

## **Abstract: Launching the ASF's Website**

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The ASF has a Web presence all its own now, at <http://www.caves.org.au>  
 This is in keeping with the domain names chosen by the National Speleological Society of USA (NSS) at <http://www.caves.org> and the British Cave Research Association (BCRA) at <http://www.caves.org.uk>

The Web pages have been developed by Carol Layton, who is also responsible for the Sydney University Speleological Society's Web pages.

The ASF site is hosted at YourWeb (<http://www.yourweb.com.au>), a Sydney company, at reasonable commercial rates.

The company was chosen out of several contenders, and the decision was based on cost, services offered, ability to do the job, speed of delivery of Web pages and reliability as well as data backup and security.

It was intended to make this a joyous occasion so we chose to make the formal announcement on New Year's Eve at the party.



New Year's Eve Bat Party revellers

Arthur Clarke