

OASV – 2018 in Review

- Dr Jim Fairles became president of CASV
- Fall conference (October 2 and 3, 2018)
 - Dr Locke Karriker (ISU)
 - Public Perceptions and Influence on AMU
 - Hard Lessons Learned from Clinical Cases and Research
 - Dr Madonna Benjamin (MSU)
 - Precision Agriculture
 - Social Aspect of Mental HealthOther great speakers:
 - Dr Paisley Canning – VDPAM wrap up
 - Dr Christa Arsenault – OAHN and CSHIN reports
 - Dr Bob Friendship – Trivia and ASF
 - Dr Rob Bell – MFA rules
 - Dr Jim Fairles – AHL report
 - Angie Bosman – AMR from Ontario suckling and nursery pigs
 - Dr Tim Blackwell – tracheitis case study
- Other meetings: March, June (AGM), December
- Bill Maxwell Swine Scholarship
- New rules around dispensing and access to antimicrobials
The Farmed Animal Antimicrobial Stewardship (FAAST) project is led by the Ontario Veterinary Medical Association. They are uploading pod casts and there is a white board that speaks to antimicrobial resistance. They are also working on commodity specific information. The website will include on-line modules; there is already a module that covers the regulatory changes. The livestock medicines course has been updated including some videos. Antimicrobial stewardship will be another module. All communications pieces will be promoting a conversation between producers and their veterinarians.

