

2006 Eighth Annual Law Enforcement Explorer Tactical Competition Chandler, Arizona

On January 13, 2006, the Port Hueneme Police Department Explorers attended the 2006, Eighth Annual Law Enforcement Explorer Tactical Competition in Chandler, Arizona. The Chandler Tactical Competition is unlike other Explorer competitions in that Explorers work together as a team toward solving problems. The majority of the events, including the coveted "Team Spirit Award", are based upon how well Explorers work together toward a common goal. Teamwork, rather than tactics is the emphasis.

There were eleven 'Team Events' and four 'Individual Events with over 900 Explorers from 63 different agencies throughout the Western United States, from Washington to Arizona attending this event. PHPD Explorers made an impressive statement by achieving second place in the Tactical Competition Paintball Challenge.



Port Hueneme Explorers are sharpening their skills on the rock-climbing wall.



Port Hueneme Police Explorer team participating in a paintball competition



Physical training exercises prepare Explorers for the scheduled competitions