

WEBSITE REPORT 2004
Executive /AGM MEETING

Due to administrative oversight, I have been doing Paul's duties.

The web coordinator Erin Cadieu resigned to go back to school. However, she did recommend Doug Berner of Kromko Productions Inc in Edmonton. Doug has been very helpful in setting us up and was instrumental in getting the conference program up on the CSAS site.

The program has also been sited under the AIC site under the titles "calendar" and "conferences". This was in response to a request by Jean Sullivan (suggested by Shannon Scott and Mick Price) that she was willing to do that for us.

We also added links to Canadian Agri-Food Research Council (CARC), Canadian Meat Science Association. They reciprocated by putting a link to our site on theirs.

It continues to be a struggle getting the email addresses of all our members. People change addresses and that causes bounce backs. I suppose the same situation applies to postal addresses when people move. It is also impossible to make the university system compatible with the AAFC system. Similar compatible problems may crop up when a president comes from industry.

The incoming webmaster should investigate the possibility of housing our site with AIC and getting them to manage and send out information to our members. After all the AIC has the master sheet of our membership and they are the ones who supply the society with the email addresses

Respectfully submitted
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