

# Firearms Pistol Training

## May 2 - 4, 2014

### Deerfield, Mass.



OpSpec Training visits the Franklin County Sportsmen's Club May 2-4 offering their one-day Intro to Practical Fundamentals program and their premier two-day Practical Fundamentals class.

#### Intro to Practical Fundamentals

**Course Date:** May 2 (8 Hours)

**Prerequisites:** NRA Basic Handgun or equivalent training. Basic firearm handling skills with a core foundation in firearm safety.

**Course Fee:** \$225 plus \$10 range fees.

The Introduction to Practical Fundamentals class is a solid introduction to the semi-automatic service pistol, standard holsters, magazines, magazine carriers, holster draw steps, prepping the trigger, reloading, fundamental gun handling, and static shooting positions.

- Course emphasis on range and firearm safety, gun handling skills, and dry fire exercises.
- Grip and presentation from holster.
- Sight alignment and detailed review of trigger control.
- *Live-fire shooting included*, expect the round count to be at or less than 200 rounds.
- This program is not a concealed carry class and concealment on the line *is not permitted*.

#### Practical Fundamentals

**Course Date:** May 3 & 4 (16 Hours, 2 Days)

**Prerequisites:** Intro to Practical Fundamentals, or equivalent. Those with LEO, military, or practical competition experience (IDPA, USPSA) are welcome.

**Course Fee:** \$450 plus \$20 range fees.

This course teaches the techniques and philosophy of what we believe a shooter needs to improve to their full potential.

*This is not a beginning handgun course.*

- Achieve an accurate shot by controlling the trigger with the platform and trigger type of your choice.
- Acquire proper sight alignment and allow the shot to happen.
- Recoil management & making accurate follow-up shots.
- Efficient grip, presentation of the gun and shooting stance.
- Finding your personal sphere of dexterity.
- Reloading efficiently and reliably.
- Transitioning between targets for accuracy without wasted movements.
- Make a shot that will stun you with your acquired ability

In both programs, the shooter will focus on the process of running the gun in a logical process, not what appears on the target. By focusing on a training pattern to achieve accuracy and speed goals, the shooter will make faster hits on smaller targets; on demand. **Students may enroll in one, or both courses based on their experience.** The schedule allows for enrollment in one, two or three days of training. Expected round counts: 200 for day one, and 400 for days two and three. *Practical Fundamentals students are encouraged to take the class multiple times to master course concepts.*

Visit [opspectraining.com](http://opspectraining.com) for detailed course information, equipment requirements, and registration.

#### Jerry Jones\*, President & Master Instructor

Jerry has been a sheriff's deputy since 1996, and is currently assigned to a multi-jurisdictional SWAT team. He is a POST-certified firearms instructor certified to teach SWAT, sniper operations, firearms and TASER® at the academy level. Jerry has served as an adjunct instructor to state and federal agencies in the areas of firearms and sniper deployment and development. Jerry is a frequent contributor to such publications as Guns and Weapons for Law Enforcement, Special Weapons for Law Enforcement, and Combat Handguns. He is also contributor at Modern Service Weapons online.



*Law enforcement training coordinators are encouraged to contact Jerry via email at [jerry@opspectraining.com](mailto:jerry@opspectraining.com) to discuss the value of the Practical Fundamentals program for law enforcement officers.*



#### Bruce Gray\*, Master Instructor

Bruce offers more than 37 years of experience as an internationally respected pistol smith, professional shooter, writer and firearms consultant. He is a California POST certified rangemaster-instructor and is commissioned as a deputy sheriff in Oregon. Bruce is the author of Practical Fundamentals, which encapsulates the lessons learned during his career. His professional career includes holding the highest classifications in NRA Action, USPSA/IPSC and IDPA disciplines. Bruce has won a number of state, regional, national and international titles while driving HK®, SIG Sauer®, and the 1911 platform. Bruce is owner and president of Grayguns Inc., the premier SIG Sauer gunsmith outfit in North America.



\* Instructors are subject to change