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Editor's Commentary

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Our third year of the journal is now complete! What a wonderful experience of interacting with so many wonderful authors from so many countries to bring this open access (free!) academic journal available to readers around the world!

Here are some of the data in review for Volume 3!

- Authors represented these countries:
 - New Zealand
 - South Africa
 - Thailand
 - United Kingdom
 - United States
 - Wales

We continue to celebrate our international presence through both authors and readership.

- During the last 12 months here are the top 10 articles with their respective number of abstract views and downloads:

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IN MEMORADIUM: This year we also honored our sand therapy colleagues who have died:

- Gisela Shubach DeDomenico (Issue 1)
- Sherry Fisher (Issue 3)
- Eunice Stagg (Issue 3)
- Milo Katsumata (Issue 3)

WASTP continues to honor those who have led us, developed our field, and perhaps published in the journal. They each enriched our world!

As we look toward 2026, I encourage and welcome manuscripts! Please see the updated [Authors Guidelines](#) for submissions as we expand our accessibility guidelines for all readers. If you would like to explore possible ideas for a manuscript, please contact me directly at lhomeyer@txstate.edu

I wish you all a very Happy New Year,

Linda Homeyer

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