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2012 saw the switch over to the new FAI server and the deployment of the significantly updated website. The development of protocols for uploading material onto the website and the positioning of information and archived files on the website has been a learning curve for all. However, I would like to reinforce that all IGC material should be located on the FAI website and that this is what the staff in the office are working towards.

I would like to acknowledge, especially, the contribution of Peter Ryder, our webmaster, in working closely with the FAI webmaster, Faustine Carrera to achieve this aim.

The “IGC Journalists” continued their work this year providing stories about our pilots and our events and other IGC news and my thanks to them for their dedication to this task.

Media coverage continues to be a challenge and it is pleasing to see more and more coverage of events being hosted on social media sites to enable easy access.

Finally, my thanks to each and every person who volunteers their time and energy towards promoting the IGC and our exhilarating sport.