# East Central Illinois Mobile Law Enforcement Training Team

MTU #13

# Course Announcement

# **Basic CQB SWAT Course**

## April 13-17th, 2026

See Course Overview Attached for times

Mattoon Police Range 2849 Lake Rd. Mattoon, Il. 61938 Submit enrollment to: Registration form at www.mtu13.com



#### Overview

Join us for a five-day, ILETSB-certified training course designed to equip participants with practical skills for room clearing and close-quarter tactics, essential for high-risk warrant service and hostage rescue operations. This course, backed by over 20 years of experience, offers hands-on training, realistic drills, and detailed instruction on the latest techniques.

#### What to Expect

Throughout this comprehensive course, you'll engage in various exercises and drills, focusing on tactics, techniques, and procedures for effective room clearing and close-quarters combat (CQB). By the end of the course, you'll demonstrate a solid understanding of these concepts through practical assessments and field training exercises.

#### Course Highlights

- Legal Considerations: Understand the legal framework and compliance requirements for high-risk operations.
- Personal and Team Equipment: Learn how to choose and maintain the right equipment for yourself and your team.
- CQB Shooting Drills: Practice shooting techniques specific to close-quarter scenarios.
- Small Team Drills: Work in small teams to execute coordinated maneuvers and tactics.
- Coding and Reporting: Develop effective communication skills for reporting and documenting mission details.
- Theory of CQB Mindset: Explore the mindset required for successful close-quarters operations.
- Approach Phase and Breaching: Gain insights into different approaches to entering and clearing rooms.
- **Team Movement and Withdrawal Phase**: Learn effective team movement strategies and how to safely withdraw from a mission.
- **Rope Drills and Vehicle Assaults**: Get hands-on experience with specialized techniques like rope climbing and vehicle assaults.

Tactical Medicine: Discover essential medical skills for treating injuries in a high-risk environment.

#### Who Should Attend?

This course is designed for law enforcement professionals and tactical team personnel seeking to enhance their CQB skills and learn the latest in high-risk warrant service and hostage rescue tactics.

#### Join Us!

Equip yourself with the skills and knowledge to excel in high-stakes operations. Register today to secure your spot in this comprehensive training course.

This course is funded by a grant by the Illinois Law Enforcement Training Standards Board

### \*\*\*Instructions for Students\*\*\*

- We will begin promptly at 0800 on Monday morning. Please have all equipment with you at that time. Thursday will be a late start to accommodate low light training.
- Students should be qualified and familiar with any firearm brought to the course.
- Please leave weapons in your vehicle until called for during class- we will do a safety brief first. There is a designated weapon clearing area. Do not load or unload in the parking lot.
- Safety is paramount. Anyone causing a negligent discharge will be immediately without recourse. Persons with recurrent gun handling safety errors may have to complete the course with an empty firearm.

#### Packing List:

- Eye and Ear Protection- We will NOT have extras at the training site
- Ballistic Vest
- Vest or Belt Kit
- Light Gloves
- Foul Weather Gear for the Season
- Weapon light for Primary Weapon
- Spare Flashlight
- Notepad and Writing Equipment
- Spare Magazine in Pouch
- Sling for Carbine or SMG if issued

#### Mandates

Procedural Justice

De-Escalation with role play

Law concerning stops, searches and Use of Force

Officer Safety Techniques including role play

FBG Distraction Device if issued

(This is not intended to be an equipment race. Bring what you are issued)

Ammo Count:

Primary Weapon– 300 Rounds

Handgun-100 Rounds

If your pistol is your primary weapon then bring 400 rounds for the pistol

With team flow events it is almost impossible to predict the exact number of rounds that each student will fire. Extra ammo is recommended, however most students will end up bringing ammo back.

\*\*\*The attached Liability Waiver needs to be signed by the agency head prior to attending training\*\*\*

#### **Certified Instructor**

**Ron Yanor** is a distinguished Certified Instructor with an extensive background in law enforcement and military tactics. With a career spanning over four decades, Yanor has honed his expertise across a broad spectrum of specialized areas, earning recognition for his contributions to training and operational excellence.

**Certifications**: Yanor holds certifications in an array of critical disciplines, including Basic CQB/SWAT, Advanced CQB/SWAT, Dignitary & Witness Protection, Sniper/Observer, and Patrol Rifle Instructor Development, among others. His comprehensive skill set encompasses areas such as Less Lethal Munitions, Building Search Tactics, and Combat Shotgun operations.



**ILETSB Certified Courses**: He has played a pivotal role in developing and instructing courses accredited by the Illinois Law Enforcement Training Standards Board (ILETSB). Notable among these are Basic and Advanced CQB/SWAT, Sniper/Observer, and Patrol Rifle Instructor Development, demonstrating his commitment to fostering excellence in law enforcement training.

**Published Author:** Yanor's expertise extends beyond the training grounds, as evidenced by his contributions as a published author. With over 50 articles featured in both professional and mainstream publications, including the esteemed International Journal of Counter Terrorism Professionals, he shares insights and tactics to advance the field of law enforcement.

**Operational Experience:** Throughout his career, Yanor has been an integral member of multijurisdictional special operations teams, serving in various capacities for 19 years. As a team training and intel officer for nine years, he contributed to operational readiness and mission success. Ron's dedication was His operational reach extends across several states within the U.S. and even to South America, where he provided training and support for specialized missions.

During his tenure at the Sangamon County Sheriff's Department, Ron was honored with both the Medal of Valor for his courageous actions in a perilous situation, where he saved lives, and the Medal of Merit for his exceptional dedication in creating curriculum for his fellow officers that surpassed expectations.

**Training and Instruction**: Yanor's dedication to excellence in instruction is evident in his tenure as a fulltime instructor for law enforcement and military clients at the Adamax Tactical Academy. Over ten years of fulltime instruction, supplemented by an additional decade of part-time service, underscore his commitment to sharing knowledge and enhancing operational capabilities.

**Collaborations and Partnerships**: Yanor has collaborated with leading figures and organizations within the tactical community, including Tactical Energetic Entry Systems, Direct Action Group, Larry Vickers, and Pat McNamara. His contributions as a staff instructor and adjunct have enriched training programs and seminars, further solidifying his reputation as a respected authority in the field.

Ron Yanor's unwavering dedication to excellence, coupled with his vast operational experience and commitment to advancing training methodologies, cements his status as a preeminent figure in the realm of law enforcement and military tactics.

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