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## **Editorial**

Welcome to issue 11 of our newsletter.

This will be the last newsletter I will be producing here at Liverpool Museum (for the foreseeable future at least!). Last year NMGM was fortunate to be awarded a major grant from the Heritage Lottery Fund. This will enable us to free up collection storage space back to its original gallery status which it was before WWII. The natural history collections will be housed in a new environmentally controlled storage area. As well as allowing greater access to the collections through the new exhibits, the scheme will provide better research facilities for visitors working on the reserve collections.

All this has meant that at the moment we are in the process of planning our move into temporary accommodation whilst building work is completed. As a result I will not have access to the facilities (or the time!) to process the newsletter. Due to this and my own imminent development plan (maternity leave commencing end of August), I will be standing down as Editor from the committee at our AGM. Many thanks to my colleages at NMGM who assisted me over the last couple of years with NSCG related activities.

Please continue to let us know what's going on out there; what projects you're involved with, reviews of any courses you have recently attended.

Many thanks to all those who have contributed to this issue.

Any articles for inclusion in the next newsletter should be sent to Nick Gordon at: New Walk Museum, New Walk, Leicester, LE1 7EA.I

Articles for next newsletter needed by 09.07.99

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