

Plan for July 8th , Practical Pistol Training

Event RO's: Dave Redding
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Gordon Ginnings

Special Instructions

Please leave your pistol and ammunition in your vehicle as you arrive at the range. We will retrieve the hardware once the range procedures have been discussed.

100 rounds of ammunition should be more than enough for the event

Agenda

Introduction (**Redding, 6:00-6:15**)

- Introduce the RO's
- Explain why we are here and what we wish to accomplish

Discussion (**Hetisimer, 6:15-7:30**)

- Detailed review of 4-rules (application at range)
- Cold range rules
- Procedure for safely un-bagging/bagging weapons (handguns and rifles)
 - use of safety area/table
- Presentation demonstration (draw stroke)
- Reload demonstration
- Demonstrate the USPSA range commands
 - load, make ready
 - unload, show clear
- Retrieve pistols and hardware from vehicle, following Cold Range Rules

Timed Stages (**Redding/Ginnings, 7:30-8:30**)

- Cold range rules and the 4-rules will enforced
 - observe the 180 degree rule
 - keep finger off the trigger while moving and reloading
- Must have hearing and eye protection to participate
- Must have a holster suited to concealed carry to participate
 - strong side hip
 - no shoulder or thigh rigs
- 3 to 4 spare magazines and magazine carriers recommended

One-on-one Instruction (**Hetisimer, 7:30-8:30**)

- An experienced RO will be available to offer one-on-one instruction for those who would like additional supervised practice
 - supervise/practice draw stroke, shooting stance, reloads etc
 - will likely be non-firing depending on range layout

Wrap up discussion (**Hetisimer, 8:30-8:45**)

- Q & A about the material/procedures
- Suggestions for future events
- Review of the 4-rules

Cleanup (**All, 8:45-9:00**)

Cold Range Rules

The handgun is unloaded, magazine NOT inserted, slide is down and hammer is down on an empty chamber.

The handgun must remain holstered at all times, except when instructed by the RO to load and make ready, or at designated safety areas.

- If you need to handle your firearm or show it to someone, remove all live ammunition from your person and do so at the designated safety table.

Loaded magazines are allowed to be carried while on the range.

Safety Area/Table

This is where guns can be un-bagged/bagged and handled.

- This area will be designated by the event RO's

NO live ammunition allowed at the safety area/table.

- remove loaded magazines from your person before handling the firearm at the safety area/table

While handling the firearm at the safety area/table, keep the muzzle pointed in a safe direction (towards berm). Do not cover other members with the muzzle.

Always carry a handgun in a properly designed holster (trigger covered) or in a bag.