

Ron Hood

Ron is a staff instructor at FRC Range. Ron is a life-long shooting enthusiast and gun rights activist. Ron grew up in rural Alabama and enjoyed time in the woods hunting and became interested in firearms (particularly pistol) in his late teens. Ron spent his career in the natural gas industry and spent much of his career teaching and mentoring others in the gas measurement discipline. Ron was a founding member of the Tri-Lakes Shooting club in north Mississippi and served as Secretary/Treasurer of that club until the club was merged with the Desoto Rifle and Pistol Club. Ron also served on the board of directors of the Mississippi Rifle and Pistol Association and was a frequent speaker to various clubs and organizations regarding the Second Amendment and gun rights. Ron was also instrumental in getting the current Mississippi concealed carry law passed. Ron has a passion for teaching firearms and particularly enjoys teaching new students who have little or no experience with firearms. He gets great joy in seeing that smile on a student's face when they realize that they really can shoot a firearm both safely and accurately. Ron is a Benefactor member of The National Rifle Association and has been an NRA Certified Instructor since 1995.

Instructor Certifications:

LSP Concealed Hand Permit Instructor #2025

- Regularly teaches the Louisiana Concealed Handgun Course at FRC

NRA Instructor #37325166

- Range Safety Officer
- Home Firearms Safety
- Basics of Pistol Shooting
- Basics of Rifle Shooting
- Personal Protection Outside the Home
- Personal Protection Inside the Home
- Defensive Pistol

Other Certifications:

Graduate of the Massad Ayoob MAG 20 Classroom Course

Glock Armorer

Graduate of Glock MOS Operator Course

Graduate of Greg Ellifritz Tactical Shotgun for Home Defense