

DO YOU CARE?

As I'm sitting at my desk, pondering what you'd like to read this month, I can't help but think I need to stress the importance of voting for members of the Board of Directors. Many of you that responded to the survey say you don't vote because you don't feel you are educated enough on the candidates, either knowing them personally or feel you're informed enough about their qualifications to serve. Well, unless we all can get together, and I mean every single member of the MCA, we will never be able to truly "know" one another. All we can do is read the information provided and take your best educated "guess," if you will. This election is for a club, not for the Government of the United States or any other locale. While it is still highly important, especially to keep our club the BEST Mustang club in the world, we do the best we can to give you information about the candidates so you can make a decision.

I urge each one of you to read, really read the autobiographies submitted by the candidates, and use your best instincts to make a decision on which 12 candidates could best serve on the National Board of Directors for the Mustang Club of America. It's the best we all can do and it gives you a say on what you want to see happen with the future plans for the MCA.

Also on the ballot is a vote for the Hall of Fame. This year there is only one nominee—Donald Farr. But, you should still read his bio if you aren't familiar with Donald (most Mustang enthusiasts sure know who he is and all his accomplishments), and be sure to vote Yes or No.

There is also a question on whether or not you'd like to have the MCA hold the Grand National in the same location each year. Think about that before you just mark a box. No location has been determined, but it's the first step in fulfilling the wishes of the membership. And, last but not least, which three charities do you think the MCA should support. We've never adopted a charity formally, thus it's the decision of the membership that gives the Board the go ahead to act on their behalf.

I know you're probably saying, we've been told all this before, repeatedly, but it's worth telling again. This is an important time for the MCA and this is one of the most important actions you can take to help better your club. So, take the time to read the information provided, fill out the ballot and drop it into the mailbox. We thank you!

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The Mystical Build is underway and Dynacorn International has again provided many missing pieces for this undertaking. The paint has been donated, and the Mustang is slated to be present in the Dynacorn booth at this year's SEMA show. I want to thank each and every MCA member and Regional Club who donated money to get this project going. In the October issue, we will have more information and we'll be doing a better job of documenting the build. Right now, there's just not much to see, but that's changing daily as R & A Motorsports is moving right along. Stay tuned!

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