

**Southern Yacht Club  
One Design Fleet  
2017 Spring, Fall and Overall Series  
NOTICE OF RACE**

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**1 RULES**

- 1.1 The series will be governed by *The Racing Rules of Sailing* (RRS) and US Sailing prescriptions; Class Rules; local fleet rules; the SYC General Sailing Instructions (GSI); and this Notice of Race (NOR). When there is a conflict between rules, succeeding documents in this list shall govern. This alters RRS 63.7.
- 1.2 RRS 44.1, 63.7, A2 and A9 are altered herein.
- 1.3 Local fleets may alter their respective Class Rules for this series.
- 1.4 A component series event may have separate rules which supersede these for that event only.

**2 ELIGIBILITY and ENTRY**

- 2.1 Yachts as defined by their respective Class Rules may participate in the series.
- 2.2 Each registrant and skipper (person in charge) must be a member of a recognized yacht club or other sailing association.
- 2.3 ENTRY in the series may be made online via the SYC web site and Regatta Network. There is no entry fee for the Series.
- 2.4 Separate entry in certain component events may also be required, which may include payment of respective entry fees.
- 2.5 Each registrant must be a member of their local fleet organization to be eligible for Series prizes.

**3 SERIES SCHEDULE**

- 3.1 Events hosted by SYC:

Date	Day	Start	Event	Series
April 9	Sun	1000	OD Race Day	Spring #1
April 14 thru September 22	Fri	1800	Friday Twilight Racing	V15 Series (verify)
April 22	Sat	1000	OD Race Day	Spring #2
April 23	Sun	1430	SYC Opening Regatta	
May 27-28		TBA	Juby Wynne OD Regatta	
June 3	Sat	1000	OD Race Day	Spring #3
September 16	Sat	1000	OD Race Day	Fall #1
September 24	Sun	1000	OD Race Day	Fall #2
October 7	Sat	1000	OD Race Day	Fall #3
October 15	Sun	1000	SYC Closing Regatta	
October 22	Sun	1000	OD Race Day	Make-up
December 3		TBA	Sugar Bowl Regatta, SYC/NOYC	

- 3.2 Fleets may include additional events not hosted by SYC in their respective series.
- 3.3 Unless otherwise stated in fleet rules, events not sailed on scheduled dates will not be scored. There are no make-up dates.

#### **4 SCORING & PRIZES**

- 4.1 The events to be scored for each series are listed in the Series Schedule and as further specified by each fleet. One (1) race or event will constitute a series. Yachts will be scored in their respective class, excluding non-series boats.
- 4.2 Each class may set its own series scoring method. This may alter RRS A2.
- 4.3 Yachts that come to the starting area for at least one race on a scheduled race day shall not be scored as DNC for any race sailed on that day. For low-point scoring, yachts scored as DNC will receive points equal to the number of boats that came to the starting area for that event plus two (2) points. This alters RRS A9. For high-point scoring, yachts scored as DNC shall receive no points and DNS shall receive one (1) point.
- 4.4 Series prizes will be awarded at the SYC Annual Awards Banquet. See *NOR 2.5*.

#### **5 PENALTIES AND PROTESTS**

- 5.1 RRS Appendix V – Alternative Penalties shall apply. This alters RRS 44.1.
- 5.2 The OA will not inspect nor initiate protests for specific class rules such as, weight limits, equipment limitations, hiking restrictions, etc., except under RRS 60.2(c) involving Gross Misconduct.

#### **6 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY**

Competitors participate in the series entirely at their own risk. See RRS 4, Decision to Race. The organizing authority will not accept any liability for material damage, personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with a competitor's participation in the series.

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