



Fleet 1 - Gulf Coast

2016 VX One Gulf Coast Fleet 1 - Notice of Series

1. Entrants Qualifications
 - a. Skippers must be active VXCA members in good standing.
 - b. Skippers must be active members of VXCA Fleet 1 – Gulf Coast.
 - c. Skippers scored in the series must use the same sail number throughout the series. Any sail number changes must be reported to the fleet captain – VXCA Fleet 1.
 - d. Associate member skippers may declare their intent to share the series score using the same sail number and boat. Such declaration must be made to the Fleet 1 fleet captain by the second series regatta.
 - e. Charters are permitted. Chartering skippers must meet above qualifications for both class and fleet membership.
2. Events
 - a. The series will consist of 7 events.
 - b. Events may be held concurrent with existing events on the GYA schedule.
 - c. An event may be rescheduled or relocated in the event of a conflict.
3. Scoring
 - a. Scoring of an individual regatta will be in accordance with the US Sailing RRS and VXCA rules.
 - b. The series will be scored using the low-point scoring system. Four regattas must be sailed to qualify. Any regattas not attended will be scored as DNF. All DNF's will be scored as an average of the number of boats *sailed* from the 5 best attended regattas, rounding up to the nearest point (0.01 rounded upward), plus one point. (E.g., Avg. of 6.02 boats *sailing*, DNF equals 8 points)
 - c. The 5 regattas which result in the lowest points scored will be used to determine the final standings.
 - d. Ties in series will be resolved using only the 5 regattas used to score the series.
4. Trophies
 - a. Perpetual trophy will be awarded to the series winner at the GYA Annual Winter meeting.
 - b. A nominal fee per boat may be assessed to cover the cost of trophies.

Event Name:	Date	Host
GORC	April 2-3	Gulfport Yacht Club
Buccaneer Spring	May 14-15	Buccaneer Yacht Club
GYA Opening Regatta	May 20-22	Fairhope Yacht Club
School's Out Regatta	June 4-5	Ponchartrain Yacht Club
WFORC	Oct. 14-16	Pensacola Yacht Club
VX One Fleet One Championship	Nov. 12-13	Pass Christian Yacht Club
Sugar Bowl	Dec 3-4	New Orleans Yacht Club

Invitational Events (non series)

Weatherly Regatta (Woman's Invitational)	July 30-31	Gulfport Yacht Club
Summer in the Pass (Junior Invitational)	Aug. 6-7	Pass Christian Yacht Club