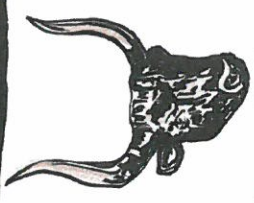


GREEK TIMELINE




Minoan Civilisation begins on Crete
2600 BC



End of Mycenaean Culture
1100 BC



Greek colonies set up from
800 BC



First Olympic Games
776 BC



First Greek coins are made
600 BC



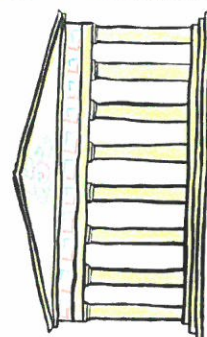
Democracy begins in Athens
508 BC



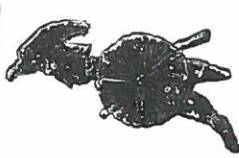
Persian Invasions of Greece
490-480 BC



Birth of the Historian Herodotus
484 BC



Parthenon is built in Athens
447-438 BC



Peloponnesian War between Athens and Sparta
431-404 BC



Death of Alexander the Great
323 BC



Greece becomes part of the Roman Empire