

ARE YOU READY?

Election of officers and Board members for 2011-2012 is over. More change is in the future for the Mustang Club of America and its membership. There has been much good change over the course of the past two years, and there is more good change to come. Are you ready? I hope so, because there is one thing we can't stop—the future. And one constant in all our lives is change.

Some may disagree with this, however throughout my adult years, I've never been one to shy away from jumping into the deep end of the pool. I like to try things I've never done, take some chances, well, maybe not just some. I'm somewhat of a risk taker. Stepping out of the box and my comfort zone has resulted in some of the most wonderful happenings in my life. However, there are occasions that I will proceed with caution.

Change for the sake of "just change" is not a motto I follow. When change comes with a good plan of action, and a contingency when the plan of action has a hiccup, we should be willing to try. So, as we go into a new year within the MCA, with a new Executive Committee, and several new members on the Board of Directors, be ready for some awesome changes.

All those elected to the Executive Committee for 2011-2012, and that includes Steve McCarley who will serve as Past President, and those re-elected to the Board of Directors are volunteers who have worked for many years to move the direction of the MCA forward. The new members coming onto the Board will have a seasoned group as mentors who will listen to their new ideas, and implement the best procedures to keep the MCA prosperous, and growing! So, I hope you're ready! It should be a wonderful ride.

One last note on elections: There are currently three openings on the Board of Directors, due to the moving of the new officers off the Board onto the Executive Committee and the resignation of a couple of Board members. Open is one 1-year term (the balance of a resigning member), and two 2-year terms. If you are interested in serving on the Board, please submit your bio to Steve Prewitt by email at gtpony94@aol.com. You may also call Steve after 5pm Eastern with any questions at 706.860.4535 (GA).

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In parting, a gentle reminder that the MCA is a member of SEMA, and that SEMA has a group that lobbies for all of us in the Mustang hobby in Washington, DC. Log onto www.seman.com for all the latest news on the Legislative policies and alerts. There is also comprehensive news about the happenings in your home state.

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