

L.I.P.S.A.-Defensive Pistol Match

Welcome to L.I.P.S.A's DEFENSIVE PISTOL match. This is an IDPA style match. Defensive Pistol is different than USPSA. It focuses on more of "Real Life" scenarios. It teaches you to use cover and how to engage targets in a manner that exposes the least amount of your body as possible. Also to retain ammo. You never know if you'll need that ammo later in a gun fight. Below are the divisions and some of the rules we'll be following. Remember- Any day spent on the range shooting, is a good day!

CDP (Custom Defense Pistol) - Any .45 caliber semi-automatic handgun. To start, gun is loaded with 8 rounds in the mag and 1 in the chamber (Optional). All other mags loaded to 8 unless otherwise specified in course description.

SSP (Standard Service Pistol) – Similar to USPSA's production division. Any 9mm or larger handgun. To start, gun is loaded with 10 rounds in the mag and 1 in the chamber (Optional). All other mags are loaded to 10 unless otherwise specified in course description.

ESP (Enhanced Service Pistol) – Any 9mm or larger handgun with slight modifications. Included are mag wells and magazines with extended base pads. To start, gun is loaded with 10 rounds in magazine and 1 in the chamber (Optional). All other mags are loaded to 10 unless otherwise specified in course description.

SSR (Standard Service Revolver) – Any 6 shot revolver, .38 caliber or larger that uses speed loaders.

ESR (Enhanced Service Revolver) – Any 6 shot revolver, .38 caliber or larger that uses moon clips.

CCP (Concealed Carry Pistol)- Any 9mm or larger handgun with slight modifications. Included are mag wells and magazines with extended base pads. A maximum barrel length is 4 inches. To start, gun is loaded with 8 rounds in magazine and 1 in the chamber (Optional). All other mags are loaded to 8 rounds unless otherwise specified in course description.

BUG (Back Up Gun)- Any automatic, .380 or larger with a 3.6 in barrel or less. Or any 6 shot revolver with a 2 ½ in barrel or less. Autos are loaded with 6 rounds in the magazine and 1 in the chamber (Optional). Revolvers are loaded to 6 rounds.

NFC (Not For Competition)- Bring your 22 (Rifle or pistol). Bring your Limited gun. Bring your Open gun. You can even bring your AR (As long as there's no steel). Come out and have fun. All rules apply except for the cover garment. You can leave that at home.

CO (Carry Optics)- Any 9mm or larger handgun with a SLIDE mounted optic. To start, gun is loaded with 10 rounds in magazine and one in chamber (Optional). All other mags loaded to 10 rounds unless otherwise specified in course description.

PCC (Pistol Caliber Carbine)- Any rifle that shoots a pistol round. 9mm, 40 or 45. To start, gun is loaded with 10 rounds in magazine and one in chamber (Optional). All other mags loaded to 10 rounds unless otherwise specified in course description.

- **Holsters**- Any strong side belt holster. Speed rigs are ok for NFC. Inside pants holsters ok if they're made of polymer and hold their shape. Drop holsters ok too, as long as it's covered with cover garment.
- **Concealment**- All shooting must be done while wearing a cover garment. Vest, shirt or jacket. (Not for NFC and PCC).
- **Tactical Priority**- Targets must be engaged in Tactical Priority. If shooting from side of cover, you engage the outside target first and work your way in. (Slicing the pie). If targets are right in front of shooting position or through a port, you engage closest target first. That target poses the greatest threat.
- **Reloading**- All reloads must be done from behind cover. No re-loading in the open.
- **Magazines/ Cylinders**- All magazines and cylinders should be shot dry before reloading. If you want to reload and your magazine or cylinder is partially full, then you must retain the magazine or bullets on person either in mag pouches or pocket.

Defensive Pistol Rules

Foot Fault- Stepping over a fault line and shooting a target is a procedural for each shot fired.

FTSA- Failure To Shoot At. One procedural for each target not engaged.

Mag drop- All mags must be empty when dropped to the ground. (This includes the NFC division).

Tactical Priority- All targets must be engaged in Tactical Priority. (Follow course description). One procedural per array will incur if shot out of order.

Cover- Shooters must shoot and reload from behind cover. RO can tell the shooter to go behind cover. If shooter continues to stay out in the open, a procedural can be incurred.

Cover Garment- Except for NFC and PCC, all shooters must wear some sort of cover garment. It must cover holster and mag pouches. If you don't have a cover garment, you will be moved to the NFC division.

Loaded at Start- Guns can be loaded to 10 or 11 rounds. Shooters choice. Whatever you load for first stage, must be the same for all additional stages. (This does not apply to unloaded start position).

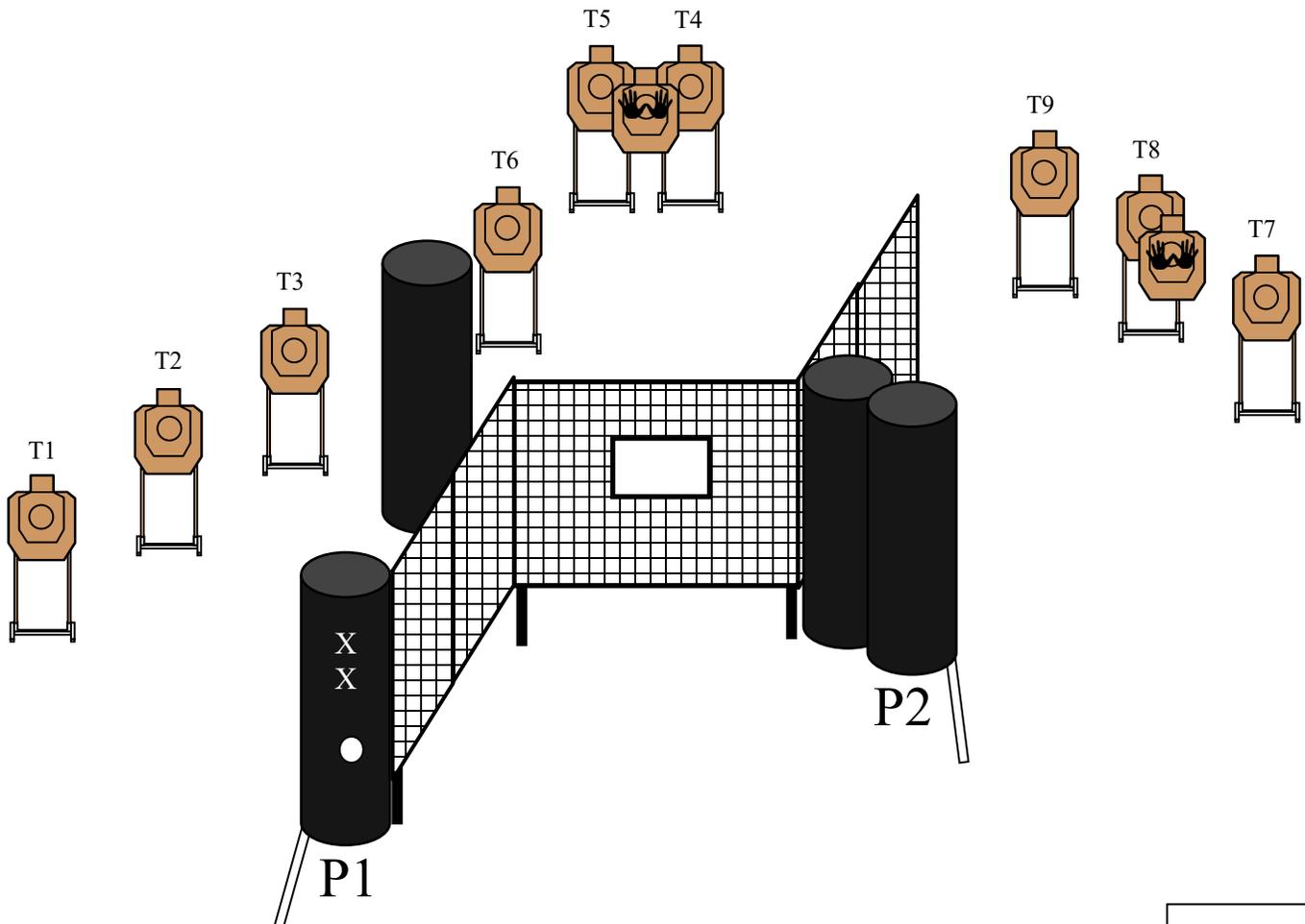
Hit on non-threat- A non-threat target is now hard cover. Which means it's impenetrable. Any hit on a non-threat will get scored as a miss and a hit on non-threat. That's 10 seconds added to your time. If the hit breaks the perforation, then you'll get the points behind and a non-threat hit also.



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LIPSA	STAGE NAME: Jumped	
RULES: LIPSA Defensive Pistol		Course Designer: Michael Linsalata
SCENARIO: No matter how much you plan or how much you prepare, there's a chance you're gonna let your guard down at the worst possible moment. That's what happened to you today. You were out on the town doing a little shopping when you and a bunch of other innocents get jumped by a gaggle of gang bangers. Don't panic. You practice defensive shooting every month. Rely on your training. Draw your weapon. Use cover. Aim carefully. Save the day.		
START POSITION: Standing with hands flat on X's. Gun is loaded and holstered. Rifle start is gun loaded. Safety on. Muzzle touching mark on barrel.		
PROCEDURE: At signal, engage T1-T3 from P1. Engage T4-T6 through port. Then engage T7-T9 from P2. All targets must be engaged in Tactical Priority.	SCORING: Vickers, 18 Rounds SCORED HITS: Best 2 per target TARGETS: 9 IDPA Targets PENALTIES: Standard SIGNAL: Start is standard beep; Stop Last Round fired	



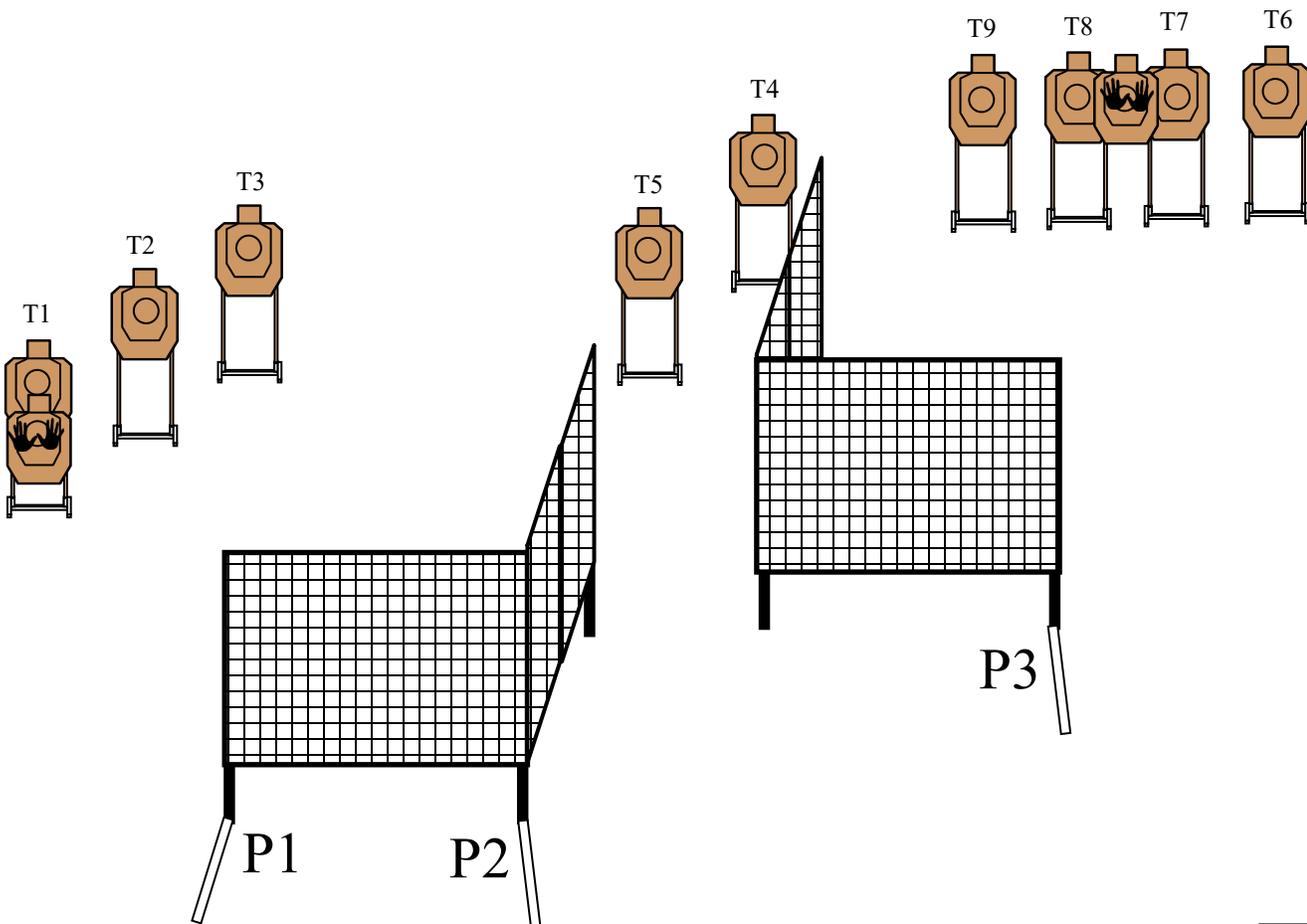
Stage 1
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LIPSA	STAGE NAME: Don't Ef With My Buffalo Bites!!!!	
RULES: LIPSA Defensive Pistol		Course Designer: Michael Linsalata
SCENARIO: Thankfully you practice defensive pistol shooting every month. Thankfully you believe in your constitutional right to carry a concealed weapon. And thankfully Tonino's makes Buffalo Bites. So, when you're at your favorite pizza place eating your favorite food and carrying your favorite gun, a group of evil doers tries to screw that all up. Big mistake! Huge! Show these sons a bitches why you don't Ef with a person's Buffalo Bites. Especially a person who has a gun and knows how to use it.		
START POSITION: Standing at P1 behind cover. Gun is loaded and holstered. Rifle start is gun loaded. Safety on. Held at Low Ready.		
PROCEDURE: At signal, engage T1-T3. Step over to P2 and engage T4 and T5. Advance to P3 and engage T6-T9. All targets must be engaged in Tactical Priority.	SCORING: Vickers, 18 Rounds SCORED HITS: Best 2 per target TARGETS: 9 IDPA Targets PENALTIES: Standard SIGNAL: Start is standard beep; Stop Last Round fired	



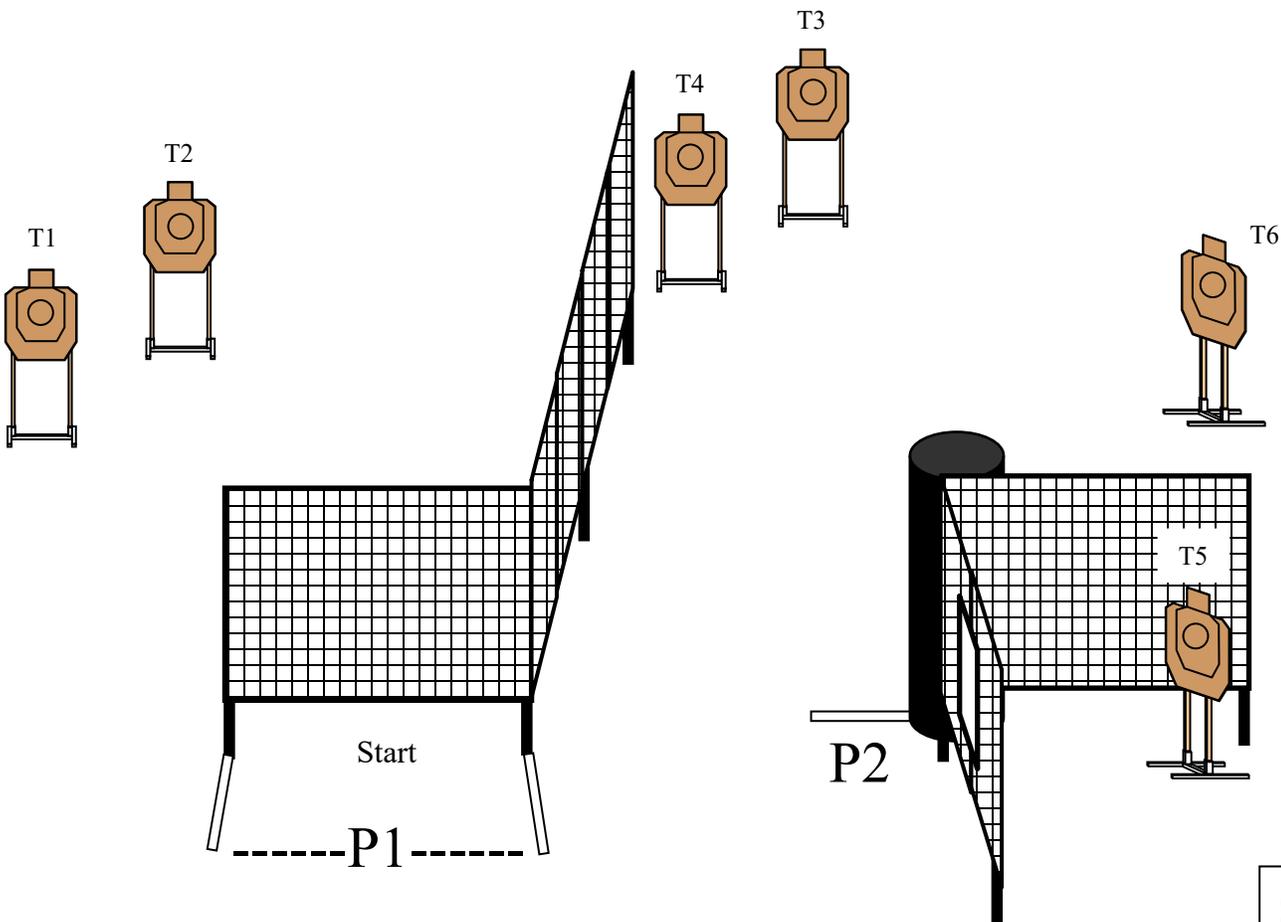
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Defensive Pistol



LIPSA	STAGE NAME: Fight Or Flight	
RULES: LIPSA Defensive Pistol		Course Designer: Michael Linsalata
SCENARIO: It's one of our most basic instincts. If a bad situation arises, should we stay and fight or should we take flight and save ourselves. Let's face it! Most people would leave and save themselves. We're not most people. We own and carry guns. We proudly carry that weapon to not only defend ourselves, but to defend others. We are a different breed of people and the American public should thank God every day that we're around. So when a group of thugs pulls out weapons and threatens to kill innocent civilians, are we gonna fight or are we gonna flight? You already know the answer!!		
START POSITION: Standing at P1 in middle of wall. Wrists below belt. Gun is loaded and holstered. Rifle start is gun loaded. Safety on. Held at Low Ready.		
PROCEDURE: At signal, engage T1-T4 from P1. Engage T5 through port. Engage T6 from P2. All targets must be engaged in Tactical Priority.	SCORING: Vickers, 18 Rounds SCORED HITS: Best 3 per target TARGETS: 6 IDPA Targets PENALTIES: Standard SIGNAL: Start is standard beep; Stop Last Round fired	



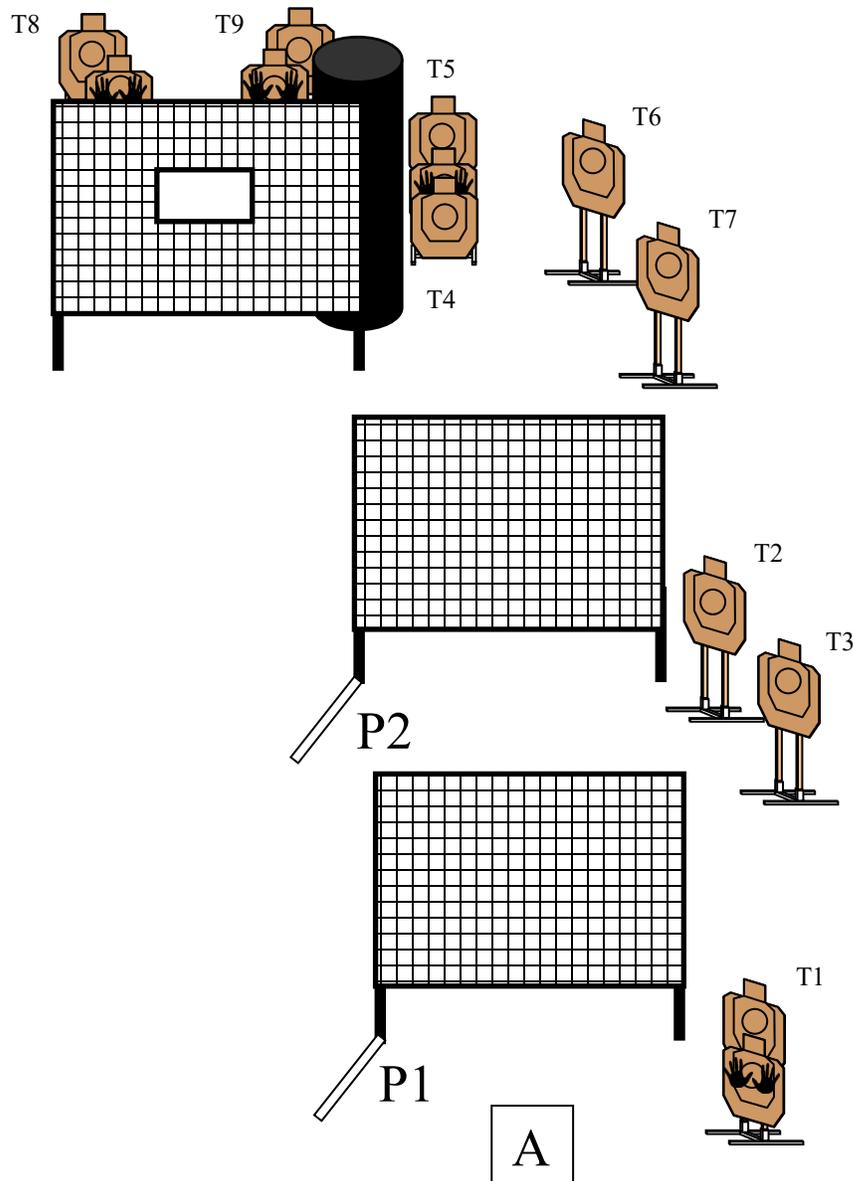
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Defensive Pistol



LIPSA	STAGE NAME: Salvation	
RULES: LIPSA Defensive Pistol		Course Designer: Michael Linsalata
SCENARIO: A group of innocent people are looking for salvation from all the crime happening in their town. The defunded police just don't have the manpower to save everyone. It's up to you to help them find it. Why you? Because you believe in the constitution. Especially the 2 nd amendment.		
START POSITION: Standing in Box A, wrists above shoulders. Gun is loaded and holstered. Rifle start is gun loaded. Safety on. Held at Low Ready in weak hand. Strong wrist above shoulder.		
PROCEDURE: At signal, engage T1 from Box A. Engage T2 and T3 from P1. Engage T4-T7 from P2. Engage T8 and T9 through port. All targets must be engaged in Tactical Priority.	SCORING: Vickers, 18 Rounds SCORED HITS: Best 2 per target TARGETS: 9 IDPA Targets PENALTIES: Standard SIGNAL: Start is standard beep; Stop Last Round fired	



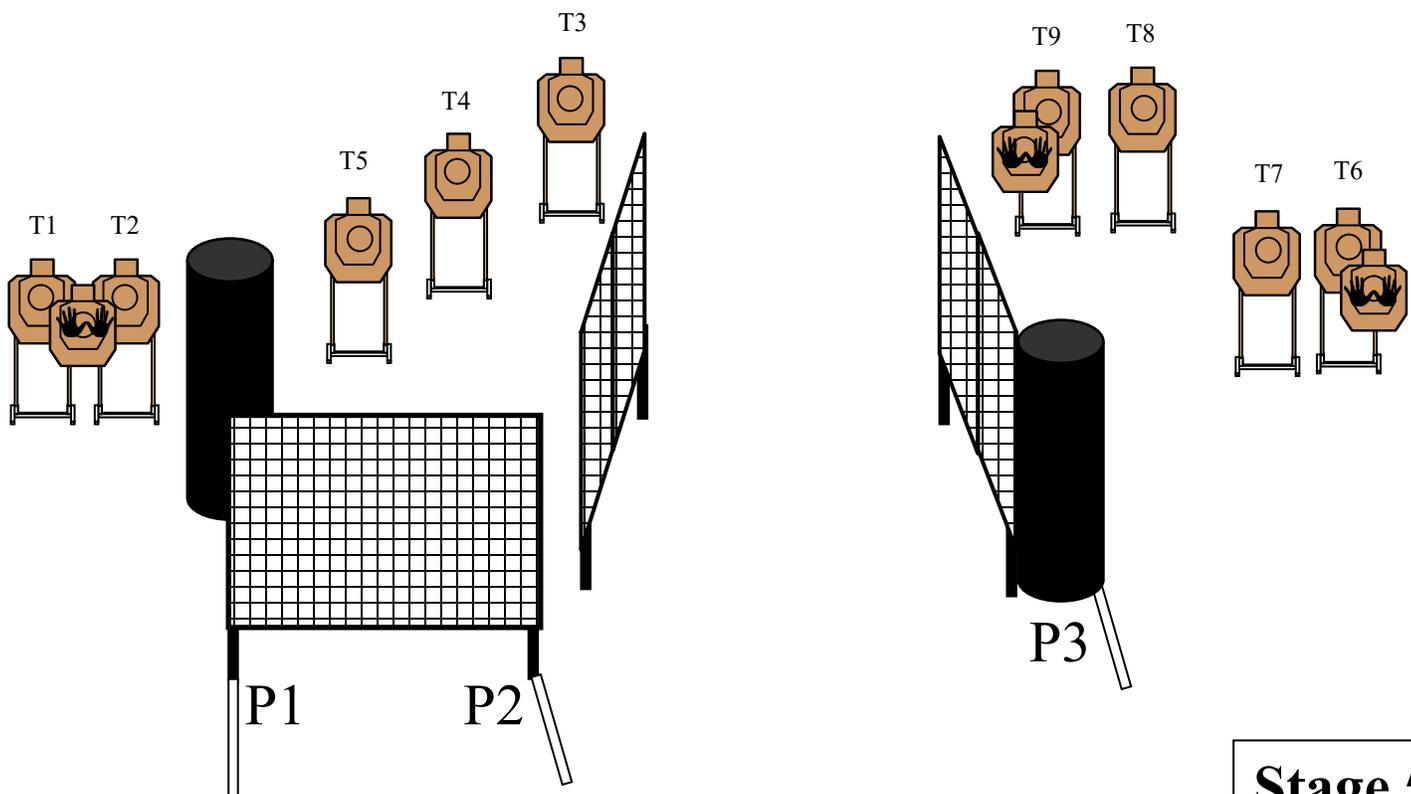
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LIPSA	STAGE NAME: Kevin's House of Pain	
RULES: LIPSA Defensive Pistol		Course Designer: Michael Linsalata
SCENARIO: Kevin Driscoll works at a Division I college. That's his house. If you go there looking for trouble, you're gonna have to deal with Mr. Driscoll. Did I mention that Kevin believes in his 2 nd amendment right to own a gun? Did I also mention that he's a damn good shooter? So, if you're a bad guy and you're thinking about messing with Kevin or his house! You're in for a whole lot of pain.		
START POSITION: Standing at P1 behind cover. Wrists below belt. Gun is loaded and holstered. Rifle start is gun loaded. Safety on. Held at Low Ready.		
PROCEDURE: At signal, engage T1 and T2 from P1. Go to P2 and engage T3-T5. Advance to P3 and engage T6-T9. All targets must be engaged in Tactical Priority.	SCORING: Vickers, 18 Rounds	SCORED HITS: Best 2 per target
	TARGETS: 9 IDPA Targets	PENALTIES: Standard
	SIGNAL: Start is standard beep; Stop Last Round fired	



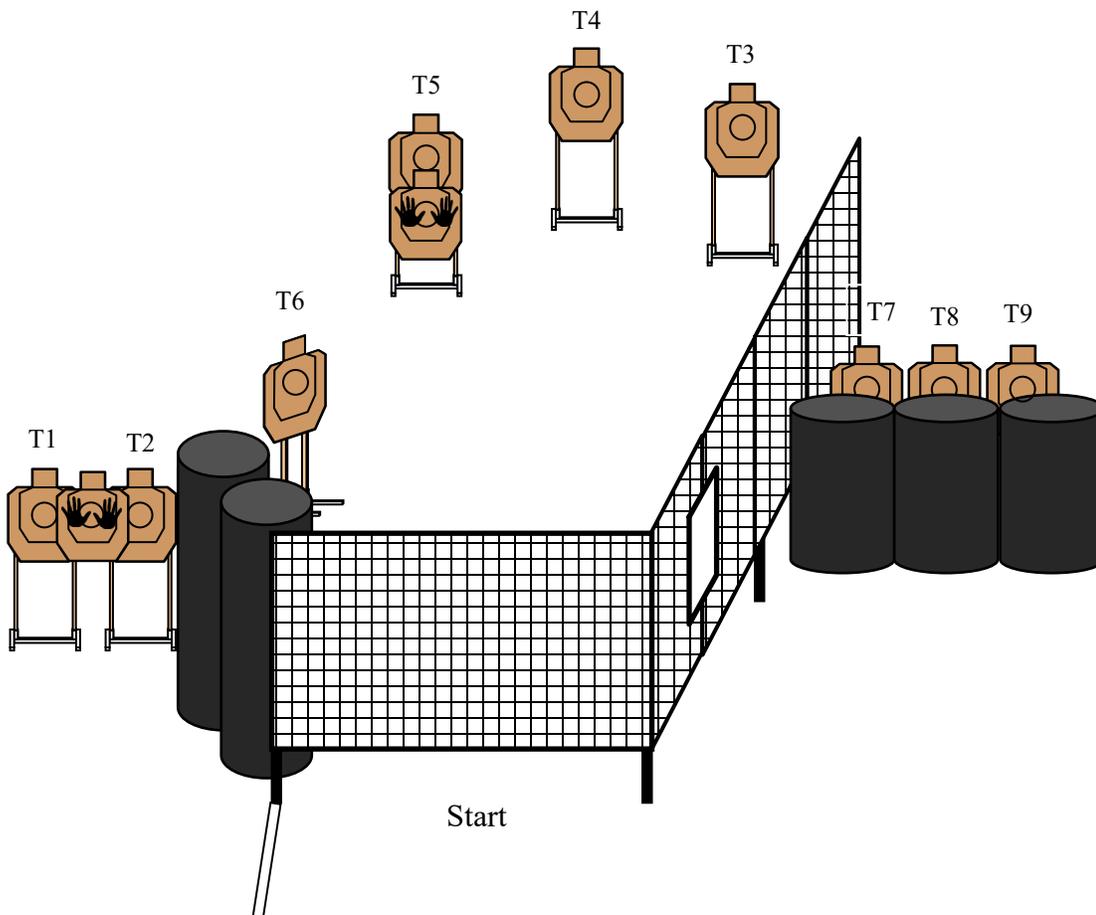
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LIPSA	STAGE NAME: The Criminal Collective	
RULES: LIPSA Defensive Pistol		Course Designer: Michael Linsalata
SCENARIO: The world seems to be unraveling. Criminals seem to be running the streets. The reasons why don't matter. All that matters is that you need to protect yourself and others at all times. My wife used to ask me, "Why do you need to carry a gun? We're only going to the mall"! My response was always the same, "You never know where the criminals will be". In this new upside down world we live in, you need to be like a boy scout...always be prepared!!!		
START POSITION: Standing in middle of wall, wrists below belt. Gun is loaded and holstered. Rifle start is gun loaded. Safety on. Held at Low Ready.		
PROCEDURE: At signal, engage T1 and T2 from left side of wall. Engage T3-T6 through port. Then engage T7-T9 over top of barrels. All targets must be engaged in Tactical Priority.	SCORING: Vickers, 18 Rounds SCORED HITS: Best 2 per target TARGETS: 9 IDPA Targets PENALTIES: Standard SIGNAL: Start is standard beep; Stop Last Round fired	



Stage 6
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