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Greetings to you, UltraMarine reader!

So here we are with our penultimate issue of 2018 and hopefully there's something for everyone in the following pages.

Of special mention, I'm really pleased to feature such a stunning hobbyist tank this issue and many thanks to Bryn Roberts for agreeing not only to allow me access to his home for the photoshoot, but also for writing a really entertaining piece. I can certainly relate to some of those experiences!

Beyond this we've got Mike Paletta updating us on the development of his new system, and we welcome back Kirsty Youngs as she brings us a thought-provoking piece on plastics in the hobby. With the BBCs 'Drowning in Plastic' series generating much discussion at the time of writing, kudos to Kirsty for providing such a pertinent piece.

I had a fairly quiet summer myself, gardening mainly, while my reef ticked over. The period of 'benign neglect' seems to have done it the world of good but I'm turning back to it as the weather closes in for another 6 months!

That reminds me, keep your eyes open for some cracking product reviews as we go into 2019. After Interzoo, the magazine seems to have gained further traction and this should continue to have positive knock-on effects!

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