

## ***VICTORIAN LANDCARE & CATCHMENT MANAGEMENT MAGAZINE***

### ***CONTRIBUTION GUIDELINES***

If you have an idea for a story, or are considering submitting a story to the magazine, please get in touch with the editor as early as possible. The magazine fills up fast and the editor will be able to provide assistance, and advice to help you prepare your story and to put space aside for it.

Each issue of the magazine has a theme. The editor can provide advice as to upcoming themes for the magazine and the best issue for your story.

Your story should discuss the challenges, successes, and failures of your project. Readers are keen to find out what worked, what didn't work and what has been learnt.

Stories written in the active voice with quotes (from landholders and group members) are preferred.

Reading back issues of the magazines can be useful to see the type of stories we publish. Go to: <https://www.landcarevic.org.au/landcare-magazine/>

### **Hyperlinks**

Hyperlinks (to websites, reports, videos, and podcasts) can be included in the digital edition of the magazine (published on the website of the Victorian Landcare Gateway), but are not included in the print edition.

Please include hyperlinks at the bottom of your story not as part of a sentence.

### **Word length and images**

A two-page feature is around 900 words, plus 3-4 high-res jpg images.

A one-page story is around 500 words with 1-2 high-res jpg images.

A high-res jpg is an electronic image at least 15cm in size when saved at 300dpi (this makes a file size of around 1MB).

All photographs must be captioned. Photographs are not credited due to lack of space. Please check that people in the photographs are happy to have their photograph published. Photographs of children require the approval of parents or guardians.

Shorter stories and notices about upcoming events are also welcome.

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