

Tuesday February 17 th	Early Check-in 4pm to 7pm (Rooms 4 & 5) Near the Garage Crosswalk 2 nd Floor
Wednesday February 18 th	2026 INDIANA DRUG ENFORCEMENT ASSOCIATION 40 TH ANNUAL TRAINING CONFERENCE
0700 - 0830	CONFERENCE CHECK-IN RESUMES (Rooms 4 & 5) Near the Garage Crosswalk 2 nd Floor
	↓ 2 nd Floor BALLROOM ↓
0830 – 0930 0930 – 1000 1000 – 1200 1200 – 1300 1300 – 1700	Opening Ceremonies: Presentation of the Colors, National Anthem, Pledge of Allegiance HIDTA's Don McCay, Tim Horty, and Awards Ceremony Opening Speaker, Survival Mindset with Ron Hantz/STOPS, Followed by IDEA Board Elections Lunch on Your Own Keynote Speaker, The Smuggler with Rich Laferriere
1700 – 1900	Attendee Networking, Hospitality, and Vendor Show
1900 – 2400	Jason Lee McKinney Band and Pizza

Thursday February 19 th	A	B	C	D	2&3	6&7
0830 - 1000	Legal Updates Raquel Ramirez	Motorcycle Stops and OMG's Todd Wellmann	Stalking Evil Stopping Violent Criminals Erik Forestal	3 Hour Class Bus Interdiction Techniques Kevin Small	Stopping a Tractor Trailer Joseph Dravigne	Field Test Certification and Drug Update Melissa Kusske
30 Minute Break – Visit Our Vendors						
1030 - 1200	Legal Aspects of The Stop Searches & Seizures Travis White	Money Laundering Asset Forfeiture Scott Campbell	State of the State with the Indiana National Guard Counterdrug Program	3 Hour Class Bus Interdiction Continued Kevin Small	Darker Clouds Digital Exploitation Eric Evans	Covert Tactical Thinking Bruce Gentner
LUNCH ON YOUR OWN						
1330 – 1500	Legal Updates Raquel Ramirez	Motorcycle Stops and OMG's Todd Wellmann	Stalking Evil Stopping Violent Criminals Erik Forestal	3 Hour Class Train Interdiction Techniques Kevin Small	Stopping a Tractor Trailer Joseph Dravigne	Field Test Certification and Drug Update Melissa Kusske
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1530 - 1700	Legal Aspects of The Stop Searches & Seizures Travis White	Money Laundering Asset Forfeiture Scott Campbell	State of the State with the Indiana National Guard Counterdrug Program	3 Hour Class Train Interdiction Continued Kevin Small	Darker Clouds Digital Exploitation Eric Evans	Covert Tactical Thinking Bruce Gentner
1900 – 2400	Blauer Sponsored Hospitality and Game Night with Blauer Product Raffled by Jeff Dheel AND Cornhole Tournament Sponsored by DetectaChem's Melissa Kusske					

Friday February 20 th	
2nd Floor BALLROOM 0800 – 1100	Closing Speaker, "The Plug Walk" with Tim Gooler
	15 Minute Break
2nd Floor BALLROOM 1115 - 1315	State Mandates Act-Out
Vendor Room 1315 - 1400	Closing Ceremonies and Last Drawings