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This edition of Library Connect has new journal issues and a few online articles for your interest. The Library currently has a number of books that are available free to staff and associates on the 'discards' table. These include donated books or surplus copies removed from the Library's collection. Please feel free to visit and browse!

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Thank you,
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For your interest

ABC News

15 August 2026

Botanical illustrations by women shape our knowledge of Australia's flora.

Rose Kerr

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18 August 2026

Science quiz: How much do you know about our native flowers?

Kylie Andrews

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Fungi fans celebrate its recognition as nature's third living kingdom.

Hannah Ross

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Austral Ecology 51, no. 8: e70271

12 August 2026

Deadwood for recovery? Woody debris addition did not accelerate small fauna recovery after major flooding.

Emily L. Scicluna, Mitchell Kroemer, Andrew J. Pask, Peter Cale, Heather Neilly

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Muelleria 44: 71–147

27 May 2026

Grampians botany, with notes on pre-Federation botanical collectors, taxonomists and illustrators of novel taxa.

John Leslie Dowe

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Pacific Conservation Biology, 32(4), PC25079

6 July 2026

Lessons from a participatory process to improve the utility of Sense of Place in conservation decision-making: an Australian case study and perspective.

Kate A. Jones, Joe Duggan, Christopher Cvitanovic, Ingrid van Putten, Lisa Evans, Carla Alexandra, Matthew Beitzel, Emma Carlson, Karen Ikin, Nic Jario, Laura Rayner, Madeleine C. Rudder, Melissa Snape, Danny Spelic.

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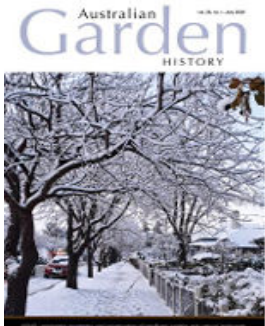
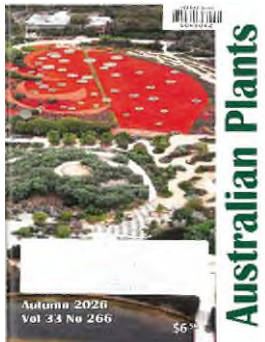
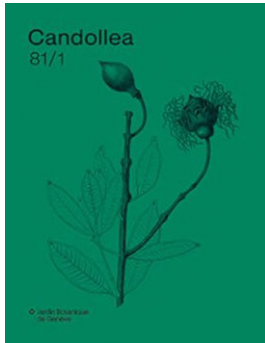
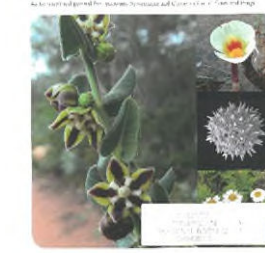
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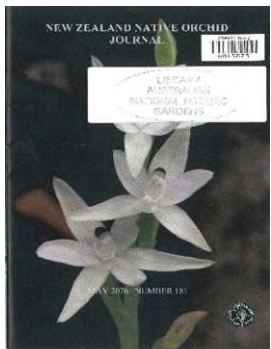
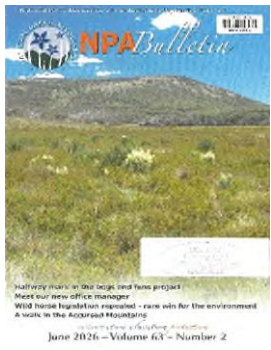
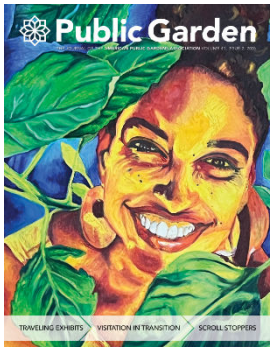
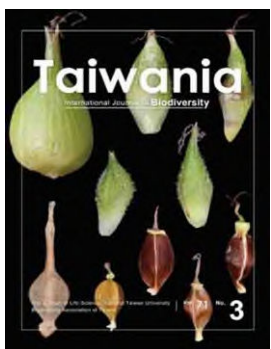
June 2026

State of the World's Plants and Fungi 2026: The Digital Biodiversity Revolution

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New journal issues

	<u>Australian Garden History</u> Volume 38 Issue 1 July 2026 <i>“The July issue of Australian Garden History celebrates the enduring value of trees, gardens and green spaces. Its cover records a major weather event in New England in August 2025: the big snow.” – Australian Garden History Society</i> Shelf no. AUS
	<u>Australian Plants</u> Volume 33 Issue 266 Autumn 2026 <i>“The articles in this edition reflect the dynamic and ever evolving character of the Australian garden. Several pieces explore the collections that are shaped by geographic themes and strong ecological principles, many of them centred on southeastern Australia.” – Tex Moon, Royal Botanic Gardens Victoria.</i> Shelf no. AUS
	<u>Candollea</u> Volume 81 Issue 1 2026 <i>“Candollea is a peer-reviewed botanical journal that publishes original scientific papers focused on taxonomy, systematics, nomenclature, phytogeography, and history of botany.” – BioOne Digital Library</i> Shelf no. CAN
	<u>Kew Bulletin</u> Vol. 81 Issue 2 2026 <i>“Kew Bulletin is an international peer-reviewed journal for the taxonomy, systematics and conservation of vascular plants and fungi.” – Royal Botanic Gardens Kew</i> Shelf no. KEW

	<u>New Zealand Native Orchid Group Journal</u> Number 181 May 2026 <i>“The Journal, published quarterly, provides a link among members and a forum to discuss ideas, new discoveries and report on scientific changes. Journal articles often provide early reports of new discoveries that can lead to the description of new species.” – New Zealand Native Orchid Group</i> Shelf no. NEW
	<u>NPA Bulletin</u> Volume 63 Issue 2 June 2026 <i>“The quarterly NPA Bulletin reports on NPA activities including decisions by the Committee; walks and work parties; general meetings; and conservation-related topics in the ACT and surrounding region.” – National Parks Association ACT</i> Shelf no. NPA
	<u>Public Garden</u> Volume 41 Issue 2 2026 <i>“The journal of the American Public Gardens Association, presents current, engaging content devoted to the world of public gardens.” – American Public Gardens Association</i> Shelf no. PUB
	<u>Taiwania</u> Volume 71 Issue 3 2026 <i>“The Journal publishes original research articles, scientific notes, and invited or submitted reviews on all aspects of biodiversity, including taxonomy, phylogeny, morphology, genetics, ecology and evolutionary biology, at all levels of organization from molecular, organismal, population, community to ecosystem.” – Taiwania</i> Shelf no. TAI