# Report of the Executive Secretary - July 21, 2004

## Membership

Membership Joint NAAIC & Trifolium: Total 756 members, 460 U.S., 67 Canada, 6 Mexico and 223 Non-North American.

NAAIC Membership: Total 629 members, 391 U.S., 60 Canada,6 Mexico and 172 Non-North American.

Trifolium Conference Total: 184 members, 124 US, 15 Canada, 45 Non-North American.

The membership directory will be updated in 2005 and will be available on our web page. <a href="https://www.naaic.org">www.naaic.org</a>

2004 Conference Attendance

116 Total Attendees; 74 United States; 29 Canada; and 13 Non-North American including members from Australia, Croatia, France, Italy, Japan, and New Zealand.

#### Memorials

During the past two years two members of the NAAIC have passed away. Milo (Mike) Tesar, Michigan State University (Nov. 11, 2002); William (Bill Kehr) USDA-ARS (Lincoln, Nebraska) (Nov. 7, 2003).

#### **Outside Awards**

Don Barnes has been named to the USDA-ARS Hall of Fame. Sept. 15, 2004

## **Upcoming Conferences**

XX International Grasslands Congress, Dublin Ireland. June 26 - July 1, 2005. http://www.igc2005.com/

4<sup>th</sup> International Molecular Breeding of Forage and Turf Crops, Aberystwyth, UK. July 3-7, 2005. http://www.igc2005.com/sat1.htm

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Respectfully Submitted,

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