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INFORMATION LETTER/UPDATE:

Calendar Changes/Updates Law Enforcement:

- **26 Feb-3 Mar 06 Tac Rifle Instructor Nacogdoches, TX Open**
- **2-3 Mar 06 Tactical Rifle Nacogdoches, TX Open**

Calendar Changes/Updates Civilian/Open:

- **4-5 Feb 06 Adv Tac Pistol Nacogdoches, TX Open**
- **18-19 Feb 06 Adv Tac Rifle Nacogdoches, TX Open**

IN GENERAL:

A few have asked why I have been slow in posting next years schedule. I have been intentionally dragging my feet, because I have been asked by the major security company Triple Canopy, to stand up their Law Enforcement Training Division. After giving it much thought, I have agree to do so.

I do not wish to “burn out” and at my current pace, this could easily happen. With the assets and talent of Triple Canopy, we can provide a standard package of classes that will set the standard in the industry. I see myself training the initial cadre for the first year, validating/certifying their instruction and teaching classes.

My reasons for taking this challenge are many, but the primary reason is to establish a cadre of hand picked professionals that can take my lessons plans and teach them throughout the United States. Currently I am a one man show and I am limited by time and movement constraints. This position will allow me to standardize cutting edge training and lesson plans and then implement them in a nationwide manner. Further, this position will allow me to develop and implement other classes which I presently do not have the time for.

Another goal is to establish other all weather regional training centers where students can drive or fly in short time that will provide the same quality training, should certain areas not have the facilities to accommodate training.

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For the civilians seeking training, do not worry. The other part of my job will be to better serve you by providing more classes across the U.S. with a standardized reality based shooting package that will consist of Level I, Level II and Level III courses at both regional training centers and at your local gun clubs.

As for CSAT, it will continue to be, but at a low key level. I may resurrect the business one day, but I look at my employment with Triple Canopy as a long term commitment.

This change would take effect on 1 January 2006. I would continue to keep this web site up, but feed any requests to TC.

COURSE UPDATE(S):

Tac Med Course:

I will be assisting in the instruction during a three-day Tactical Medical Course in the Dallas area taught by Dr. Alan Frankfurt. This is what I consider to be a “high speed” course and my main involvement will be on day 3 with the tactical medical scenarios and how to solve the security problems and then address the medical issues.

RANGE UPDATE:

The range is looking good and I have begun to have the other side of my property “scraped” in preparation for the planting of pine trees.



This picture is from the Southeast corner of the dam. The water level will rise another 8-10'



The arrow indicates the height of the spill/drain pipe. To its left is an emergency spillway should the water rise too fast. The drain pipe will be the water height of the pond.

In addition, the dozer company I use put in a pond in the low ground near the old cabin. It has already started to fill with water from natural springs in the area. We left the upper portion of the pond full of vegetation for fish and cleaned the lower half next to the damn for swimming and possibly a “slide for life.” The dam area of the pond is deep enough to run a cable off the far hill and drop in after a fun ride. Besides fishing, I might make it part of an obstacle course one day.

As for the “Old Cabin,” it was rotting away, so I had it buried and the hill top scraped off. One idea I have is to put several rental cabins on the hill for students who wish to stay on site.

EQUIPMENT:

I have personally decided to go with all Eagle brand tactical equipment for my personal shooting and tactical needs. John Carver of Eagle has been an incredible help to me and exceptionally responsive in getting new ideas into production. They also produce everything within the United States.

IN CLOSING

Book

“Leadership and Training for the Fight” is out and I am already getting positive reviews back and they are much appreciated. Feel free to shoot me any comments

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you have and I will keep them logged in a file for reference when I find time to edit the work.

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Take care and be safe.

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