

## OSHP Firearms History

### Pistols used by OSHP

- The Division handguns were the Colt Official Police Revolver .38 Caliber Special In 1933 as well as the Smith and Wesson .38 Caliber.
- The Colt .38 caliber phased out by 1969.
- The division started using the S&W model 10's in the mid 1950's until 1987 when they transitioned to the S&W model 681. .357 Caliber Magnum for a short time.
- In 1992, the Division switched to the Beretta mod 96D .40 Caliber, it was the first semi-auto pistol carried by the Division and the first change in caliber since the Patrol's inception.
- In 1998, the Division switched to the Sig Sauer mod 226 DAO. .40 caliber until 2010.
- In 2010, the division went to the Sig Sauer 226 DAK. .40 caliber and started the transition in 2019.
- In 2019, the division has been phasing to the Sig Sauer, Model P320 9mm. to present day.
- The division approved as the (Issued back-up) Weapon, the Sig Sauer, Model P365 9mm. 2019 to present.

### Shotguns

- The Patrol first used shotguns during the 1952 Ohio Pen riots, they were federally issued Stevens model 520 .12-gauge pump-action shotguns. May have gone out of service around 1959
- The Patrol also used the Remington 870P .12 Gauge. May have been put in service around 1959 - Present.

### Patrol Rifles

- Thompson Submachine Gun .45 Caliber ACP M1928A1, Dec 31, 1941
- The Patrol also used a Winchester .351 Caliber Mod 1907 self-loading rifles in the cruisers.
- The Patrol put in service the Colt or Military issue from Vietnam era Model M16A1 5.56 .223 Caliber around 2011 or 2012.
- Change out for the new Aero Precision AR-15 Style Rifles sometime 2022-2023.