

## Report from our Magazine Editor

Colin Gamm suggested I volunteer as 'acting editor' back in August last year, given I had some experience in producing newsletters etc, and had a media background in the Home Shopping industry. He offered, and has provided, invaluable support from his own experience in publishing. Together with an editorial team, we have endeavoured to freshen up the ASPRA magazine's appearance and its content.

We have an intention to be as topical as possible and as questioning as we can be, given our non-political stance. I would like us to be unforgiving and sceptical over ineptitude and downright silliness wherever we find it, however. I think we should also be entertaining and informative if the chance arises. Three issues in and I think we're beginning to do okay, but it's with great thanks to an enthusiastic editorial team and support from the rest of the committee members.

The magazines are scheduled out in October, February and May and, at the moment we're keeping to the timetable.

We are currently using TD Print in Addiscombe, a business run by two incredibly helpful Dutch guys.

I pick up the invoices but, in truth, hardly look at them. I reckon that each issue costs roughly 60p per copy, but our finance team may have better information than me.

Phil