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Hardtail's/Doochies 9th Annual Party

What comes to mind when I hear that Paul from Hardtail's in St. Cloud and Doochie of Doochies Bad Company in St. Martin are throwing a party? There goes the neighborhood I'm thinking.

I have known Paul for over 4 years, and if you know him you know he is about the crudest brother around. Nothing is sacred when Paul speaks. But I mean all this in a good way. Now throw in Doochie who I have never met before. I have only heard some of the crazy rumors this bro has gotten himself into and you have the 2 main ingredients for one hell of a get together, it has got to be the place to be.

On July 9th I got to Hardtail's at around noon to find the over 300 bikes starting to roll in. Being such a hot day, (in the 90's by noon) bikes were coming and going just to get some moving air, but noone seemed to do any complaining. The free food that was put out was phenomenal, it included some of the best pork chops and shredded pork I have ever had. While eating the music donated by In Vain was putting out some heavy/Heavy metal. After the annual tradition of some great burnouts at the shop we all headed over to Doochies in St. Martins.

I can tell you that I have never been to Sturgis or any of the other big runs, but St. Martins has got to be a really scaled down version of one of these events. With burnouts in the streets, drinking being allowed and good clean fun, it was a ton of family fun. Yes There were plenty of kids there to take in the sites. All this and the police were no where in site. I asked about this and was told there is a silent agreement between all parties involved, with the police pretty much keeping a low profile while allowing all this. (Good job to the officers, I'm thinking some other police departments could take lessons from you guys.)

All in all this is definitely one of those events that I will be returning to in the future, while dragging some other people along with me.

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