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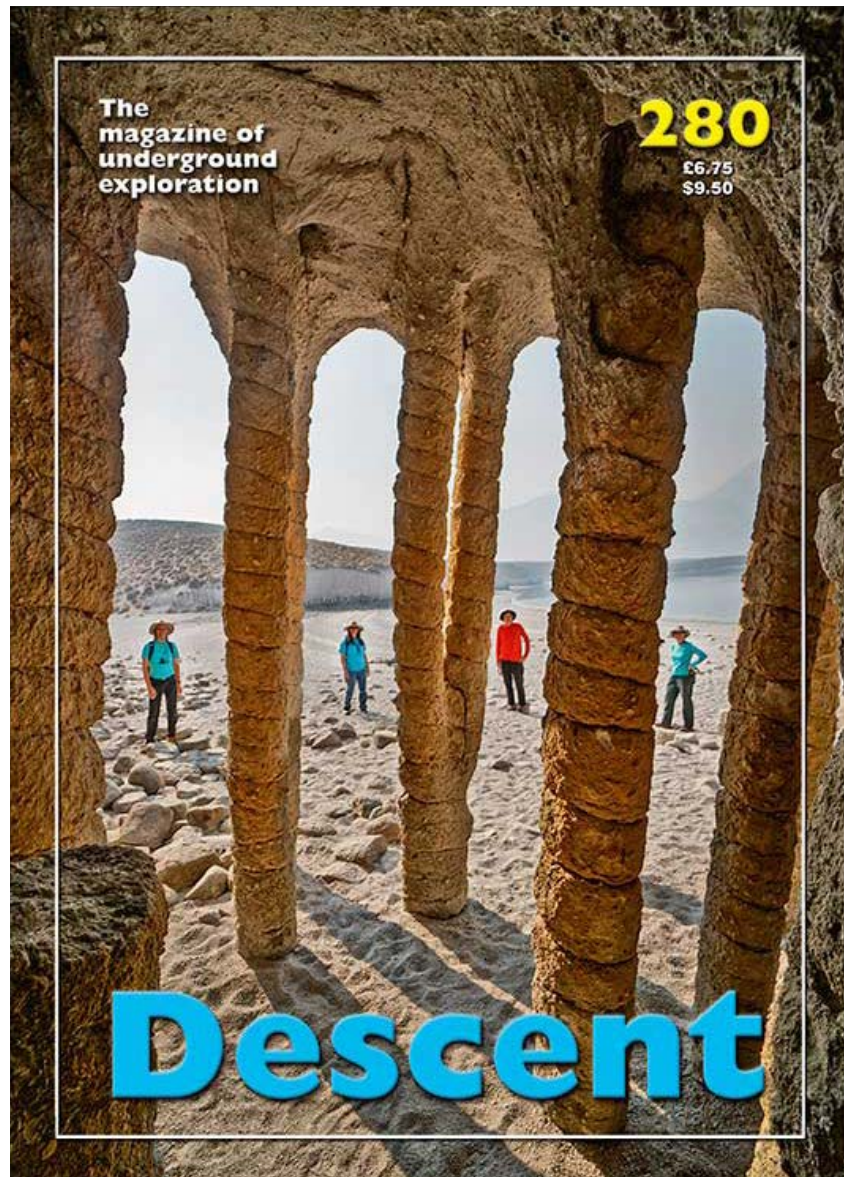
**THAT** caving has begun to resume with a little more normality is great news and we at *Descent* have started to receive news reports of breakthroughs from current digs, rather than catching up with older explorations. Indeed, the overall feedback about *Descent* has been uplifting so thank you to all our readers and supporters for your welcome comments.

The August edition is almost ready to go to print and reports on some of these breakthroughs, both in the news pages and as articles with surveys. We also have articles on identifying risks of floods, caving in the 1950s, how to repair broken stal and a competition to win a Petzl Boreo Caving helmet. For a chance to be the proud owner you will, of course, need a copy of issue (281).

That brings our usual plea: if you haven't renewed your subscription yet, but intend to do so, please go online or put a cheque in the post soon. Renewing in advance of the posting helps us a lot, given the time it takes to post individual issues rather than mass mailing direct from the printer (plus, you will receive your issue much sooner). If you haven't yet subscribed at all, you can find out more about the current issue by clicking on the image.

Newsletter (9) mentioned two of our best selling titles. those by Dave Gill: *Journeys Beneath the Earth* and *More Journeys Beneath the Earth*. Now we also have two incredible books that were reported as 'coming soon' in the June *Descent*, and are now here. If you haven't guessed, these are John Volanthen's *Thirteen Lessons that Saved Thirteen Lives* and Rick Stanton's *Aquanaut*. Both revolve around the cave diving rescue in Tham Luang in Thailand that captured the world's media and have been selling so well already, even in advance of the reviews in the next *Descent*, that we have reordered stock four times. Go on, force us to reorder again :-) ... and in doing so, you will read two (or four) of the best books you will ever come across in the caving world.

By the way, just as the two diving books were released, we also received a supply of our own design



of caving bookmarks. These are laminated to make them last longer than plain card, feature caving images on both sides and are free with any book order.

We hope to see you online soon as well as through the pages of *Descent*.

Best wishes from  
Chris & Judith

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