

# 3rd Annual Sinners & Saints Against Diabetes Party

**Diabetes.** Just the word makes you cringe. I'm sure we all have a loved one, or know someone close to us who struggles with Diabetes every day. It is a difficult disease that has no known cure. However, there are many great people out there that are fighting the fight against Diabetes every day. One of them is Anne Dennis, the Area Executive Director - Arizona/New Mexico, and her team at the American Diabetes Association in Phoenix. They inspired us to do something more.

On May 19, 2018, the Silent Saints MC North Valley and the Hooligans MC Deer Valley teamed up together for our 3rd Annual Sinners and Saints vs Diabetes event. This is a tandem party hosted by both clubs at the Hooligans Deer Valley clubhouse. It is an effort to raise awareness about Diabetes, its damaging toll, and the fight against it. Many local Arizona motorcycle clubs, friends, and family attended the party to help us fight Diabetes. Thanks to their help, we were able to raise money for a donation to the ADA.

In follow-up to the event back in May, the Hooligans MC 422 Crew and the Silent Saints MC North Valley Crew together paid a visit to Anne Dennis and the American Diabetes Foundation on the morning of Saturday, June 23rd. Presented was a giant commemorative check, and of course a real check, for a donation in the amount of \$600 from both clubs to assist Anne Dennis and the ADA's efforts to fight diabetes. The money will go to help send more than 300 children with Type 1, Type 2, and MODY diabetes to Summer Camp AZDA next June. Anne was so moved that she kindly invited us all to come up to Prescott to see Camp AZDA in person. We are looking forward to making the

trip up north to the cool country to pay a visit to the kids at the camp, and to see the wonderful things the ADA continues to do in the fight against Diabetes.

Thank you to the Silent Saints MC North Valley, the Hooligans MC Deer Valley, Anne Dennis and the ADA, and to all those who donated by attending the 3rd Annual Sinners and Saints vs Diabetes party. Your help and support for these kids of the ADA, and the fight against diabetes, is greatly appreciated.

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