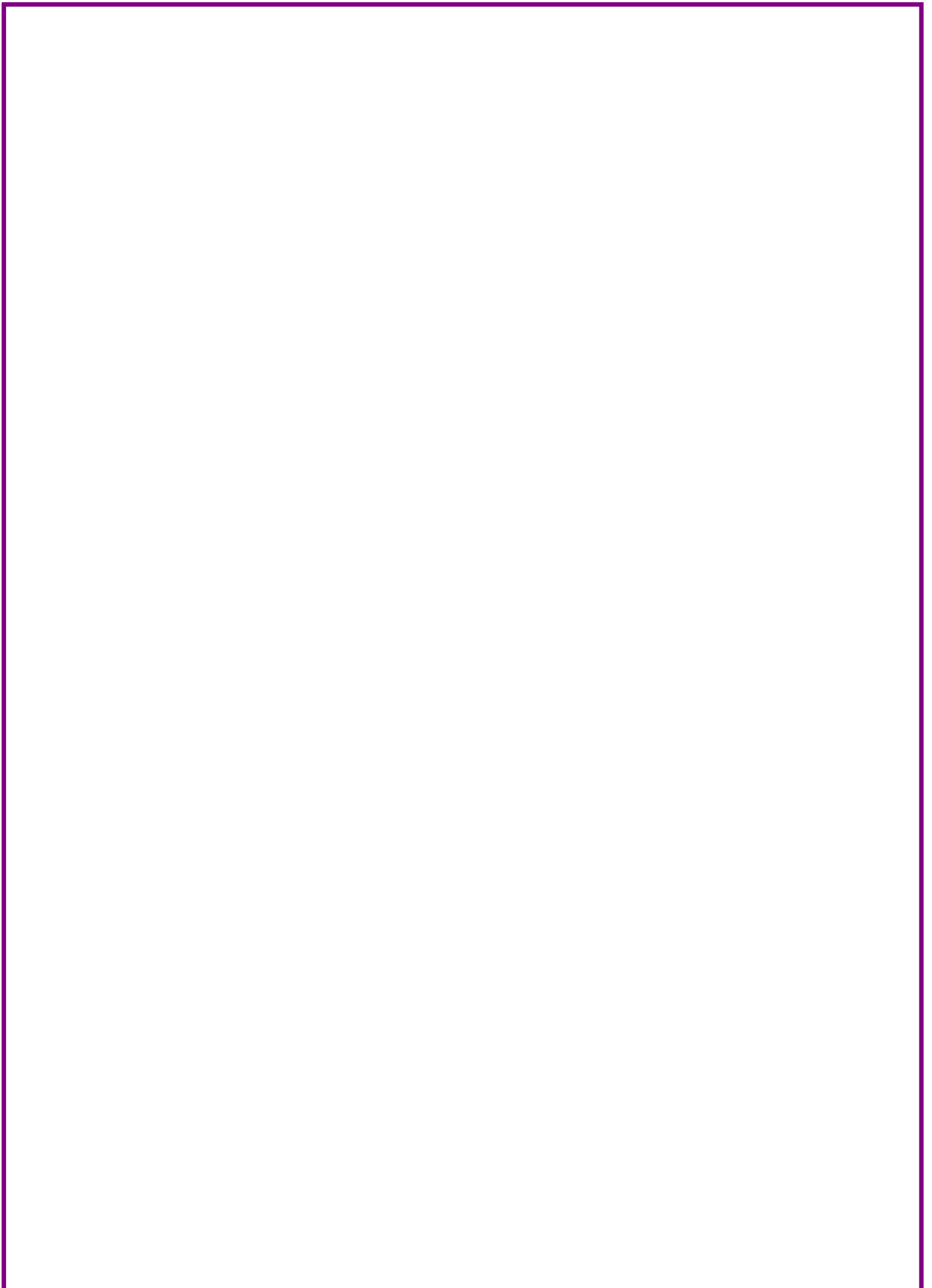
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**TERM CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

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