



COURSE ANNOUNCEMENT

FIREARMS/TACTICAL RIFLE INSTRUCTOR'S COURSE

Hosted by the Escondido Police Department

DESCRIPTION

This intensive, 4 day, 40-hour course will provide the student with the knowledge and ability to effectively use and instruct others in the handling of **patrol rifles** such as the M-16/AR-15 family. It complies with the requirements of 3320 PC (short barrel rifle training) and is specifically structured for law enforcement personnel who are assigned (or will be assigned) responsibility for instructing and maintaining a Department's patrol rifle program as well as incorporating the patrol rifle and other similar weapons into active shooter/rapid deployment training and response to actual ongoing incidents. Students will be required to demonstrate both their proficiency with the rifle and as an instructor during class presentations, and successfully pass a written test. This course is physically and mentally demanding and students should be prepared for the challenges involved. A comprehensive manual will be provided to each student. NTC Course certifications do not have a specific time limit. Students are encouraged to maintain their skills and knowledge. To help accomplish this, it is N.T.C.'s policy that past students in good standing be allowed to attend future NTC courses in the same discipline at no additional cost within 5 years of the original course date. POST Control # **1076-32112-22-002, Plan IV.**

LEAD INSTRUCTOR

Brian Tidrick: Huntington Beach Police Department, (Lt. ret.). 33 years law enforcement experience. 11+ years tactical experience, including SWAT Team Leader and SWAT Team Commander. Certified as a firearms, less lethal, diversionary device and active shooter response instructor. Brian has a wide range of experience providing firearms and tactical training

DATE: April 11-14, 2023 (Includes one night shoot)

LOCATION: Escondido Police Dept. Firearms Training Facility
25855 Valley Center Rd. Escondido, CA 92025

TUITION: \$557.00 payable in check to: **National Training Concepts, Inc.** P.O. Box 5268 · Orange, CA 92863-5268 (Federal Tax ID 57-1188596) Tuition for students who hold current individual (not team) memberships in CATO is \$540. Students must provide CATO membership number for confirmation.

REGISTRATION

This course is limited on a first come, first served basis. To make reservations, please contact R. K. Miller at (714) 363-1569 or rkmiller@socal.rr.com. Please leave contact name, number and e-mail. The NTC cancellation policy requires at least two (2) weeks notice prior to the start of the class for cancellation of reservations. Agencies cancelling previously made reservations with less than two weeks notice will be charged an appropriate fee. "No-shows" will result in the agency being billed the full tuition if no replacement student is enrolled by the agency making the reservation.

EQUIPMENT: Patrol Rifle, sling, flashlight & at least 3 magazines. Normal patrol duty gear including pistol, ballistic vest, elbow & knee pads, 1000 rounds of applicable ammunition and 100 rounds pistol ammunition. Wrap around style clear eye protection, hearing protection, BDU type clothing, gas mask and inclement weather gear. (The training will take place regardless of the weather). Students should bring a scarf, hoodie or other item to protect the neck from hot brass.

COURSE EXPECTATIONS: This class is both mentally and physically demanding with each training day lasting 10 hours. In order to complete the course, it will be necessary for each student to demonstrate safe and proficient weapons handling and successfully pass a written test as well as a qualification course of fire.

SUGGESTED HOTEL: SpringHill Suites San Diego Escondido/Downtown, 200 La Terraza Blvd. Escondido, CA 92025 (442) 286-8100