

Editors Report
Jan Freedman 29th April 2020

Firstly, apologies for the late print of Volume 4 of the *Journal of Natural Science Collections*. Some reviewers were a little slow at getting back, but I'm very pleased that this Volume is full of very interesting and high quality articles for the natural science community. From exhibitions to conservation and best practice, Volume 7 is very useful to those working in the sector.

I would really like to thank the Editorial Board, Rob Huxley, Matthew Parkes, Bethany Palumbo, David Notton, Paolo Viscardi, Donna Young, and Lucie Mascord, and all the peer reviewers for their work with articles. Their time and hard work has ensured the Journal articles are to the highest standard.

Two new Notes & Comments articles have been published in the last two months. These are online, free access articles that are not peer reviewed. They cover small projects, conference reviews, and ideas in natural science. I am aiming to publish one a month, and will share the articles as they come out through the NatSCA Jisc Mail.

I am working on the articles from the Conservation conference in October 2018 for a special online series of papers. These articles are being peer reviewed, and will be coming online soon.

Please continue to send ideas for articles to the editor (editor@natsca.org), for both the Notes and Comments and the *Journal of Natural Science Collections*.

I would like to thank the NatSCA committee for their support after I took over the Journal when the previous Editor stepped down. A big thank you to Maggie Reilly, for distributing labels for Volume 7 and organising passwords for the online access. I would also like to give a big thank you to Justine Aw, who uploads all the Journal articles, and all the Notes and Comments articles onto the NatSCA website (<https://www.natsca.org/publications>).