GROUND OPERATIONS DEVELOPMENT
Tactical Patrol Survival

Course Description

Patrol Officer’s most dangerous encounters will occur during traffic stops (both routine and felony), and while entering buildings to search and clear for suspects.

This course is a physical and intense (3) day course for Patrol Officers, designed to build upon basic shooting skills, traffic stop techniques and building clearing tactics learned in an Academy or during an In-service training environment. These techniques are often reserved and/or associated with advanced tactical training or tactical teams but have been modified for use by patrol officers during daily business to provide them with a tactical advantage over both known and unknown suspect(s).

During this course the Patrol Officers will be exposed to the theories of “Lag Time”, The OODA Loop”, and “Action vs. Reaction” concepts that can either be the advantage or disadvantage to the officer when encountered by a hostile threat.

Exposure to these concepts are the building blocks on which the student will receive tactical instruction on how to conduct traffic stops, felony stops, and building clearing techniques. Additional instruction will be received on how to remove hostile or unwilling suspects from a vehicle with minimal force by the law enforcement officer as outlined by Physical Conflict Resolution (P.C.R.) tactics.

Upon completion of this course the Patrol Officer will have gained confidence in his/her ability to assess a possible hostile encounter with a suspect, and allow them a tactical advantage over a suspect who may be attempting to carry out a surprise assault upon the officer. This understanding will greatly enhance the tactical patrol officer’s ability at gaining optimum advantage during a hostile attack.

Patrol Officers will receive instruction on the following topics:

COURSE TOPICES:

Flat range
- qualifying/assessment with pistol and rifle/shotgun
- transitions and reloads
- moving and shooting
- multiple shooting positions
- use of cover/barricades

Night/low light shooting
- pistol and rifle/shotgun
- use of weapon mounted flashlights or hand held
discretionary targets

**Building Clearing**
- deliberate room clearing
- low light room clearing
- discretionary targets
- deep angle threats
- door breaching

**High Risk Traffic Stops**
- potential dangers
- approach vs. non-approach options
- vehicle positions
- use of cover (vehicle and driver)
- verbal command

**Vehicle Extraction**
- use of PCR techniques
- hands on techniques to remove suspect from a vehicle

**Scenarios**
- force on force scenarios with multiple role players
- Issuing certificates/ debrief

**REQUIRED EQUIPMENT:**
- Ballistic vest
- Eye and Ear Pro
- Patrol rifle .223/5.56 with sling
- Pistol with holster
- 500 rounds rifle/500 rounds pistol/100 shotgun
- Semi-Pistol & 200 rounds
- Protective Headgear
- 100 rounds Force on Force Ammo .223 (contact cadre for more information)

**TUITION INCLUDES:**
Course Instruction and Certificate of Completion

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