

# Ohio State Highway Patrol

## Media Advisory

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### **149<sup>th</sup> Patrol Academy Class will graduate tomorrow**

- What:** Graduation of the Ohio State Highway Patrol's 149<sup>th</sup> Academy Class
- When:** Wednesday, December 16, 10:15 a.m.
- Where:** Ohio State Highway Patrol Academy  
740 East 17th Avenue (I-71 @ 17th Ave., near Ohio Expo Center)  
Columbus
- Who:** Governor Ted Strickland, State of Ohio  
Director Cathy Collins-Taylor, Ohio Department of Public Safety  
Captain Kevin Teaford, Interim Superintendent, Ohio State Highway Patrol  
Judge Peter B. Abele, Fourth Appellate District, Ohio Court of Appeals  
Richard Cordray, Attorney General, Ohio Attorney General's Office  
Reverend Richard D. Ellsworth, Chaplain, Ohio State Highway Patrol  
38 members of the 149<sup>th</sup> Academy Class

The 38 members of the Patrol's 149<sup>th</sup> Academy Class will graduate during a ceremony at the Patrol's Academy.

Courses completed by the 149<sup>th</sup> class included firearms, traffic and criminal laws, self-defense, cultural sensitivity and crash investigation training. Cadets also drove on the performance track at the Ohio Peace Officers Training Academy (OPOTA) in London.

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