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Editorial

Welcome to the Autumn issue of *Pharos*. With the cooler weather comes a range of history events to enjoy in April and May, including the Ballarat Heritage Festival and the Australian Heritage Festival. **Dr Fiona Gatt** will give the annual Weston Bate Oration for the Royal Historical Society. Professional development opportunities include the Graduate Oral History online training course offered by Oral History Australia.

In this issue our profiled member, **Douglas Wilkie**, reflects thoughtfully on the research and projects he has worked on throughout his career. **Ellen Spalding** provides a lively review of the much-enjoyed PHA (Vic & Tas) organised trip to the Golden Dragon Museum in Bendigo, and **Helen D Harris OAM** shares her achievement in developing walking tours for the Box Hill Historical Society. We also recognise members who have contributed their expertise to recent news stories. Finally, in President's News, **Sophie Couchman** highlights some of the recent changes to how PHA (Vic & Tas) communicates with members, as well as opportunities to get involved in the PHA (Vic & Tas) Committee of Management.

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