GOLDEN EAGLE TRAINING & SAFETY, LLC NEWSLETTER APRIL ISSUE





CCH Class of March 2015 GOLDEN EAGLE TRAINING & SAFETY CLASS MARCH 14th 2015 CLASS

Golden Eagle Training & Safety conducted a Basic Carrying Concealed Handgun Class and an Advanced Carrying Concealed Weapons Class on March 14th at David Wade Correctional Center. The above thirteen reputable individuals attended the Basic CCH Class and four (not pictured above) went through the day long CCW course. After a cool and wet week, March 14th could not have been a better day to be on the range. Another good class just as all the others were. They were from Caddo parish, Webster parish, Union parish and Claiborne. Recognize anyone? You won't find a better conducted course and as inexpensive anywhere else. We are proud of all our courses we offer. And we are proud of our clients too. Anyone ever needs any help, assistance, or guidance in any matter related to firearms, carrying concealed, protecting yourself or others, maintenance of a firearms or anything related to any type of use of force, please don't hesitate to contacts us. Any time of the day or night.

NEXT BASIC CCH AND CCW CLASS

Our next Basic Carrying Concealed Handgun Class and Advanced Carrying Concealed Weapons class is Saturday, April 25th, 2015 at the J.O. Whittington Firing Range at David Wade Correctional Center, Homer, LA. Either class is still \$62 and to be eligible to go through the Advanced class, one must either be currently in possession of a valid CCH permit or has previously attended one of GETS Carrying Concealed courses. Besides being on the range most of the entire time in the Advanced Class it does require a few more rounds of ammunition than the Basic CCH course. Instead of needing only 72 in the basic CCH class, one will need 250 to go through the Advanced course. We have noticed that ammunition is beginning to get a lot easier to purchase now; besides, in the Advanced course you shoot our ammo for the first hour. If you know of any that would like to enroll for either of these or if you are interested in going through the Advanced, go online at <u>www.defensivetraining.us</u> to register or contact us at <u>gets@kcwd.com</u> or by phone at 318-465-0633. It will be good to see any of you again.

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GOLDEN EAGLE TRAINING & SAFETY STAFF INSTRUCTORS

Most you have already met or have been in a class with a couple of our Staff Instructors and some of you have met all of our Staff Instructors. We want to just tell you a little bit about our Instructors and how they ran into us or us ran into to them. We will start with the one that has been with us the longest.

W.R. "Buster" Flowers

Buster, which is all we have ever known him by for 29 years and we actually don't know what the W.R. stands for, has been with us for nine years. I, (Steve Risner), first met Buster in 1986 in Minden during a drug bust. I was with Adult Probation & Parole and Buster was with the LSP Narcotics Division. Buster's partner back then was John Balance (now Sheriff of Bienville Parish). Now I am not going to get too far off the path here but I do want to say that in our 35 years plus of law enforcement, we have yet to see as good as Narcotic Investigators as Buster & John were. They were two absolutely great Drug Investigators with the Narcotics Division with LSP. Butch & I started doing Carrying Concealed Handgun classes together in 1997 and Buster joined us around 2004. Buster has been a great help with us and offers a lot of experience and knowledge in firearms with his 20+ years' service as a LA Trooper. Buster is also a Veteran, having served in the U.S Army for two years, 1971-1973. Buster has been dealing with the public not only with his twenty plus years with LSP but also in his current position with the Webster Parish School Board as Supervisor of Transportation and School Security. Buster at one time worked for a well-known local pro-basketball player's (Karl Malone) trucking company (Malone Enterprises Trucking Company). That was in Salt Lake City, UT and Buster got homesick and returned to Webster Parish when taking the position with Webster School Board. We have very much appreciated Buster's contribution to Golden Eagle and the Carrying Concealed classes. Buster and his wife, Carolyn and two fine sons, that some of you have met at our CCH classes, reside in Sibley, LA. Next month we will talk about Col. Brad Rogers.

ACTIVE DUTY MILITARY

As other CCH agencies are now doing, we have also started allowing anyone who is currently active duty military free tuition to our Basic CCH Classes. Although any one in that status may not need the class if they have fulfilled the training requirement while with the military, those that do not and are wanting to attend the class to apply for a LA CC permit, they will be our guest and can attend the class tuition free. We are not only grateful for our country's Veterans for their sacrifice and service but also for our country's active military personnel. We asked that all of you never pass up an opportunity to thank a Vet or our active military individuals but also thank those that are your local public safety individuals (law enforcement, fire fighters, and emergency medical persons).

ONLINE APPLYING PROCESS

As we have mentioned before one can now apply online or electronically for a Carrying Concealed Handgun permit. We would still like to hear from anyone that did how it was and if and how long it took for them to get permit back. Applying online is somewhat easier and although you still have to scan and send some forms, you don't have to get your fingers dirty with two sets of finger print cards. Mailing application and forms in is still an option however and setting aside any additional forms required, anyone that completes our class on a Saturday can definitely put the entire packet in the mail to LSP on that Monday. Please let us know how the online process went.

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