

update on **sportingtraditions XV**

Preparations are now underway for 'Sporting Traditions XV', the biennial conference of the Society, scheduled to be held in Melbourne between 11-14 July 2005, and hosted by Victoria University. The conference will commence on Monday evening, 11 July, with the President's Reception. Three full conference days will follow, with the conference dinner likely to be held on the evening of Wednesday, 13 July, and the final session concluding late on Thursday afternoon, 14 July.

All details relating to the conference, including arrangements for registration, will soon be posted on a dedicated website linked to the ASSH Home Page. A hard-copy mail-out to all members of ASSH, including a call for papers, will also take place. It is anticipated that the program structure and registration fees will be set at least twelve months prior to the conference (ie., July 2004).

Further inquiries about any aspect of the conference are welcome. Please contact the Interim Convenor, Rob Hess
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