

## 2<sup>ND</sup> HALF 1999 NEWSLETTER

Welcome to yet another installment of the **KR Training** newsletter! During the spring we offered a number of new classes, including Street and Vehicle Tactics, Beyond the Basics: Rifle, and Home Defense Tactics. Many thanks to the students who made these new classes a success. We have another set of new classes and programs on the schedule for the fall in addition to our regularly scheduled Basic Pistol, Beyond the Basics, and CHL courses. We frequently add photos and information to the web page at <http://www.krtraining.com>. For additional info, contact us at the addresses and phone numbers above. We look forward to training with you!

-- Karl Rehn and the KR Training Staff.

On June 20<sup>th</sup>, we'll visit the **Alamo Defensive Pistol (IDPA) club** at the Blackhawk Range in San Antonio to demonstrate our scenario-based training program. After the IDPA match, we'll run scenarios similar to those in AT-II. The demo is free to anyone shooting the match. For more info contact **Reggie Hock** (210) 680-9142.

On the last Wednesday of each summer month, we'll offer intermediate courses at **Red's Indoor Range**. Beyond the Basics is scheduled for June, and in July we'll debut our new Tactics 101 course (similar to the morning lecture of AT-II). Introduction to Low-Light Shooting will be offered in August.

The popular Advanced Training weekend, and an NRA Instructor Certification class will both take place in August. The instructor class follows the Texas DPS Concealed Handgun Instructor course the first week of August. Our course will certify students as instructors in Home Firearm Safety, Basic Pistol, First Steps Pistol, and Personal Protection. Penny Riggs will complete NRA Training Counselor certification in July and will assist with the class.

On September 9<sup>th</sup>, we'll offer a special short course, Lessons from the Street, taught by Austin law enforcement officer, **Paul Ford**. Paul Ford is in the business of confrontation: During his 14-year career as a police officer he has spent the last 10 on the SWAT team, including duty as Entry Team Leader and Training Coordinator. Having dealt with some of Austin's most dangerous criminals and survived multiple deadly force situations, he is willing to share some of his experiences and perspectives on what he believes are critical aspects of self-defense. The lecture will cover perspectives on critical incidents - how to prepare and how to win in a deadly confrontation.

Adjunct instructor **Wendell Joost** will return September 11<sup>th</sup> as co-instructor for Advanced Training III. AT-III will focus on one-handed and "wounded shooter" drills, and will include more flashlight and low-light live-fire exercises. Completion of AT-I and IA or similar training is required for entry into this class.

KR Training and the Schaefer Training Academy will host a special Large Bore Revolver Seminar, put on by hand cannon maker **John Linebaugh**. This seminar, on September 18<sup>th</sup>, will include a 2-hour lecture, steak dinner, and range session. Each participant will get to shoot 20 rounds of ammunition through John's .475 and .500 Linebaugh wheelguns for the bargain price of \$25. Sign up for this course by contacting Tom Schaefer directly at 512-601-2057 (local call for Austin area).

In October, our training schedule is light because we will be shooting the Coors/Taurus Texas Paper and Iron Championship in Midland and the USPSA Limited National Championship in Las Vegas. **Penny Riggs** will represent the KR Training team and I'll be a Range Officer at the National match.

Another Home Defense Tactics course will be offered in November, and **Wendell Joost** will return to teach our special Y2K edition of Defensive Shotgun I.

In addition to teaching, KR Training team members are still competing and training: **Glenn Garvey** recently completed his EMT certification. **Penny Riggs** and **John Kochan** will complete the USPSA level I Range Officer school in June. **Glenn, Penny, John, Kelli Mathiason and Wendell Joost** were all recently certified as NRA Refuse to Be a Victim instructors. Contact us if you are interested in this "self defense strategies" class that addresses home, auto, and personal safety.

KR Training is a match sponsor for the SDSI Lone Star Invitational Tactical 3-gun match, being held in the DFW area June 26 and 27. The match will include 6 stages: 2 pistol, 2 rifle, and 2 shotgun, and 6 one-hour clinics on topics like low light shooting, precision rifle, and other defensive issues. A free entry to Massad Ayoob's LFI-I class, to be offered at SDSI in October, will be given away, along with several Beretta firearms and gift certificates for SDSI and KR Training classes. For more information visit <http://www.sdsinet.com> or call 214-599-0309.

We'll address the Austin MENSA group about "smart gun" technology on September 13<sup>th</sup>, and participate in a UT Federalist Society/Women's Law Caucus forum during the fall semester.

KR Training "distinguished professor" **Glenn Meyer** has put together a new book called CyberGuns that lists all the firearms resources available on the Internet. It contains more than 5200 URLs, as well as information on newsgroups and mailing lists. Visit his site at <http://www.enconnect.net/cyberguns> for details.

The response to the Street and Vehicle Tactics course taught by **Greg Hamilton** and the **InSights** staff was astounding. It was the largest class we've offered, and generated so much interest that InSights instructors will return to Austin, Dallas, and Houston to offer a variety of courses. They plan to offer Defensive Folding Knife I and Unarmed Self Defense for KR Training in Spring 2000. The knife course is a one-day class and will be offered on a Friday, with the two-day Unarmed Self Defense course held over the weekend. In Fall 2000, they will offer Defensive Folding Knife II.

By special arrangement with **Austin Armor Products (AAP)**, 8"x10" body armor panels are available and suitable for use in a briefcase or backpack, for \$110 each. These panels are not NIJ-rated but they are made of 30-ply spectra (a level II-A vest only has 14-17 layers). In addition to having utility as body armor they can be used to create a "safe area" for dry firing, clearing guns in apartments, etc. Orders for the panels must be placed through KR Training by July 1.

Also through AAP, we have purchased a supply of **ASP "Sapphire" personal lights**. The Sapphire is an amazing flat pocket light, with a 100,000 hour lifetime from a single 3 volt lithium battery. ASP's guarantee on this product includes lifetime battery replacement and lifetime crystal replacement. The Sapphire is waterproof,

shockproof, rugged, and comes in several housing colors. It has a quick release clip that easily attaches to belt loops, coat zippers, keychains, etc. They are 3" x 1" x 0.3" thick and sell for \$14.

By special request, we are also planning another order of **KR Training shirts and hats**. The shirts are 'cream'-colored 100% cotten shirts, with button down collars, in long or short sleeve versions, with a KR Training logo embroidered in navy blue. The hats are heavy khaki baseball caps, with navy blue bills and the KR Training logo embroidered in navy. Shirts are \$25 and hats are \$15. Orders must be placed by July 1.

Paul Barnett set up an email mailing list for KR Training students. To subscribe to the list, visit: <http://home.ptb.org/mailman/listinfo/krtraining>. This mailing list was created as a forum for KR Training to provide updated course information, changes in laws regarding self-defense, Texas CHL and related issues

If anyone from last spring's AT-IA class found my SureFire 6P flashlight, please let me know.

To enroll: mail the completed form with 1/2 tuition deposit or payment in full to: PO Box 9644, Austin, TX 78766-9644. Payment in full is required on or before class day.

Cancellation policy: if we cancel a class due to inclement weather or lack of a minimum number of students, full refunds will be available for those students who cannot attend the rescheduled class. Classes offered by traveling adjunct instructors typically cannot be rescheduled, so we will make every effort to conduct class even if the weather is less than ideal. Deposits paid to KR Training are non-refundable. If you pay a deposit and cannot attend that class, KR Training will transfer that deposit to any other KR Training course.

| ENROLLMENT FORM |                               |
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| Course & Date:  | _____                         |
| Name:           | _____                         |
| Address:        | _____                         |
| City:           | _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ |
| Phone Number:   | _____                         |
| Fax/Email:      | _____                         |

## **KR TRAINING 2<sup>nd</sup> HALF 1999 SCHEDULE**

### **JUNE**

**Basic Pistol – June 12**, Kochan/Mathiason, Arrowhead Range, Bryan, \$40  
**Scenario-based Training Demo – June 20**, Rehn, Blackhawk Range (San Antonio)  
**Beyond the Basics - June 23**, Karl Rehn, Red's Indoor Range, \$60

### **JULY**

**CHL (new permit) – July 10**, Tom Schaefer, Schaefer Training Academy, \$125  
**CHL (renewal) – July 24**, Tom Schaefer, Schaefer Training Academy, \$60  
**Tactics 101 – July 28**, Rehn/Riggs, Red's Indoor Range, \$45

### **AUGUST**

**NRA Instructor Training – Aug 7-8**, Rehn/Riggs, Sanborn Shooters, \$200  
**CHL (new permit) – Aug 14**, Tom Schaefer, Schaefer Training Academy, \$125  
**Advanced Training I – Aug 14**, Rehn/Riggs/Garvey, Sanborn Shooters, \$95  
**Advanced Training IA – Aug 14**, Rehn/Riggs/Garvey, Sanborn Shooters, \$40  
**Advanced Training II – Aug 15**, Rehn/Riggs/Kochan, Sanborn Shooters, \$95  
**\* sign up for entire AT weekend, \$200. This will be the last AT weekend at this price.**  
**Introduction to Low Light Shooting – Aug 25**, Red's Indoor Range, \$60  
**CHL (renewal) – Aug 28**, Tom Schaefer, Schaefer Training Academy, \$60

### **SEPTEMBER**

**Lessons From the Street – Sept 9**, Lt. Paul Ford, to be determined, \$25  
**CHL (new permit) – Sept 11**, Tom Schaefer, Schaefer Training Academy, \$125  
**Advanced Training III - Sept 11**, Karl Rehn, Wendell Joost, Sanborn Shooters, \$100  
**Large Bore Handgunning Seminar – Sept 18**, John Linebaugh, Schaefer Training Academy, \$25  
**CHL (renewal) – Sept 25**, Tom Schaefer, Schaefer Training Academy, \$60

### **OCTOBER**

**CHL (new permit) – Oct 9**, Tom Schaefer, Schaefer Training Academy, \$125  
**Basic Pistol – Oct 9**, William Quiles, Austin Rifle Club, contact Texas Union Informal Classes  
**CHL (renewal) – Oct 23**, Tom Schaefer, Schaefer Training Academy, \$60  
**Beyond the Basics – Oct 30**, Karl Rehn/Penny Riggs, contact Texas Union Informal Classes

### **NOVEMBER**

**Home Defense Tactics –Nov 3**, Michael McMillan, student residence, \$50  
**Basic Pistol – Nov 6**, William Quiles, Austin Rifle Club, contact Texas Union Informal Classes  
**CHL (new permit) – Nov 13**, Tom Schaefer, Schaefer Training Academy, \$125  
**CHL (renewal) – Nov 27**, Tom Schaefer, Schaefer Training Academy, \$60

### **DECEMBER**

**Defensive Shotgun – (Y2K edition) - Dec 11**, Wendell Joost, Sanborn Shooters, \$100  
**CHL (new permit) – Dec 11**, Tom Schaefer, Schaefer Training Academy, \$125  
**CHL (renewal) – Dec 18**, Tom Schaefer, Schaefer Training Academy, \$60  
**Y2K – Dec 31**, World ends, society collapses in ruins, Everywhere, Free.

### **SPRING 2000**

**Defensive Folding Knife (InSights)**, \$150  
**Unarmed Self Defense (InSights)**, \$300

### **FALL 2000**

**Defensive Folding Knife II (InSights)**, \$300