

EDITORIAL

Welcome, readers, to the second issue of the *Australian Journal of Parapsychology*, or *AJPara*. We received nothing but praise for our first issue, and we hope to continue this happy state of affairs with our present issue.

We have some new features: a Correspondence section for letters to the editor; a humorous interlude; and Technical Paper No. 1, which contains information of interest to our readers who understand statistics. For those people to whom statistics is a closed book we recommend reading just the Introduction and the Discussion sections of this paper in order to get a flavour of the background, predictions and their outcome. We continue to have book reviews, and a section on experiences, which in the present case consists of reports of near-death experiences.

We thank all those people who submitted contributions to this issue, but we seek more for the third and fourth issues that will comprise Volume 2. If you would like to submit something—a scientific article, an experience, or a book review—feel very free to do so, sending it to me via e-mail (my address is [psym-tha@psychology.adelaide.edu.au](mailto:psym-tha@psychology.adelaide.edu.au)) or on computer disk in IBM format, or, if absolutely necessary, typed neatly on paper. For the format of material, please follow the style as it appears in this issue of the Journal.

Last but not least, it is time for some readers to renew their subscriptions, and this can now be done by credit card (see last page). We hope you will want to continue enjoying the *AJPara*.

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Editor