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Editorial

The latter part of 2002 seemed filled with puppet stuff - the National Puppetry Summit - which saw puppeteers, makers, designers and teachers from around the country and world discussing the artform, occurred, The Snuff Puppets and Polyglot Puppet Theatre toured internationally and Malcolm C Cook and Associates massive production of *The Lion, The Witch and The Wardrobe* opened to name only a few goings-on.

In this edition, I have included some of the keynote addresses from the Puppet Summit and well as Summit summaries and reviews. As we were swamped with information from the Summit some of the articles will be carried over to the March edition.

A special thanks must go out to Jenny Gardner and Julia Davies who put together the last edition of the magazine and surprisingly enough, it didn't scare Julia off who has agreed to share the editorship with me for the following year. This means your Autumn and Spring editions will be edited by Julia and the Winter and Summer editions by me. I cannot thank Julia enough for taking on this role as four editions a year is extremely difficult for one person to achieve. Please note the email address for the magazine has changed. (see back pg.)

Thanks again to all those you contributed to this edition. Please continue to supply us with what is happening in your state and I hope you enjoy the Summer edition of the magazine. **Sarah**

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