

A note from the Editor

Attentive readers of this magazine will note some changes to the editorial team in this and recent issues. With this issue we welcome Dr Simon Torok (CSIRO Atmospheric Research) as the Book Review Editor. Simon has taken over this task from Dr Kevin Walsh (the University of Melbourne), who has stepped down after several years in this role, to become one of our Associate Editors. The role of Book Review Editor has gone unacknowledged in the past, but we are rectifying this omission beginning with this issue. Barry Hanstrum (Bureau of Meteorology) joined our Associate Editors during 2003, and with this issue we also welcome Dr Mike Revell (NIWA, New Zealand).

At the same time we farewell John Colquhoun (Bureau of Meteorology) and Dr Ian Simmonds (the University of Melbourne) who have both served as Associate Editors for many years.

The *Australian Meteorological Magazine* depends upon its Book Review and Associate Editors for its existence and we thank them for their contribution to the magazine. They all fulfil their tasks on a voluntary basis, and in addition to their normal research and administrative workloads.

Philip Riley