

## Road Riding Skills



## Slow Speed Drills



## Obstacle Clearing



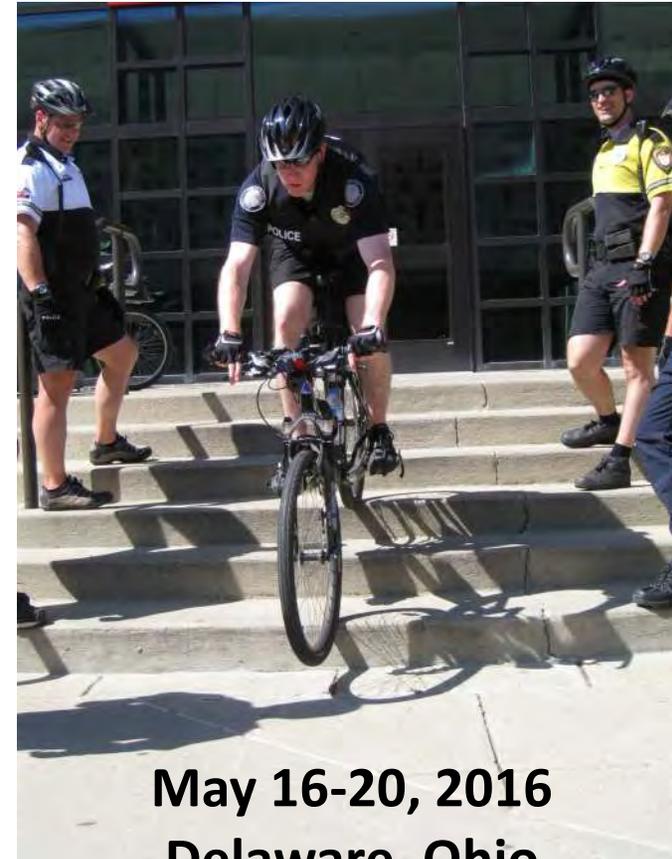
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In The News: See the Patrol School up close by watching local news footage and viewing pictures at <https://www.facebook.com/Delaware-Police-Department-Bike-Patrol-School-586174474772087/>



Delaware has a population of about 34,000 and is located in Ohio's fastest growing county. Delaware is 20 minutes north of Columbus with easy access to I-71, US 23, US 42, US 36, and Ohio 37.



**May 16-20, 2016**  
**Delaware, Ohio**

# Delaware Police Department Bike Patrol School

***Police bicycle patrols enhance community relations by promoting positive interactions with the public. Not only is this an effective use of manpower during parades and festivals, where police must respond quickly and safely through crowds, it can also put police officers at a tactical advantage when stealth is required. This course will provide riders with the skills, confidence, and knowledge necessary to negotiate obstacles and traffic in order to perform their jobs effectively and safely.***

This is a physically demanding school, with at least half of the course spent on bicycles. Students need to be in good health with no pre-existing injuries.

Course Location: Delaware Police Dept.

Course Dates: May 16-20, 2016

Course Hours: Mon. 0730-1700 hours

Tues., Thurs., Fri. 0800-1700 hours

Wed. 1300-2200 hours (night training)

Course Fee: \$295-includes IPMBA Certification for those that qualify, first year membership to IPMBA, textbook, continental breakfast, and lunches.

Instructors:

Ofc. Robert Hatcher, Delaware, OH PD

Ofc. Adrian Foust, Delaware, OH PD

Steve Noftz, O'Bleness Hosp. Security, Athens, OH

Jim Fish, Washington TWP FD, Dublin, OH

Sgt. Gary Strang, London, ONT PD

Pete Gomia, Delaware, OH FD

**The International Police Mountain Bike Association (IPMBA) is a leader in developing training and support for police on bikes. Successful completion of this course will qualify attendees for certification through IPMBA. Please visit [www.ipmba.org](http://www.ipmba.org) for more information.**



## Course Sessions

1. Bike Handling and Vehicular Cycling Skills
2. Proper Bike Fit, Inspection, and Anatomy
3. Group Riding
4. Hazards and Common Crashes
5. Legal Issues
6. Fitness and Nutrition
7. Obstacle Clearing
8. Night Riding
9. Bike Maintenance
10. Patrol Procedures
11. Uniforms and Equipment
12. Firearms Training
13. Off-road ride at Alum Creek State Park

## Accommodations

Ohio Wesleyan University is offering **FREE** accommodations for officers traveling from out-of-town. Rooms are first come first serve. If lodging is needed, please check the box on the registration form.

## Meals

Continental breakfast and lunches will be provided daily (except lunch on Friday) during the course.

Please contact Ptl. Robert Hatcher at (740) 203-1132 or [delawarebikepatrol@delawareohio.net](mailto:delawarebikepatrol@delawareohio.net) with any questions.

## Registration

(Please copy this form for additional students)

Cost: \$295      Number of Students: \_\_\_\_\_

Total Due: \_\_\_\_\_      Housing Needed:

Dept. Name: \_\_\_\_\_

1st Student  
Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

2nd Student  
Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact  
Person: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_      Fax #: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Payments are payable to the Delaware Police Department by the start of the course. P.O. numbers are also accepted and will be invoiced after the course.

P.O. # \_\_\_\_\_

Billing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Mail, email or fax registration to:  
Delaware Police Dept.

70 N. Union St., Delaware, OH 43015

Attn: Ptl. Robert Hatcher

Fax (740) 203-1198

Email: [delawarebikepatrol@delawareohio.net](mailto:delawarebikepatrol@delawareohio.net)

Confirmation letter, directions, and equipment needs will be sent via email or fax upon successful registration.