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Editorial

Welcome to Issue 19 of the Newsletter...

Dear Members,

Well, this is my first issue as editor and I'm very pleased to be involved at such an interesting time for the NSCG. I'd like to thank Darren for all his help and I look forward to hearing from lots of you in the future, your views and your articles.

Thanks are also due to all the speakers who participated in our Conference in Norwich, and especially to those who sent papers to me for inclusion in the newsletter. Also, to Nigel Larkin who organised the conference (and the reviving drinks in the mornings!)

In this issue we have the first part of our conference report. (Look out for part II in the September issue). This includes papers presented which deal with the mechanics of moving collections and the innovative ways found to overcome the inevitable difficulties that were encountered along the way. I hope to be bringing news of our website soon, which is currently being designed for us, and also the ongoing discussions of the potential merger with the BCG.

I will make the standard editor's appeal for articles as well as for any interesting websites, items of news, meetings and events to be included in our 'Conservation Focus' section. Also, any interesting books that you think might benefit from a review or a recommendation to our audience, or science collection / collections management issues that could be shared.

Vicki Noble

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