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PROVIDING TRAINING IN TACTICS, FIREARMS, AND RISK MANAGEMENT
TO ALL LAWFUL & RESPONSIBLE CITIZENS

ADVANCED PISTOL/REVOLVER TRAINING
@AGAWAM REVOLVER CLUB, SOUTHWICK, MA
SUNDAY June 11, 2017 – 9am to 4:30 pm

JIM MARKOWSKI, D/B/A Advanced Tactics & Firearms LLC, wishes to announce ADVANCED PISTOL/REVOLVER live fire training course that will be offered to qualified citizens at the AGAWAM REVOLVER CLUB (ARC), 304 Feeding Hills Road, Southwick, MA 01077, on Sunday June 11, 2017.

The cost will be **\$175.00**. The course will need to have a **minimum of 10 and a maximum of 16 in order to occur**. **Anyone who has not registered prior to 6/10/17 and still wish to take the course, will be assessed an additional charge of \$25 from the listed cost.** **This course will be presented on the outdoor range so plan accordingly for the weather.** **If total inclement weather is forecast the course will then be presented on the indoor range. ******

This advanced live fire course is geared for individuals who wish to **carry a concealed handgun** on his/her person for defense, either in the home or workplace and add to existing firearms proficiency. The theme of the course will be the proper and safe handling of handguns while carrying on the person as well as acquiring and developing advanced skillsets to survive an armed encounter. The course is intended for those shooters who have previously attended prior *Advanced Tactics & Firearms* shooting courses, specifically Intermediate Defensive Pistol, or have attended a training course from a reputable firearms instructor/training academy achieving at least an Intermediate skillset. **Individuals will need to provide a copy of certifications received from other firearms trainers to register for this course or please register for the next scheduled ADVANCED TACTICS & FIREARMS, LLC, Intermediate PISTOL/REVOLVER live fire course that will be held.** (Feel free to discuss with Jim one's eligibility to register for this course.)

The course will commence promptly at 9am with the range safety briefing. Students will be instructed in the proper and safe handling of handguns at all times. The building blocks will be discussed and demonstrated by the cadre. The final qualification course will provide the shooter the ability to assess his/her progress in the course. The course will incorporate shooting *competition* drills among course participants. The course will include tactics and drills for dealing with threats inside a room both from outside the room as well as engaging a threat while making entry. Certificates of successful completion of the course will be issued. The course will end **by 4:30pm.**

The building blocks will consist of the following:

- Demonstration and detailed instruction on Marksmanship – consisting of Stance, Grip, Sight Alignment, Sight Picture, Trigger Control, Follow Through, Breathing.
- Loading, Reloading and Unloading.
- Firearm Presentation – drawing and holstering; 4 step process.
- Immediate Action drills; Remedial Action drills.
- Positions of Carry in a defensive use of force scenario.
- Emergency reload; Magazine Exchange/Tactical reload
- Shooter's Box concept re: loading and reloading firearm.

- Press Check.
- Scan
- Static Live Fire drills – single shot; controlled pairs; immediate threat pairs.
- Drills incorporating Shooting on the Move – Forward; Backwards; Laterally; Room Entries.
- Single targets and progression to multiple targets.
- Stationary Turns – 90 degrees; 180 degrees
- Strong hand only shooting; Support hand shooting
- Various kneeling shooting positions
- Standing & Kneeling Barricade shooting – strong & support side shooting both strong hand & intro of support hand shooting.
- Sitting in a chair & responding to a threat
- Prone, strong side shooting close to a barricade
- Skillsets enhanced to engage in an armed defensive encounter from greater than 10-15 yards in assorted positions.
- Defensive reloading drills using only one hand (drills will include strong hand only as well as support hand only. Simulate being wounded in an ongoing armed encounter.)
- Introduction of Room Clearing Tactics and Engaging Threats on the move & from doorway.
- One on One competition drills with other students.

Student required gear:

- Pen and small pocket notebook
- Baseball cap
- Eye and ear protection
- Semi-auto pistol and/or .38 caliber revolver
- Belt
- OWB Holster
- 3 pistol magazines/2 speed loaders for revolvers
- Firearm cleaning kit
- 450-500+ rounds of ammo
- Individual ground cover (shooters will engage in drills on the ground in kneeling, prone, and fetal left and right positions.)

There will be a 30 minute lunch break so be prepared to either bring a boxed lunch or use the food locations in the immediate area. (Bottled water will be provided at the training.). The course will **end by 4:30pm** and certificates will be issued subsequent to *successful* completion of the course.

Anyone who wishes to enroll in the course should either email Jim at jpm264@aol.com or call him at 413 478-6112 to register and discuss payment. All students will need to provide for viewing a **copy of a current and valid state issued pistol permit/LTC**. **At time of registration please advise how one wishes his/her name to read on the course certificate.**

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