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Media Open House

WHAT: Sheriff's Media Relations and Weapons Training Unit (WTU) are hosting an open house for credentialed media. The goal is to give the public, through the media, a better understanding of the challenges and dynamics of use-of-force situations.

- K-9 demonstration
- Force Option Simulator - members of the media will go through a scenario so they can experience the split-second decisions deputies have to make when confronted with a threat.
- Dialogue on training of deputies, as well as policy and procedure
- Light refreshments will be served



WHEN: Wednesday, February 7th
Anytime between 10:00 a.m. - noon

WHERE: Sheriff's Weapons Training Facility at 6755 Kearny Villa Road, San Diego

WHO: Sheriff Bill Gore and Undersheriff Mike Barnett (from 10:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.)
Media Relations Director Lieutenant Karen Stubkjaer
WTU Lieutenant Mario Zermeno and instructors

The Sheriff's Weapons Training Facility is inside MCAS Miramar. Military base security requires a media list at the gate.

If you plan on covering or attending this event, send an email to mediarelations@sdsheriff.org by Friday, January 26th with the following information:

- Name of anchor, reporter, photographer, producer, writer, editor, assignment desk managers, broadcast technicians, etc.
- Driver License Number

Only those on the roster will be allowed on base. ID check is required at the gate prior to entering federal property. A map with directions will be emailed upon RSVP. The facility is dusty and has unpaved surfaces. Please wear comfortable shoes and clothes.

