Training Name: Firearms

Course Name: In Extremis Performance LPVO Course

Dates: 06/18/2025 - 06/20/2025

Venue: Les Early Firearms Training Center
Pasadena, Texas 77507

Price: $800

Instructors: Kolton Pirkle

Course Description:

The Texas Tactical Police Officers Association (TTPOA) Regional 2 Directors will be available to address inquiries via email and will respond between the hours of 1500 and 0700 or on weekends as necessary.

This course was built for the LEO to confidently engage targets from 10 yds out to 300 yds with an AR15 style rifle equipped with a LPVO. Students will learn the capabilities of their carbine from running it aggressively at close distances to confidently engaging at extended distances with increased precision. The use of hasty barricades and positional shooting will be covered to demonstrate the importance of connection to the rifle.

By the end of the course, students will be confident in their ability to utilize their carbine with a LPVO in a tactical environment. They will understand their capabilities, in addition to having a deeper knowledge on how to train. Students will have resources provided, including but not limited to, the class Powerpoint, LE LPVO qual and LE LPVO standards.

This course is designed for LE who have an AR15 style rifle with a low power variable optic (LPVO). Attendees must understand firearms safety as well as weapon manipulation. The course will cover optic/mount/reticle/barrel/ammo choices, but the shooter needs to show up with an optic mounted to the rifle. Additionally, this course will have a physical component with moving around the range during courses of fire and getting into unconventional shooting positions. Lastly, an offset/secondary red dot sight is highly recommended for this course.

Topics Covered:
-Considerations for selection of optics, mounts, barrel, ammo
-Rifle set-up (LPVO vs red dot/magnifier)
-Zero process and utilizing prone position
-Hold overs and understanding how to use your reticle for fast/close engagements
-Positional shooting (standing, kneeling, sitting, prone, barricade)
-Locate, range (with and without range finder), engage
-Use of offset red dot for closer engagements, gas mask use and unconventional positions
-Stress shoot
-Qualification/standards

Required Gear:

- Rifle with LPVO (capable of at least 3 MOA at 100 yds)
- LPVO (at least 1-4, preferred 1-6, 1-8, 1-10)
- Sling
- x4 Rifle mags

- Pistol
- Belt w/ holster
- x3 mags

- Eye and ear protection
- Appropriate range attire for the elements

Ammo:
Rifle
-500 match or duty rounds

-200 training rounds
Pistol
-50 rounds (required)

Recommended gear:
- Bipod
- Offset red dot sight (strongly recommend)
- Bags for barricade/rear stability
- Tripod
- Range finder
- Binoculars
- Knee pads
- Shooting mat
- Notebooks, pens, sharpies
- Sunscreen
- Folding chairs (for breaks)

Instructor Bios:

Sal Hernandez has been a police officer for 11 years and has been assigned to a full-time SWAT team for the past 6 years. In addition, Sal competes yearly with his team at the TTPOA SWAT Competition as well as the SWAT Round-Up Competition held in Florida. Sal also competes in The Tactical Games and has podiumed in 16 TTG Events in the Men's Elite Division, as well as finishing 3rd at the 2022 National Competition. Sal is consistently pursuing further training and education in LE and enjoys giving back to the community by helping his fellow officers and competitors. He holds many certifications and regularly instructs for both TCOLE courses.

Kolton began his law enforcement career at the Lubbock Police Department in 2015. He has been on LPD's SWAT team since 2018 and he is currently assigned to a plain clothes Violent Crimes unit. Kolton competes regularly in various USPSA, multi-gun, precision rifle, DMR and SWAT competitions. Not only is Kolton passionate about training and attending courses to improve his own knowledge and abilities, he also feels very strongly about helping to raise the overall skill level and tactical readiness of the Law Enforcement community as a whole.

Cost $800.00

Credit card payment is strongly recommended. Last day to cancel and get your money back will be 05-18-25. If paying by check, make checks payable to: TTPOA and send them to PO Box 304, Burnet, Texas 78611 Make sure the check has a note saying " Region 2 IEP LPVO Class"

Any information regarding this course or refunds reach out to Regional Directors Victor Bachar or Michael Swartz

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Training Description:

TTPOA believes in bringing in some of the best instructors in the country to share their knowledge and experience. If you have requests for a specific instructor or course, contact your Regional Director.