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2022 MidwYnter Madness Results



2022 Y-FLYER MID WINTER REGATTA GOLD RESULTS

RANK	BOAT	SKIPPER & CREW	FLEET	CLASS	R 1	R 2	R 3	R 4	R 5	TOTAL	RANK	BOAT
1	2759	Henry McCray & Sam Cabiness	SIYC	G	3	11	2	2	2	20	1	2759
2	2800	Sammy Hodges & Gregg Andrews	AYC	G	2	1	4	11	3	20.75	2	2800
3	2757	Anthony Passafiume & Julie Bollinger	HIYC	G	9	3	5	1	8	25.75	3	2757
4	2660	Amanda Hodges & Tara Whitworth +	AYC	G	1	4	6	5	10	25.75	4	2660
5	2688	Mark Barton & Jill Barton +	GMSC	G	6	5	1	10	7	28.75	5	2688
6	2789	Ivan & Kylie Baker	CYC	G	5	13	9	7	1	34.75	6	2789
7	2798	Drew Daugherty & Tony Passafiume +	GMSC	G	7	2	10	13	4	36	7	2798
8	2752	Kevin & Wanda Black +	ISC	G	11	7	7	8	5	38	8	2752
9	2748	David Parshall & Jon Smirles	CSC	G	13	8	3	4	12	40	9	2748
10	2753	Ned & Jess Goss	JIYC	G	10	12	8	3	11	44	10	2753
11	2763	Shelby & Savannah Hatcher	AYC	G	8	14	11	6	6	45	11	2763
12	2772	Doug & Lauren Kinzer +	BYC	G	4	10	12	DNC	DNC	68	12	2772
13	2792	Bill & Nancy Totten +	LMSA	G	16	6	18	15	14	69	13	2792
14	2717	David Hood & Harbor Sailor	JIYC	G	18	16	13	9	13	69	14	2717
15	2624	Mark Buchanan & Danny Hannaman +	AYC	G	14	17	16	14	9	70	15	2624
16	2593	Winkey Williams & Alan Thompson +	AYC	G	15	15	14	16	15	75	16	2593
17	2639	Bob & Brighton Turner	BYSC	G	12	9	DNF	DNC	DNC	82	17	2639
18	2746	Jennifer Garrett & Tracy Allardice +	AYC	G	17	18	15	17	16	83	18	2746
19	2682	Eddie Kuznicki & Dean Plants +	AYC	G	20	19	17	12	17	85	19	2682
20	2384	Chandler Owens & Bob Taylor +	HIYC	G	19	DNC	DNC	DNC	DNC	103	20	2384
21	2679	Terry & Joanne Fraser +	SLSC	G	DNC	DNC	DNC	DNC	DNC	105	21	2679
	DNC	Did Not Compete			21	21	21	21	21			
	DNF	Did Not Finish			*	*	19	*	*			
					R 1	R 2	R 3	R 4	R 5			

2022 Y-FLYER MID WINTER REGATTA BLUE RESULTS

RANK	BOAT	SKIPPER & CREW	FLEET	CLASS	R 1	R 2	R 3	R 4	R 5	TOTAL	RANK	BOAT
1	2606	Ania Gorska & Chris Zitelli	HIYC	B	DNC	1	1	2	2	13.5	1	2606
2	2647	Tom & Jill Stannard	CYC	B	DNF	4	2	4	1	15.75	2	2647
3	2715	Brian O'Donnell & Bre Johnson +	AYC	B	2	3	4	5	4	18	3	2715
4	2742	Henry Taylor & Scott Rains +	AYC	B	3	DNF	DNC	1	3	19.75	4	2742
5	2730	Joe & Trixy Hanson	AYC	B	1	2	3	DNC	DNC	21.75	5	2730
6	2754	Frances Hanson & Victoria Sweeney	AYC	B	4	DNC	DNC	3	5	28	6	2754
7	2542	John Kinzer & Michael Stulz	BYC	B	DNF	DNC	DNF	DNF	DNF	30	7	2542
8	2797	Tom & Liz Henderson +	AYC	B	DNS	DNC	DNC	DNC	DNC	38	8	2797
	DNC	Did Not Compete			8	8	8	8	8			
	DNF	Did Not Finish			5	5	5	6	6			
	DNS	Did Not Start			6	*	*	*	*			
					R 1	R 2	R 3	R 4	R 5			

Synopsis:

by Captain Terryble Fraser

Incredible weather, breath taking wind, marvelous camping, astounding food, great friends, and an amazing, good time. I've run out of adjectives, but that pretty much describes the 2022 Midwinters at the Atlanta Yacht Club.

In the five-race series, Charleston's Henry McCray, with crew Sam Cabiness, may not have won a race but won



the Midwinter Regatta Gold!

The five different race winners included Sammy Hodges with Gregg Andrews,



Mark and Jill Barton,



Anthony Passafiume III with Julie Bollinger,



Amanda Hodges with sister Tara Whitworth



and Ivan Baker with daughter Kylie.



The Blue was won by Nashville's Ania Gorska & Chris "Eye Candy" Zitelli.

The teams of Tom and Jill Stannard of Ohio's Chippewa Yacht Club, as well as the hometown team of Henry Taylor with Scott Rains won one race apiece.

Lavon Hatcher provided enough great food for an army and had several hard-working AYC members helping in the kitchen.

Regatta Chair Nile Hatcher announce the Midwinters will be at Atlanta again next year, so mark it on your calendar!



Will This Be a Triple Crown Year?

Twenty years ago, Tony and Vicky Passafiume won all three majors in the same year! The Y-Flyer Triple Crown was never won before, or since, 2002.

What follows is a collection of Y-Flyer Newsletter headlines and articles from that year:

The year started with the Midwinters which were held at Lake Norman.

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Tony and Vicky give fleet everything but snow!

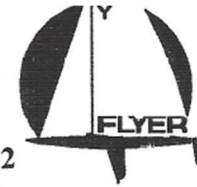
Passafiume Weathers Midwinters

Then the Nationals at Little Rock:

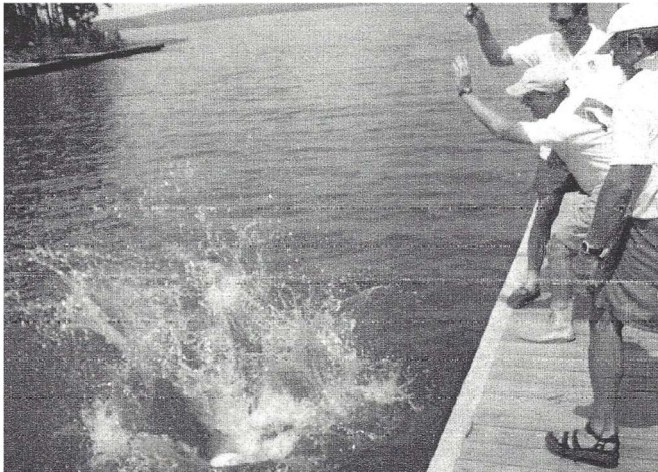
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Passafiume Wins (Insert Name of Championship Regatta Here)



and the Internationals at Sudbury, Ontario, Canada.

Then Tony, Vicky with brother Pat Passafiume moved on to the Championship of Champions Regatta:

Passafiume Takes Fifth in C of C

By Merrill and Maggie Callen, Y-417

The following article was written in the form of e-mails from the Merrill and Maggie Callen, Y-417. The FLYER changed no wording etc. The Callens did a great job of capturing the essence of our champ's accomplishment.

The Championship of Champions Regatta is held by US Sailing and is comprised of twenty National Championships from different one-design classes. The 2002 event was held at the Lake Norman Yacht Club and was sailed in Flying Scots. This event has been sailed in the Y-Flyer twice, in 1976 and 1993.

PASSAFIUME TAKES A 5TH AT THE CHAMPIONSHIP OF CHAMPIONS!

Tony, Vicky and Pat left early this morning and we Callens miss them already. What a great week we had together. The final results can be found on www.lnyc.org but here's a brief rundown of the top. Bill Draheim won with 29 points, Mike Ingram was second with 44 points, Dick Tillman was third

with 50 points, Allison Jolly was fourth with 59 points, beating Tony by just one point. Fourth place went down the the last race with Allison taking a third and Tony getting a fourth.

2022 was an incredible year for Tony and Vicky. The question is now.....can Henry McCray win the 2022 Triple Crown?



Our President Has a Few Words

Bob Turner



Its April already and the recently held and very successful Midwinter Championships is still in sight in my rear-view mirror. Great times, great food, and the best of friends all at one time!! Hard to beat that!!

That said, and though one could expound on all the above elements, our sights now are turned to the upcoming season and in particular, our National Championship being held at Lake Norman Yacht Club this June. Over the past few months, the details of this event have been filtering out and this Newsletter should have the NOR that Paul and some of us have been working on. A bit more consternation than usual due to hosting the event along with the “boots on the ground” from Lake Norman. They all have proven up to the challenge and have helped tremendously working through some of the more vexing areas. Coupled with “guesstimating costs” with the ongoing price adjustments, most of us are working from distance and trying to get a handle on meals, trophies, tee shirts and all those areas that often get put off till the last minute. Not the case this year as there have been quite a few volunteers from the ranks that have stepped forward to help with the “details”. Thanks to all who have stepped up to the plate to help. Still to be settled, trophies and awards details but those will fall in place with some help.

Now, as all are aware, I have had as my focus the Junior sailing aspect that our class has traditionally been very strong in promoting. There were a few years that the interest waned but most recently, the past five years have seen an uptick in activity in that corner. This is a call to arms for all those who anticipate coming to Lake Norman, to sail in the Junior event or offer to be on the club grounds Sunday to weigh in and measure the boats that

would be sailing sometime starting Monday before noon. There may be additional challenge to have some of those participating in the Charleston event which would be the James Island Open regatta held that prior weekend. Given the proximity to Charlotte, the drive Sunday evening could be practical particularly with that being some of the longest daylight hours all year. enior

Presently, there is a good bit of interest in the Charleston Harbor/SC Coast so for those who have this goal in mind, please reach out for any assistance you might need. The awards banquet could be epic with quite a few past Junior National Champions competing in the Senior Nationals. A can't miss photo op for all those who have "been there and got the Tee shirt".

Direct...to the point... a short but very important message. Thank you everyone for divin' in.

Kiva clear, standing by on 16...static...break...more static..



2022 National Regatta

Be watching for further information about the Nationals at Lake Norman in North Carolina in the next couple of issues of The Flyer.

The plan is for there to be a new “Nationals tab” on the www.yflyer.org website. information, registration information, as well to pay your regatta fees with PayPal.



There will be regatta

2022

Y-FLYER NATIONAL REGATTA

June 20 – 24

Lake Norman Yacht Club

Mooreville, NC

Juniors sail Monday June 20 starting with the Competitor’s Meeting at 9:00, the Practice Race at 10:00, and racing to follow. Meals for Juniors and crews are Monday, Tuesday, and the Banquet Friday evening. Seniors and Challengers have the Practice Race Tuesday afternoon June 21, the Competitor’s Meeting Wednesday at 9:00, and racing to follow. Meals for Seniors, Challengers, and crews, are Tuesday evening, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday. Meals for all visiting and supporting family during the regatta need to be purchased as extra meals. There are NO meals for anyone Thursday evening.

Regatta registration, and the purchase of extra meals and T shirts, is by using PayPal on the Class website, yflyer.org, or by sending registration information and a related check to the Class Secretary Paul White at address below.

Description	Qty	Cost
Jr National Regatta		85.00
Sr National Regatta		300.00
Challenger Regatta		300.00
Extra Breakfast Meals		6.00
Extra Lunch Meals		8.50
Extra Dinner Meals		15.00
Extra Banquet Meals		25.00
T Shirt S		23.00
T Shirt M		23.00
T Shirt L		23.00
T Shirt XL		23.00
T Shirt XXL		25.00
Regatta costs June 1 and later		
Jr National Regatta		100.00
Sr National Regatta		325.00
Challenger Regatta		325.00

TOTAL _____

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What's Up Next? April Regattas:

Nashville:

April events for Y-Flyers include the Hospice Regatta on Old Hickory Lake at the Harbor Island Yacht Club near

Nashville, Tennessee : 

https://www.regattanetwork.com/clubmgmt/applet_registration_form.php?regatta_id=23889

Atlanta:

The Atlanta Open Regatta at the Atlanta Yacht Club on Allatoona Lake on April 23rd and 24th :



https://atlantayachtclub.org/AYC_OPEN

Seneca:

The Keowee Open Regatta at the Keowee Sailing Club near Seneca, South Carolina on April 30th and May 1st :



<https://www.keoweesailingclub.com/racing/major-regattas/keowee-cup-regatta/>

2022 Flyer Rankings

April 1st

1	Henry McCray	SIYC
2	Sammy Hodges	AYC
3T	Anthony Passafium	HIYC
3T	Amanda Hodges	AYC
5	Mark Barton	GMSC
6	Ivan Baker	CYC
7	Drew Daugherty	GMSC
8	Kevin Black	ISC
9	David Parshall	CSC
10	Doug Kinzer	BYC
11	Ned Goss	JIYC
12	Shelby Hatcher	AYC
13	Bob Turner	BYSC
T14	Bill Totten	LMSA
T14	David Hood	JIYC
16	Mark Buchanan	AYC
17	Winkey Williams	AYC
18	Jennifer Garrett	AYC
19	Eddie Kuznicki	AYC
20	Chandler Owens	HIYC
21	Ania Gorska	HIYC
22	Joe Hanson	AYC
T23	Brian O'Donnell	AYC
T23	Henry Taylor	AYC
25	Tom Stannard	CYC

April 1st ranking are based on the average finish place of races at the Midwinters. DNF, DNC, DNS, DSQ races not included in the average. Rankings not corrected for ties. Gold and Blue Fleets not statistically compared but both are ranked.

Next Flyer Ranking May 1st will include Nashville Hospice and Atlanta Open.



2022

Y-FLYER INTERNATIONAL REGATTA

July 12 - 15
Saratoga Lake Sailing Club
Ballston Spa, NY

Come early and stay late for the Y-Flyer International Regatta in July!

Colloquially called Saratoga, the full name of the city is actually Saratoga Springs.

The Saratoga Springs area of Upstate New York is a tourist haven. Since 1863, horse racing has been the heart and soul of Saratoga.

From Planetware.com: “Located in eastern Saratoga County, Saratoga Lake is one of the premiere tourist attractions in Saratoga Springs. In summer in particular, Saratoga Lake becomes the heart and soul of the destination.”

The Saratoga area includes the Horse Racing National Hall of Fame and Museum, The Saratoga Automobile Museum, The Roosevelt Mineral Baths and Spa (you can bathe in the waters), The Saratoga National Battlefield, The Yaddo Botanical Gardens, Saratoga Spa State Park, National Museum of Dance, the New York State Military Museum and the Saratoga Springs History Museum. In addition, there are the Adirondack Mountains within a short drive as well as President Grant's Cottage where he finished his memoirs just before he died.

The main street in Saratoga is filled with shops and restaurants.

The Dave Matthews Band is scheduled for July 8th and 9th at SPAC (Saratoga Performing Arts Center) then Chicago and Brian Wilson are scheduled for July 17th.

About a mile or two south of Saratoga Lake is the Malta Movie Drive-In as well as the Albany-Saratoga Raceway for dirt track car racing.

International registration is not yet open but will soon be available at

<https://sailsaratoga.org/regatta/XwcFeCCHZ1>



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Regatta Calendar

2022 Y-Flyer Regatta Calendar								
		Regatta Name	Club	Lake	Location	State	Country	Type of Event
Mar	19th and 20th	Midwinters	Atlanta YC	Allatoona	Acworth	GA	USA	Y-Flyer Only
Apr	9th and 10th	Schultz Hospice	Harbor Island YC	Old Hickory	Nashville	TN	USA	Open and/or Invitational
	23th-24th	Atlanta Open	Atlanta YC	Allatoona	Acworth	GA	USA	Open and/or Invitational
	30th & May 1st	Keowee Cup	Keowee SC	Keowee	Seneca	SC	USA	Open and/or Invitational
May	7th and 8th	Spring Dinghyfest	Rush Creek YC	Ray Hubbard	Rockwall	TX	USA	Open and/or Invitational
	14th and 15th	Animal Cracker	Browns Creek SA	Guntersville	Guntersville	AL	USA	Open and/or Invitational
	28th-29th	Hawg Wild	Grande Maumelle SC	Maumelle	Little Rock	AR	USA	Open and/or Invitational
Jun	4th & 5th	Greater Richmond	Greater Richmond SA	Swift Creek	Midlothian	VA	USA	Open and/or Invitational
	11th-12th	Riviera	Mattoon SA	Mattoon	Neoga	IL	USA	Y-Flyer Only
	18th-19th	James Island	James Island YC	Charleston Harbor	James Island	SC	USA	Open and/or Invitational
	20th-21st	Junior Y Nationals	Lake Norman YC	Lake Norman	Mooreville	NC	USA	Y-Flyer Only
	22nd-24th	Y-Flyer Nationals	Lake Norman YC	Lake Norman	Mooreville	NC	USA	Y-Flyer Only
	22nd-24th	Challenger Regatta	Lake Norman YC	Lake Norman	Mooreville	NC	USA	Y-Flyer Only
	24th-26th	Low Country	Beaufort Y&SC	Beaufort River	Beaufort	SC	USA	Open and/or Invitational

Jul	2nd-3rd	4th of July	Lake Norman YC	Lake Norman	Mooreville	NC	USA	Open and/or Invitational
	9th-10th	Hobcaw	Hobcaw YC	Wando River	Mt Pleasant	SC	USA	Open and/or Invitational
	12th-15th	Y-Flyer Internationals	Saratoga Lake SC	Saratoga Lake	Ballston Spa, NY	NY	USA	Y-Flyers Only
	16th-17th	Charleston Open	Charleston YC	Charleston Harbor	Charleston	SC	USA	Open and/or Invitational
	30th-31st	Westen Y Weekend	Itaska YC	Pigeon Lake	Itaska Beach	Alb	Canada	Y-Flyers Only
	30th-31st	Carolina (SC) Open	Carolina Yacht Club	Charleston Harbor	Charleston	SC	USA	Open and/or Invitational
Aug	6th-7th	Rockville	Sea Island YC	Bohicket Creek	Rockville	SC	USA	Open and/or Invitational
	6th-7th	Carolina YC (NC)	SAYRA Open	Banks Channel	Wrightsville Beach	NC	USA	Open and/or Invitational
	27th-28th	Indy Outty	Indianapolis SC	Geist Reservoir	Indianapolis	IN	USA	Y-Flyers Only
Sep	3rd-4th	Bluegrass/Bourbon/Boa	Louisville SC	Ohio River	near Louisville	KY	USA	Open and/or Invitational
	3rd-4th	Fall Dinghyfest	Rush Creek YC	Ray Hubbard	Rockwall	TX	USA	Open and/or Invitational
	17th-18th	Whale/Beer&Boats	Carlyle SA	Carlyle	Carlyle	IL	USA	Open and/or Invitational
	17th-18th	Lake Lemon Regatta	Bloomington YC	Lake Lemon	near Bloomington	IN	USA	Open and/or Invitational
	24th-25th	Y-Flyer and Friends	James Island YC	Charleston Harbor	James Island	SC	USA	Y-Flyer Only
Oct	1st & 2nd	Gilbert Beers Memorial	Atlanta YC	Allatoona	Acworth	GA	USA	Y-Flyers Only
	8th & 9th	Hospice Regatta	Western Carolina	Hartwell	Anderson	SC	USA	Open and/or Invitational
	22rd-23th	McDougal	Harbor Island YC	Old Hickory	Near Nashville	TN	USA	Open and/or Invitational
Nov	4th-6th	Midlands	Columbia SC	Lake Murray	near Columbia	SC	USA	Open and/or Invitational



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Canadian News

The ice is coming off the southern Alberta lakes so I'm thinking sailing!

I've been talking to the folks at Itaska Yacht Club, and we've decided to hold another Y Flyer get together this summer. We'll call it the Western Y Weekend. It'll be at Itaska Beach, Pigeon Lake, southwest of Edmonton on July 30 & 31. We're pulling back a little to the less competitive model as we did a few years ago. Day 1 Saturday will be a show and shine and poker rally across the western part of Pigeon Lake, then a BYO BBQ Saturday evening at a member's cabin. On the Sunday morning we'll have 3 races. Feel free to add this to the 2022 schedule, with my name for contacting for more information. After I sort out a few more details I'll put together a NOR.

All the best...

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