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## **Fortunato Wins South East Regional; Anderson, Atlanta Formulx Also Take Top Spots**

West Palm Beach, Fla., May 19, 2013—Talayna Fortunato won the South East Regional, putting a notable 26 points between her and second-place finisher Anna Tunnicliffe. Fortunato finished third at last year's CrossFit Games and Tunnicliffe is an Olympic gold medalist in sailing. Meanwhile former Newberry College wrestler ZA Anderson took first place in the men's competition and CrossFit Atlanta Formulx remained consistent to take the top spot in the team competition.

Individual athletes completed two events on the final day, as did teams.

For the individual athletes, the morning brought Event 6, which was 100 double-unders, 50 handstand push-ups, 40 toes-to-bar, 30 shoulder-to-overhead with an axle at 100 lbs. for the women and 160 lbs. for the men, and then a 90-foot walking lunge with the same axle in the front-rack position for time. The final event of the competition was four rounds for time of two 15-foot rope-climb ascents, a 100-foot sprint, four squat cleans at 135 lbs. for the women and 225 lbs. for the men, and another 100-foot sprint.

Organizers structured the team events similarly with a curveball. Event 6 for the squads was for time: 100 double-unders (50 each), 50 handstand push-ups while partner holds handstand, 50 toes-to-bar while partner hangs from the bar, 50 shoulder to overhead with axle while partner holds axle in front rack. Then, both

partners take a 90-foot walking lunge with the axles in the front-rack position. And, finally, the last team Event was: one male and female complete three rounds of two 15-foot rope-climb, two squat cleans, then one male and female each complete three rounds of two 15-foot rope climb ascents, three squat cleans, then one male and female each complete three rounds of two 15-foot rope-climb ascents and four squat cleans.

At the end of the day, the overall standings were as follows:

#### Men

1. ZA Anderson (61 points)
2. Travis Mayer (62 points)
3. Daniel Petro (70 points)

#### Women

1. Talayna Fortunato (21 points)
2. Anna Tunncliffe (47 points)
3. Emily Friedman (53 points)

#### Teams

1. CrossFit Atlanta Formulx (15 points)
2. CrossFit Adrenaline (21 points)
3. CrossFit RX (34 points)

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