Fall 2004

Important Dates and Deadlines Checklist

February 2
Abstracts deadline for the undergraduate paper presentation contest (same as for the parent organization). Submit electronically at http://www.fass.org/2005

February 18-19
Midwest ADSA-SAD Meeting at South Dakota State University.

May 1
The following must be postmarked and mailed to ADSA-SAD:

1. Membership Application, Roster of Dairy Club members, and dues ($5.00 each) for individuals wishing to be ADSA members.
2. Outstanding Student and Advisor nomination forms.
4. Activities symposium entry form.
5. Chapter Display needs (electricity, etc.) You are responsible for bringing your own extension cords.

May 15
Chapter Web Site Competition entry form deadline.
**May 30**

Annual Report Title Page must be postmarked and mailed to ADSA-SAD.

**The month of June**

SAD Chapter Web Site Contest Judging

**June 15**

Dairy Quiz Bowl Team Entry forms due.

**Four weeks prior to the meeting:**

Clubs not attending the meeting but wishing to compete in the Annual Report, Yearbook and Scrapbook judging competitions should mail their materials to ADSA-SAD.

**July 24-28**

ADSA/ASAS/CSAS Joint Annual Meeting in Cincinnati, Ohio (SAD activities begin on July 23)

**July 25**

Complete Annual Reports with attached Title Pages, Yearbooks and Scrapbooks should be submitted at the meeting for the judging competition.

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**A Note from the SAD President...**

With the World Dairy Expo over and the All-American Show in Harrisburg no longer underwater, we can all get settled back into classes and wait for Thanksgiving Break. I would like to take this opportunity to give thanks to the individuals and schools who made the National ADSA-SAD a fun and educational time. Schools from all over the country came to compete, Washington State to North Carolina, and Minnesota to Louisiana State. When everyone comes together, friends are made, good times are had, and one school gets to go home with braggin’ rights…until next year.

Additionally, I tip my hat to last year’s officer team for planning and executing another great SAD Convention. This year’s officer team is well underway to planning a exciting convention in Cincinnati, Ohio. Each year more, schools participate in the different events; dairy bowl, scrapbook and paper presentations just top mention a few, next year’s competition will be even tougher and more exciting.

So as the next convention comes closer, each school better come prepared to compete, learn and have a good time. Good luck to everyone in the rest of the semester and make sure to mark July 24-28th for Cincinnati.

Thanks again,

Andy Lenkaitis
A look back at this year’s meeting…

The 2004 SAD Meeting in St. Louis was a hit! Held July 24-27, more than 100 students and advisors in addition to the nearly 4000 professionals from the US, Mexico, Canada, and elsewhere were in attendance. St. Louis proved a great venue for meetings and fun. The meeting started with a tour of Monsanto’s Biotechnology Research Facility, immediately followed by an afternoon at Busch Stadium where the St. Louis Cardinals hosted the San Francisco Giants. The students from Cal Poly were pretty excited about this match up! Sunday’s pizza party got everyone into the meeting mode, as teams took their spot in the 3rd annual Dairy Quiz Bowl. On Monday, the students got down to business with an opening business meeting, outstanding paper competitions, outstanding student interviews, and much more. The evening was capped off with a wild night of fun and dancing. Tuesday brought students together one final time for an enlightening career symposium: Leaders in Training, presented by Dr. Jennifer Garrett, Monsanto. The program ended with the student luncheon with a lively and interactive keynote address by Dr. Garrett, followed by presentation of club and individual awards.

Actions taken at this summer’s SAD Business Meetings:
- Move forward with discussions related to regional meeting standardization, topics for discussion to include competitions, awards, etc.
- Enforcement of competition deadlines. Clubs must meet competition deadlines. Those that submit their entries late may not be able to participate in the competition.
- Outstanding Student Competition entry form and scorecard. A number of changes were adopted to help with judging.
- Competition judges can be sought from the entire ADSA membership rather than just students and advisors.
- Genevieve Christen Outstanding Student Award winner: SAD proposed the award committee request a letter of recognition of student accomplishments. Letter should be 300 words or less and will be read at the student luncheon while student winner stands.
- Creation of a Digital Yearbook competition. 2005 will be a trial year, with first year of competition in 2006.
- Proposed increase in award stipend for Outstanding Student Award. ADSA Board authorized the stipend be increased to $300 to be more competitive with other competitions.
- Proposed SAD be included in ADSA Headquarters’ uploading of all presentations at meeting time.

Dr. Jennifer Garrett, Monsanto, addresses the students during the SAD luncheon.
Dairy Quiz Bowl, 2nd Place: University of Wisconsin-Madison.

Dairy Quiz Bowl 2004 winners: Penn State University.

National Advisor Dave Winston presents Jess Worobey, Penn State, with the SAD Outstanding Student Award.
President Jeremy Moyer congratulates Andrea Barton, Washington State University, winner of the Production Division Paper Competition.

President Moyer presents Kathrine Harwick, Penn State, with her first place certificate for the Dairy Foods Paper Competition.

### 2004 SAD Award Winners & New Officers

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3rd Place Chapter Award  
Louisiana State

Outstanding **Student Award**  
Jessica Worobey, Penn State

Outstanding **Advisor Award**  
Ed Jaster, Cal Poly

**Dairy Foods** 1st Place  
Kathrine Harwick, Penn State

Dairy Foods 2nd Place  
Bridget Lyons, LSU

Dairy Foods 3rd Place  
Lauren Daubert, VA Tech

**Production** 1st Place  
Andrea Barten, Washington State

Production 2nd Place  
Meghan Moody, PSU

Production 3rd Place  
Ryan Sterry, UWRF

**Original Research** 1st Place  
Ana Barndollar, Univ of Vermont

Original Research 2nd Place  
Lindsay Hughes, VA Tech

Original Research 3rd Place  
Wayne Wencl, UWRF

**Chapter Most Miles Traveled**  
Cal Poly

Dairy Quiz Bowl 1st Place  
Penn State

Dairy Quiz Bowl 2nd Place  
University of Wisconsin - Madison

2004 SAD 1st Yr Advisor  
Dr. Cathleen Williams, LSU

2004 SAD Officer at Large  
Eddie Avila, Washington St. Univ

2004 SAD Secretary Treasurer  
Emily Yeiser, Penn State

2004 SAD 3rd Vice President  
Amy Hazel, U of Minnesota

2004 SAD 2nd Vice President  
Luke Buttles, UWRF

2004 SAD 1st Vice President  
Justin Roberts, LSU

2004 SAD President  
Andy Lenkaitis, Illinois

*The SAD 2004 meeting photos are now posted --http://www.adsa.org/sad04meetphotos.asp.*
Meet your new Officers….

Your 2004-05 ADSA Student Affiliate Division Officer Team

Left to right, seated: Dr. Cathleen Williams, Louisiana State University, 1st Yr Advisor; Emily Yeiser, Penn State, Secretary-Treasurer; Amy Hazel, University of Minnesota, 3rd VP; Luke Butts, UWRF, 2nd VP.
Standing: Justin Roberts, LSU, 1st VP; Dr. Ed Jaster, California Polytechnic State University, 2nd Year Advisor; Andy Lenkaitis, University of Illinois, President; Mr. Dave Winston, Virginia Tech, 3rd Yr Advisor; Eddie Avila, Washington State University, Officer at Large.

These leaders took office during the SAD annual meeting in St. Louis. Please don't hesitate to contact them if you have a question or suggestion for the ADSA Student Affiliate Division during the academic year.

Hello, my name is Andy Lenkaitis, and I am currently serving as the ADSA-SAD President. I am a Senior at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign. I have a double major in Agriculture Engineering and Agricultural Science, as well as a minor in Animal Sciences. I am involved with several different clubs, including the Illini Dairy Club, Illini Pullers, and Alpha Gamma Sigma Professional Agricultural Fraternity. I grew up on a small 40-cow dairy farm in northern Illinois, about 50 miles west of Chicago. I have always been involved in showing and judging dairy cattle, as well as competing in dairy bowl contests through various organizations. After college, I plan to attain my master’s degree and possibly a doctorate, and work either as a consultant or as a forage equipment engineer.

As President this year, I plan to continue to encourage more schools to participate at the national meeting, in addition to help the SAD gear up for the Centennial Celebration in 2006. I know the SAD will have a great year, and if you have any questions feel free to e-mail me at alenkait@uiuc.edu

Hello, I’m Justin Roberts, your 1st Vice President. I am a senior in dairy science at LSU, and I am currently applying to the LSU School of Veterinary Medicine. I grew up on a small Holstein dairy farm in Kentwood, LA. This year I am serving as the president of our dairy science club at LSU, member of the Pre-Vet club, as well as a college of Ag ambassador, the Les Voyageurs. I look forward to seeing everyone this July in Cincinnati, Ohio.
Hello, my name is Luke Buttles I am a fifth year student in Dairy Science at the University of Wisconsin-River Falls. I am from Seymour, Wisconsin just outside of Green Bay, GO PACKERS, where my grandparents sold their dairy farm and my parents bought the heifer barn. I will be graduating in December of 2005 with degrees in Agricultural Education and Dairy Science.

After student teaching I will decide whether I am going to teach agriculture or work in the dairy industry either as a herdsman or with a genetics company. While at college I have been very active in the dairy club participating in every activity possible as well as holding two officer positions. I have also been very active in other clubs such as Ag. Ed. Society, and Block & Bridal. Participating in many activities and also holding two officer positions and committee chairs. As vice president I hope to increase attendance at the national meeting and standardize contests at both regional and national contests also bring poster and presentation contests to the Midwest regional meeting. That being said I am looking forward to seeing all of you in Cincinnati OH next July.

My name is Amy Hazel, a Senior at the University of Minnesota-Twin Cities. My major is Animal Science-Dairy Production emphasis and I also have a minor in Applied Economics. I am planning to graduate in Fall of 2005 and then go on to graduate school in dairy genetics.

At college, I have been involved in several campus organizations. I have been active in the Gopher Dairy Club, where I was the yearbook editor for two years and also chaired the National 4-H Conference Committee, in addition to being involved with ADSAs. I am also a member of Beta of Clovia Sorority, Collegiate Agri-Women, Agricultural Ambassadors, and Alpha Zeta Honorary Fraternity.

This year, our officer team is working on planning one of the best SAD conferences ever, to be held in Cincinnati. We are working towards getting the regional meetings standardized to the national level for contests and activities, and also working for more club participation at meetings. I am really looking forward to this coming year working on the ADSA-SAD board!

Hi! My name is Emily Yeiser and I am sophomore majoring in Animal Sciences at Penn State University. I am from Annapolis, Maryland and do not live on a farm. I began my involvement in the dairy industry through the leasing program and now currently own a herd of 10 registered Holsteins and Brown Swiss. At Penn State I am very active in the Dairy Science club, Collegiate 4-H, Ag Student Council and Ag Advocates. I have co-chaired the Penn State Spring Dairy Judging contest, helped with the Nittany Lion Fall Classic sale and Cheesebox fundraiser and am currently a coordinator for a brand new Cow Camp that the club will hold in the spring.

I am very excited to hold the office of ADSA-SAD Secretary/Treasurer and am looking forward to helping plan this years’ meeting and events!
Hi, I am Eddie Avila, a senior in Animal Science at Washington State University. I am from Moses Lake, Washington, where my family has a 700-cow dairy farm. I will be graduating in December of 2005 with a degree in Animal Science and a minor in Agricultural Economics. Upon graduation I would like to go back to the family dairy farm and eventually have my own. This is my second year in the Dairy Club and I am currently our club president.

As Officer-At-Large of ADSA-SAD I hope to increase the participation in the clubs from the Western United States at our national meeting. I am looking forward to seeing you all in Cincinnati, Ohio in July.

If you have information you’d like to post to the Pipeline, contact Molly Kelley at kelleymt@aol.com. The Pipeline is posted twice each year, once in the fall and once in the spring. Deadline for submissions are October 15 and February 15.