ADSA Student Affiliate Division

Pipeline Newsletter

Fall 2008

Important Dates and Deadlines Checklist

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**February 9, 2009**

**February 27-28, 2009**
Midwest Regional ADSA at North Dakota State University

**February 19-22, 2009**
Southern ADSA-SAD at Clemson University

**TBA**
Northeast ADSA-SAD Date & Location TBA

**May 15, 2009** (note later deadline!) 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. (students must be ADSA members to participate in competitions or run for office)
2. Outstanding Student and Advisor nomination forms.
4. Activities symposium entry form.
5. Chapter Display needs (electricity, etc.) Clubs should bring their own extension cords.
6. Chapter Web Site Competition entry form deadline.
7. Electronic yearbook competition entry deadline (entry should include 3 copies on cd of the electronic yearbook file for judging)
8. Annual Report Title Page must be postmarked and mailed to ADSA-SAD.
9. Dairy Quiz Bowl Entry forms

**June 1-30, 2009**
- SAD Chapter Web Site Contest Judging
- Electronic Yearbook Contest Judging

**June 10, 2009**
Early Registration Deadline – Student Registration for ADSA members is Free! Registrations received after June 10 will be at a higher registration rate.

**June 12, 2009**
Deadline to reserve Housing for the 2009 Meeting.

**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 11-16, 2009**
ADSA/ASAS Joint Annual Meeting in Montreal, Quebec, Canada. SAD activities begin with a tour on Saturday, July 11 and wrap up on Tuesday, July 14 after the banquet.

**Monday during the SAD Meeting**
Complete Annual Report with attached Title Page, Yearbooks and Scrapbooks should be submitted at the meeting for the judging competition.

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

As the semester gets into full swing, I hope everything is going well. This is a busy time of year for us all, but I would like to get you thinking about the upcoming year with the Student Affiliate Division. We have a lot of great events planned for this year, and we hope thing will be better than ever. First, I would like to thank everyone involved with the annual meetings this past July in Indianapolis. The officer and advisor team did a wonderful job hosting the meetings, and everyone in attendance had a great time. Congratulations to all of the award winners!

Your 2008-2009 officer team is already hard at work to plan the 2009 meetings in Montreal, Canada. As always, we welcome any suggestions you have for us to make this event even better than before. We are all very excited about this opportunity to work with other students and professionals in the dairy industry.

I would like to encourage everyone to get involved and spread the word about ADSA-SAD. This is a wonderful organization full of opportunities. Students can participate in quiz bowl competitions, undergraduate research projects, and dairy production and foods papers at regional and national events. Active members will no doubt reap the benefits. Be on the lookout for more information about meetings in your region, and plan now to see us in Montreal next summer. Please don’t forget that passports will be required for this trip.

The entire officer team is very excited about the upcoming year. Thank you for this opportunity.

We hope to see you in Montreal!

Sincerely,
Emily Waggoner
National ADSA-SAD President
A Look Back at this Year’s Meeting…. 

Nearly 100 student and advisors attended this year’s meetings in Indianapolis, Indiana.

**Sunday:** A trip to Indianapolis would not be complete without visiting the famed Indy 500 Speedway. Students and advisors toured the Raceway Museum and several even took a ride around the track! Then we took in a minor league Indianapolis Indians baseball game. The students enjoyed an all-you-could-eat-and-drink pre-game picnic while the advisors were treated to a hospitality suite. A great time was had by all!

**Monday:** On Monday students met at noon for the first official event of the meeting, the Midday Pizza Party and Mixer. Aside from some really good pizza, the mixer was a great way for students to get acquainted with students from other clubs and to get to know the officer candidates. The lunch was followed by this year’s Dairy Quiz Bowl. This year the Quiz Bowl moved to a double elimination event, which greatly increased the level of competition and excitement. Sunday night, students joined the parent organization for the Opening Session and Reception, a great chance for students to mingle and even do a little networking.

**Tuesday:** It was all business Tuesday with a full day of business meetings, competitions and the activities symposium. That evening, everyone had a chance to unwind just a little with a dj at the hotel.

**Wednesday:** Perhaps a bit groggy from the night before but no less enthused, the students reconvened on Wednesday for officer elections and a career symposium where students met with professionals in a round table format. Students had the opportunity to meet professionals in a small group, hear about their job and career and internship opportunities in their field and in some cases, within their organization. Then students had the opportunity to ask questions. The meeting ended on a high note with the student luncheon, which included a very lively dairy quiz bowl where the student officers took on the ADSA Board. It was a close (and often times hilarious) match up, but in the end and for the third straight year, the adults proved no match for the whiz kids from SAD.
Scenes from this summer’s SAD meeting:

2008 AWARD RECIPIENTS & NEW OFFICERS

Genevieve Christen Award Recipient:
Jessica Tekippe, Iowa State University

Outstanding Student Award: Jessica Tekippe, Iowa State University
Outstanding Advisor Award: Jillian Fain, Clemson University

Outstanding Chapter Award: Penn State University
Also, 2nd Place Chapter Scrapbook, 2nd Place Chapter Yearbook, 2nd Place Electronic Yearbook, and 1st Place Chapter Website
Undergraduate Paper Competition – Production

Emily Waggoner, Clemson University, 1st Place
David G Wilson, Penn State, 2nd Place
Malorie B. Rhoderick, Virginia Tech, 3rd Place
Undergraduate Paper Competition – Dairy Foods
Amanda Koons, Penn State, 1st Place
Ryan Haines, VA Tech, 2nd Place
Morgan Welper, Iowa State, 3rd Place
Undergraduate Paper Competition - Original Research:
Katherine A. Jackson, NCSU, 1st Place
Kristina J. Hubbard, U of Nebraska, 2nd Place
Anna Smith, Penn State, 3rd Place
(not pictured)
Dairy Quiz Bowl Winning Club:
Cal Poly

Thank you to our 2007-2008 National ADSA-SAD Officer Team

Seated: 1st Vice President, Travis Kamper, Cal Poly; President, Jessica Tekippe, Iowa State; 2nd Vice President; Renee Norman, Penn State.
Standing: 3rd Year Advisor, Dr. Steven Kelm, UWRF; 2nd Year Advisor, Dr. Kasima Ingawa, NCSU; 3rd Vice President, Ashley Pitre, LSU;
Secretary-Treasurer, Lucas Sjostrom, University of Minnesota.
Missing from Photo: Officer at Large, Justin Harsdorf, UWRF; 1st Year Advisor, Dr. Larry Fox, Washington State University.

The SAD 2008 meeting photos are on the web -- http://www.adsa.org/sad.asp
2009 ADSA®-CSAS-ASAS Call for Abstracts -- Save these dates!!

Start planning now for 2009 in Montreal! The 2009 ADSA – CSAS – ASAS Call for Abstracts Mailing was sent to all ADSA members recently. All the information you need to submit an abstract is posted at http://www.adsa.asas.org/meetings/2009/call.asp. Save this URL--bookmark the page today to access at a later date. And, don't forget to highlight February 9, 2009 on your calendars--the deadline for abstracts.

Other important deadlines:
  - Early Registration: June 10, 2009
  - Housing: June 12, 2009

If you prefer to have the call for abstracts information mailed to you, please send a request via email to abstract@assochq.org or call 217-356-3182.

**Housing:** The 2009 ADSA – CSAS – ASAS Housing Form printable version is available at http://www.adsa.asas.org/meetings/2009/HousingForm2009.pdf or visit http://adsa.asas.org/meetings/2009/housing.asp to make your reservations online. In order for all the students to be at the same hotel, clubs need to make their reservations early!

Visit the meeting web site, http://www.adsa.asas.org/meetings/2009/, often for the latest meeting information.

The submission of abstracts by our members is the starting point for the success of our meeting!
Meet Your 2008-2009

ADSA Student Affiliate Division Officer Team

Hello to our 2008-2009 National ADSA-SAD Officer Team

Seated: 1st Vice President, Laura Gaver, Va Tech; President, Emily Waggoner, Clemson University; 2nd Vice President, Adam Koppes, Iowa State University
Standing: 1st Year Advisor, Sylvia Kehoe, University of Wisconsin, River Falls; Officer at Large, Travis Kamper, Cal Poly; 3rd Vice President, Kimmi Devaney, Washington State University; Secretary-Treasurer, Curtis Coomes, University of Kentucky; 3rd Year Advisor, Kas Ingawa, North Carolina State University.
Missing from photo: 2nd Year Advisor, Larry Fox, Washington State University.

Emily Waggoner, SAD President, Clemson University

Hello everyone. My name is Emily Waggoner and I am currently serving as your 2008-2009 ADSA-SAD President. I am very excited about this opportunity to get more involved with ADSA while meeting and working with other members of the dairy industry.

I am currently a senior in Animal and Veterinary Sciences at Clemson University. After graduation, I hope to go on to a college of veterinary medicine to become a food animal veterinarian with an emphasis in dairy reproduction and genetics. At Clemson, I am active in many student organizations including the Dairy Science Club, Block and Bridle Club, and Student Advisory Board. I also competed with the Dairy Judging and Dairy Challenge teams.
When not at school, I stay busy on my family’s dairy farm. We operate Kiss ‘Em All Dairy, a small herd of registered Holsteins and Jerseys in Pendleton, South Carolina. My sister and I also enjoy showing our cattle at fairs around the region.

I am looking forward to a great year with ADSA-SAD!

Laura Gaver, 1st Vice President, Va Tech
Hello! My name is Laura Gaver and I am a senior at Virginia Tech in Dairy Science with a double major in Accounting and Information Systems. I grew up on our family dairy, crop, and Christmas tree farm in Frederick, Maryland. We recently added a Fall Festival, corn maze and pumpkin patch to our farm. I plan to return to the family farm after graduation.

At Virginia Tech I am the President of the Dairy Club and have served as Reporter and Recruiting Representative. I am also a College of Agriculture and Life Sciences Ambassador and a sister in Sigma Alpha professional agricultural sorority.

I am excited about serving ADSA and the Student Affiliate Division this year and look forward to seeing everyone in Montreal!

2nd Vice President, Adam Koppes, Iowa State University
Hello I am Adam Koppes, I am currently a senior at Iowa State University majoring in dairy science. I am from Maquoketa, Iowa where I grew up on 150 cow Holstein farm. I will be graduating in May with a dairy science degree.

While being at Iowa State University, I have been involved with the World Association of Agricultural Councils, serving as the 2007 chairperson. I am president of the Iowa State Dairy Science Club and have also served as an officer on the ISU Collegiate Beef Team. Upon graduation I plan to work in the dairy industry either as a consultant or in sales and marketing.

3rd Vice President, Kimmi Devaney, Washington State University
Greetings from the Evergreen State! I am Kimmi Devaney and I am serving as your 2008-2009 ADSA-SAD 3rd Vice President. I am very excited to be working with such an outstanding officer team and hope you all can join us in Montreal next summer. I am a junior at Washington State University double majoring in agricultural communications and animal science. After graduation, I hope to work with public relations in the dairy industry and possibly dairy management. My family used to dairy in my hometown of Enumclaw, Washington and that is something I would like to get back into.

At W.S.U., I am the dairy club vice president and am active in our C.U.D.S. program. Currently the cow comfort manager, I am also on the public relations and reproduction committees and spend much of my time working at the university dairy, either for C.U.D.S. or with the university cows. I have also participated in dairy challenge as well as the Southern Great Plains Dairy Consortium. Back home, I am the leader of the Chinook 4-H club, a club I was actively a part of for eight years.

I am very excited for next summer’s conference in Montreal and hope to see you all there!
**Secretary-Treasurer, Curtis Coomes, University of Kentucky**

Hello, my name is Curtis Coomes and I am currently serving as the Secretary/Treasurer of the ADSA-SAD division. I grew up on a family owned dairy farm northeast of Louisville Ky. I show registered Holstein cattle and have competed on the 4-H and collegiate judging teams. I also had the privilege to serve as the 2006-2007 State 4-H Vice-President.

I am currently serving as the dairy club president here at the University of Kentucky. As of now I am a Junior at the University of Kentucky majoring in Ag education. My plans are to go home and take over the family farm upon graduation.

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**Officer at Large, Travis Kamper, Cal Poly**

Hello, my name is Travis Kamper and I am your ADSA-SAD Officer At Large for the 2008-2009 year. I am a senior at Cal Poly, San Luis Obispo, with a major in Dairy Science and a minor in Agricultural Business. My family owns and operates a dairy farm where we milk registered and grade Holsteins in Riverdale, a small town in the San Joaquin Valley of California, which I plan to return to upon graduation in June 2009.

I am active in various organizations at Cal Poly, including being the President of the Los Lecheros Dairy Club, as well as the College of Agriculture, Food and Environmental Sciences Student Council Representative as a member of Alpha Gamma Rho Professional Agricultural Fraternity. I am the chairman of the Dairy Science Department Student Fees Committee, and have been on both the Dairy Products and Dairy Cattle Judging Teams at Cal Poly, This fall I am the coach for the Dairy Products Judging Team.

I look forward to a great year for the Student Affiliate Division and ADSA as a whole, and anticipate seeing everyone at our annual meeting in Montreal in July!

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**SAD National Advisors**

Dr. Kasimu Ingawa, NCSU  
3rd Year Advisor

Dr. Larry Fox, Washington State  
2nd Year Advisor

Dr. Sylvia Kehoe  
1st Year Advisor
News from the Regions

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*Reminder: Effective July 2007, students who attend ADSA sponsored meetings must be current members of ADSA and must sign the Code of Conduct.*

*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 November 1 and March 1.*