

So, Where To Go From Here?

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Ok, I'm getting itchy. I'm getting the urge to rearrange some cyber furniture. I'm starting to think of ways to change and evolve MME. And I have a couple choices, but I can't make up my mind. Maybe you can help?

I want to overhaul and update MME. I've been using the same coding system since I started MME back in 2005, and while it's still valid, there are newer systems out there and finally there are some choices where before no code even existed. So, where do we go from here?

Well, as I see it, we have a couple choices. And I'll ask for your input in the form of a poll shortly. But let me explain what the choices are. First, I can leave the site pretty much as it is - a content system with add-ons for a community-style place for everyone. I can just update the system and some things will change a little, but mostly some type of calendar for gigs will be here, as well as forums, and a place for pictures, video, audio, etc. And oh yes, info about each of you as artist or fan or just a web site member. Kind of a Facebook-like thing with some special add-ons.

Or we can move toward an artist site system like the MME Jukebox and Jamroom sites, where artists can flesh out their own web presence, sell music, t-shirts, have players and jukeboxes, and be something like a MySpace where you pick your own skins or theme and manage the modules you want on "your" site. And of course still have room for fans and just web site members.

Or do you have something else in mind? I welcome your ideas and suggestions. Please give me some feedback as to where to take MME into the future!

- Gordon