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# 2013

## GREEN BERET SHOOTERS CUP



**Mike Raahauge Shooting Enterprises — Saturday, 12 OCT 2013**

14995 River Rd., Corona, CA 92880



**STEVE COWAN**

Director of the Special Forces Green Beret Shooters Cup

### From the Event Director

**Welcome everyone to the 3rd Annual Green Beret Shooters Cup.** I would like to personally thank the competitors, spectators, sponsors, and staff for helping make the 2013 Cup a possibility. Without each and everyone one of you this event would just be a good idea instead of a reality.

This year we have teams from all over California competing for the cup and the bragging rights that go with keeping it in their care for a year. The staff this year has pulled out the stops; we have cars that they will have to operate around, trucks they will have to drive, and new weapons for them to master. We have upped the physical exertion by keeping the logs and adding new challenging obstacles. The staff and I are excited to watch all the teams react to the courses we have laid out for them. As always we look forward to see who rises to the top and who we have been able to expose holes in their skills to.

So let's all sit back and enjoy the action. As always please keep your eyes and ears protected at all times when near the ranges. To the competitors; good luck, be safe and have fun.

Steve out.



**LONNY HOLMES**  
President SFA 78

### From the President of SFA 78

Special Forces Association Chapter 78 welcomes you to the Third Annual Green Beret Shooters Cup. Our goals are two fold; to design a world class action pistol 'team' competition for law enforcement officers and the military and raise funds to help our Wounded Green Beret Soldiers from the current Global War on Terrorism.

This year's "Cup" will consist of five different scenarios testing team work, accuracy, speed, target selection and endurance. There will also be a sixth scenario sponsored by Kriss for one member of each team. Kriss will offer a special prize for this side event.

The winning team gets bragging rights and takes home the Green Beret Shooters Cup Trophy for one year. This year we also have a very nice selection of prizes for the top team; the top overall shooter will also receive a Kimber 1911 .45 pistol. There are many prizes for other teams all donated by our corporate sponsors.

Last year the "public side shoot" was started as an adjunct fund raising event. This proved to be a hit that we will continue it this year and a donor had provided a Glock 17 for the first place shooter. The fee is \$20.00 for ten rounds in this timed competition. The proceeds will be donated to the Green Beret Foundation.

I wish to thank **Richard Simonian**, and the **Veterans Affordable Housing Program** for partnering with the Green Beret Shooters Cup and becoming the **Chief Sponsor for the Third Annual Event**. Chapter 78 also wishes to thank each and every sponsor who has assisted us in making the "The Shooters Cup" one of the best pistol competitions in the United States!





# LONG BEACH POLICE DEPARTMENT

WINNERS OF THE 2012 GREEN BERETS SHOOTERS CUP

TEAM MEMBERS: Pat Dougherty, Gab Garrido, Jeremy Haining, Scott Holder, Robert Owens



## 2012 Green Beret Shooters Cup Top Ten Teams

PLACE	TEAM	SCORE
1	Long Beach P.D.	1771.59
2	San Diego P.D. SWAT – Team #2	1920.54
3	L.A. Lawmen Blue – LAPD	2023.04
4	Torrance P.D. SWAT	2078.63
5	Metro Mix K-9	2103.23
6	Anaheim Police SWAT Team	2243.37
7	San Diego P.D. SWAT – Team #1	2271.89
8	FBI SD SWAT	2282.85
9	Ch. 23, SFO – Naval Postgrad School	2289.41
10	L.A. Lawmen Red – LAPD	2339.60

## 2012 Top Ten Individual Shooters Scores

PLACE	NAME	TEAM	SCORE
1	Craig Evans	San Diego P.D. SWAT – Team #2	245.21
2	Jeff Gross	San Diego P.D. SWAT – Team #2	257.68
3	Cliff Chu	Metro Mix K-9	285.40
4	Scott Holder	Long Beach P.D.	285.95
5	Pat Dougherty	Long Beach P.D.	292.39
6	Jeremy Haining	Long Beach P.D.	293.06
7	Chris Yamate	L.A. Lawmen Blue – LAPD	294.81
8	Greg Duran	L.A. Lawmen Blue – LAPD	297.12
9	Matthew McKee	Ch. 23, SFO – Naval Postgrad School	300.16
10	Charles Joh	Metro Mix K-9	303.51

# 2013 TEAMS

- |    |   |    |   |
|----|---|----|---|
| 1  | Long Beach Police Department                          | 15 | LA County LAW/ Team #2  |
| 2  | San Diego PD/ Swat #2                                 | 16 | Joint L.E.A.A.P/ L.A.P.D./Orange County SD                          |
| 3  | Los Angeles PD/Blue Team                              | 17 | Joint L.E.A.A.P/ L.A.P.D.   |
| 4  | Torrance PD/Swat                                      | 18 | Anaheim PD Swat Team B  |
| 5  | Los Angeles PD/ Mix-Metro                             | 19 | San Diego PD Team   |
| 6  | Anaheim PD Swat Team A                                | 20 | Federal Air Marshals Team #1  |
| 7  | San Diego PD/Swat #1                                  | 21 | Federal Air Marshals Team #2  |
| 8  | Federal Bureau of Investigation/San Diego             | 22 | United States Secret Service  |
| 9  | Ch23, SFO-Naval Post Grads School                     | 23 | Escondido PD  |
| 10 | Los Angeles PD/Black                                  | 24 | LA County District Attorney's Bureau of Investigation/<br>Blue Team |
| 11 | LA County District Attorney's Bureau of Investigation | 25 | AIT/USCG Military   |
| 12 | New Port Beach PD                                     | 26 | USCG/ Fighting Seahorses Military                                   |
| 13 | CA Highway Patrol/Wolf Pack                           | 26 | MSST LA/LB USCG Military  |
| 14 | LA County LAW/ Team #1                                | 28 | Cal State University- Fullerton/ ROTC Military                      |

## GREEN BERET SHOOTERS CUP PROGRAM SCHEDULE\* Saturday October 12, 2013

### 0630 to 0800

Team Registration

Breakfast available from U.S. Coast Guard CPO Association \$\$

### 0800 to 0900

Opening Ceremony

Safety Briefing by Joel Adams Chief Range Master

### 0900

Competition begins

Public shoot

### 1000

Sponsor Demonstrations on public shoot berm

### 1100

Public shoot resumes

Lunch served by U.S. Coast Guard CPO Association \$\$

### 1300

Sponsor Demonstrations on public shoot berm

### 1400

Public shoot resumes

### 1600

Public shoot ends

### 1700

Competition ends

Awards Ceremony

\*Schedule is subject to change





## GBSC LAYOUT › 10/12/2013 Admin Area



- |                         |                |
|-------------------------|----------------|
| ① Parking Area          | ⑥ Stage Area   |
| ② Administrations Booth | ⑦ Open Tent    |
| ③ Prize Tent            | ⑧ Coast Guard  |
| ④ First Aid Tent        | ⑨ Raffle Tent  |
| ⑤ Vendor Tent           | ⑩ Scoring Tent |



## GREEN BERET SHOOTERS CUP Aerial Map of Event at Mike Raahuage's





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# VETERANS AFFORDABLE HOUSING PROGRAM

## Becomes Primary Sponsor of the Third Annual Green Beret Shooters Cup

Richard Simonian, owner of Santiago Communities and a former Green Beret who served with the 10th Special Forces Group in Bad Tolz, Germany during the 1950s, has been a Chapter 78 member and supporter since late the 1990s. He formed the Veterans Affordable Housing Program in 2011 following a discussion with veterans at the 2010 Green Beret Christmas Dinner about current issues facing soldiers following their return from combat.

One of the largest problems facing veterans of the current Global War on Terrorism as well as previous conflicts is affordable housing. The Veterans Affordable Housing Program is designed to help veterans who may not qualify for a standard home loan. Richard Simonian has designed a program that helps house veterans truly in need. His program has placed about 100 vets; some disabled from combat injuries, some nearly homeless and all struggling financially – into homes.

The Green Beret Shooters Cup originated to raise funds for Green Beret Soldiers wounded in the present Global War on Terrorism. For the last two years the chapter has been successful in this goal. In this time period the “Cup” has doubled in size and has become a very competitive event. As a chapter member, Mr. Simonian observed this evolution and decided that partnering his VAHP with the “Cup” would help support our wounded Green Berets by helping to fund the Green Beret Foundation.

The Special Forces Association, Chapter 78, and the Green Beret Shooters Cup is proud to have the Veterans Affordable Housing Program as the primary sponsor.



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