



Meltdown

Krawallgeier - Who are the members of the band and what instrument does each of them play?

Simone – vocals

T.Wildness – guitars, backing vocals

B.Wolf – guitars, backing vocals

Sanderson – bass, backing vocals

J.C - drums

Krawallgeier - How did the band form?

J.C - The band idea was created in early 2003 by T.Wildness and J.C, establishing the members in the end of the same year.

Krawallgeier - How would you describe your music style?

B.WOLF - Traditional heavy metal, influenced by eighties heavy and hard rock bands

Krawallgeier - Which bands are your paragons?

B.WOLF - Iron Maiden, Judas Priest, Accept, Manowar, Hammerfall

Krawallgeier - Do you follow these bands? / Do you copy these bands?

J.C - We always listen these bands, and certainly we are influenced, but as we listen to many other bands in metal, it wouldn't be possible copy anybody. We're creating our own sound style, but certainly it will sound like the bands we like.

Krawallgeier - How do your songs come into existence?

B.WOLF - I B.Wolf and T.Wildness are the main composers and we make some riffs in home, sometimes an entire song, so we show each other and try to compose some vocal melodies.

That's the basic process, the song has its structure and then we go to the rehearsal room and show the others what we made.

A lot of changes and details are made at this time, well everybody has his opinion about one part of the song. After we play the new song for about three times we record it and we all listen it in home, so we can see what is going on.

Krawallgeier - What about gigs? Do you have many gigs?

J.C – We´re started to gig in the beginning of this year and the number of the shows are increasing more, and it´s great cause the stage is our home.

Krawallgeier - Are they well attended?

T.WILDNESS – Man, if you´re looking for some nice place, the Meltdown´s show is the place. We try to bring all our rage, aggression and madness to the stage. There´s a lot of energy and beers, and if you´re lucky some girls (ha-ha).

The most bands try to be a musician at the stage, but we like to see people drunk and screaming, hot girls and all the fucking madness that a heavy metal mosh has...

Krawallgeier - Are the people content with your live-Performance?

B.WOLF - Oh yes...we give 100% at our shows. We are always banging our heads, raising guitars, jumping, running and shout at the audience. We use our leather clothes and it is unusual here in Brazil, just like the bands that influenced us. We try to do some live performance just like Iron Maiden, Judas Priest and Accept. A lot choreography and backing vocals.

J.C – The feedback is being very good, we always play some covers to aflame people, but our set is most our songs and we have an excellent audience answer.

Krawallgeier - How is the reaction of the people referred to your music style? Any criticism?

B.WOLF – Here in Brazil people are forgetting heavy metal.

They are influenced by media and just listen music in the radios.

We are trying to rescue the old metal and the people are not used it. The true metal fans enjoy our music and appreciate our attitude.

Of course there's criticism, but just check our guestbook and it will say to you the most people opinion is good.

Krawallgeier - Why do you make music? (mission, passion, expression, hobby)

T.WILDNESS – First we like to play heavy metal, it's our passion, and second is one way to escape of this cruel reality here, sometimes it looks like hell.

Here you work like a bastard for nothing, there's no hope of a goodlife, we're trying to find a better life for us. I particularly, hate to work and study, metal gave me all knowledge I need.

We want to live our life how we wish, at the moment, we're living a hell because we choose the metal way, but we would die for metal, metal always gave us everything.

Krawallgeier - Let's talk about your albums. / Tell us something about your albums?

B.WOLF – We recorded our demo in December 2003 with 4 songs and we intend to use it to promote us and find a record deal. So we can record a full length album with all the songs we have.

Krawallgeier - What about the future of the band. Have you got some plans or do you just wait and see?

J.C – Now we're looking for a record company hoping our music come even longer and far for the biggest number of metal fans in our country and overseas.

Krawallgeier - Is there anything you want to tell the people out there? Like a final say?

B.WOLF – Thanks metal fans around the world for the support and believing in us. We are Meltdown and we are going to kick some ass out there! Just wait and you'll see what we are made. Hope see ya all in our tour someday. Metal's pride!

Krawallgeier - Thank you for this interview.