

# Sandringham Yacht Club

## Noorden Property Wednesday Wonders

### Race 12 of the winter series, held 21 June 2023

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This race saw 29 boats starting and 27 finishing. The wind was from the north in the range 7 to 15 knots with occasional gusts edging 20 knots. The race officer chose course #13 with a distance of 9.4M.

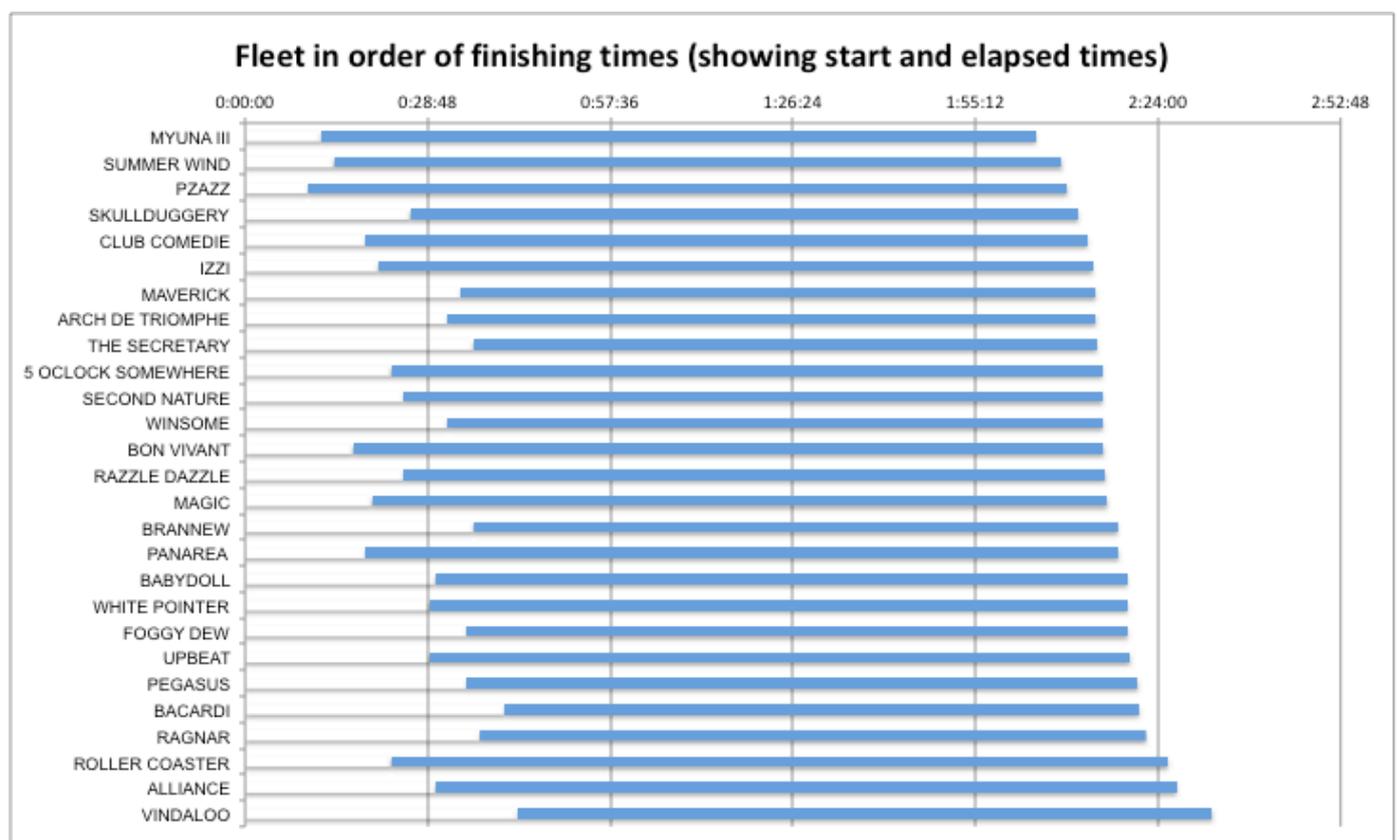
### Race management

Thanks to the race management crew: Margaret Whitbread as RO ably assisted by Di Tyndall and Helen Millican. Thanks also to the boating office for having a rescue rib on the water on stand-by.

### Pursuit race results

- 1<sup>st</sup>    **Myuna III** (Geoffrey Nixon) – started on 12 min, sailed for 1:52:43 and finished a respectable 4 min 6 sec ahead of...
- 2<sup>nd</sup>    **Summer Wind** (Martyn Sly) – started on 14 min, sailed for 1:54:49 and finished 52 sec ahead of ...
- 3<sup>rd</sup>    **Pzazz** (Michael Vandertop) – started on 10 min, sailed for 1:59:41 and finished 1 min 43 sec ahead of **Skullduggery** (Garry McCarten).

The following bar chart lists all competitors in the order of their finishing times. The blue bar represents a boat's elapsed time – each blue bar starts after the elapse of the boat's handicap and ends after it crosses the finish line.





***Myuna III*** – 1<sup>st</sup> to finish



***Summer Wind*** – 2<sup>nd</sup> to finish



**Pzazz** – 3<sup>rd</sup> to finish

### Fleet in order of finishing times

Place		H'cap	Elapsed	Finish	Score
1	MYUNA III	0:12:00	1:52:43	15:34:43	1
2	SUMMER WIND	0:14:00	1:54:49	15:38:49	2
3	PZAZZ	0:10:00	1:59:41	15:39:41	3
4	SKULLDUGGERY	0:26:00	1:45:24	15:41:24	4
5	CLUB COMEDIE	0:19:00	1:53:52	15:42:52	5
6	IZZI	0:21:00	1:52:39	15:43:39	6
7	MAVERICK	0:34:00	1:40:09	15:44:09	7
8	ARCH DE TRIOMPHE	0:32:00	1:42:12	15:44:12	8
9	THE SECRETARY	0:36:00	1:38:18	15:44:18	9
10	5 OCLOCK SOMEWHERE	0:23:00	1:52:12	15:45:12	10
11	SECOND NATURE	0:25:00	1:50:13	15:45:13	11
12	WINSOME	0:32:00	1:43:18	15:45:18	12
13	BON VIVANT	0:17:00	1:58:26	15:45:26	13
14	RAZZLE DAZZLE	0:25:00	1:50:43	15:45:43	14
15	MAGIC	0:20:00	1:56:00	15:46:00	15
16	BRANNEW	0:36:00	1:41:38	15:47:38	16
17	PANAREA	0:19:00	1:58:47	15:47:47	17
18	BABYDOLL	0:30:00	1:49:10	15:49:10	18
19	WHITE POINTER	0:29:00	1:50:11	15:49:11	19
20	FOGGY DEW	0:35:00	1:44:13	15:49:13	20
21	UPBEAT	0:29:00	1:50:37	15:49:37	21
22	PEGASUS	0:35:00	1:45:48	15:50:48	22
23	BACARDI	0:41:00	1:40:00	15:51:00	23
24	RAGNAR	0:37:00	1:45:06	15:52:06	24
25	ROLLER COASTER	0:23:00	2:02:33	15:55:33	25
26	ALLIANCE	0:30:00	1:56:53	15:56:53	26
27	VINDALOO	0:43:00	1:49:32	16:02:32	27
	SALTSHAKER		0:00:00	0:00:00	30
	SCARAMOUCHE		0:00:00	0:00:00	30

**Saltshaker** (Ken Gayler) retired.

**Scaramouche** (Nigel Cunniffe) pulled off a trifecta: she made her maiden appearance in the Wednesday Wonders fleet; failed to sign on via MemberPoint; and retired from the race. An excellent entre Nigel and certainly warrants a mention in dispatches.

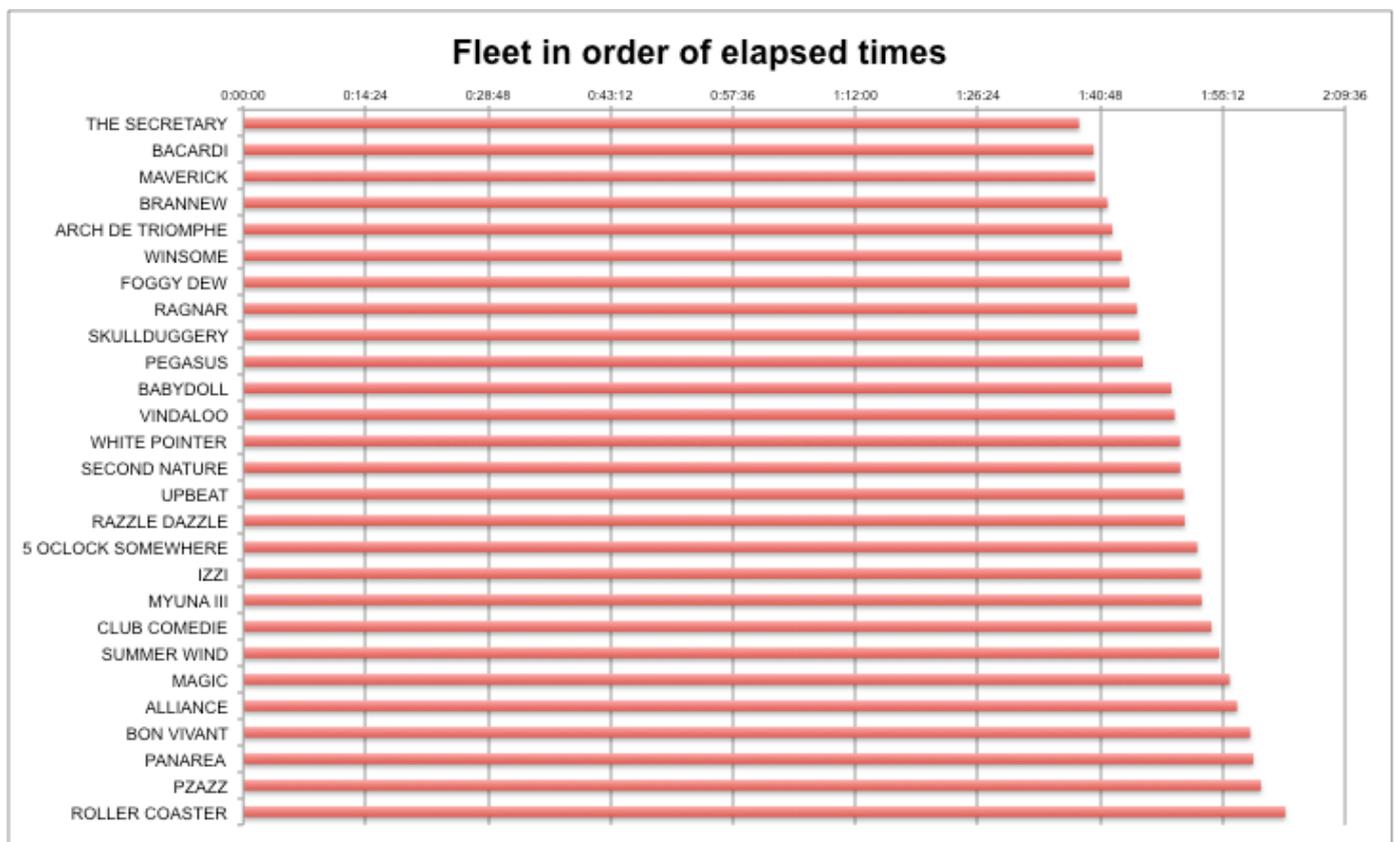
## Fastest times around the course

**The Secretary** (George Shaw) – completed the course in 1:38:18, which was 1 min 42 sec faster than

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**Bacardi** (Martin Power) – completed the course in 1:40:00, which was just 9 sec faster than ...

**Maverick** (Anthony Hammond) – completed the course in 1:40:09.





*The Secretary* – fastest on the day

## Start of the day

Start of the day went to *Arch de Triomph* (Al Murray & James Taylor) which once again crossed the line exactly on her allocated start time. Hey Al, you must have one of those clever Ronstan start watches!



*Arch de Triomph* – lining up for a perfect start

## Series aggregate

Scheduled races = 12

Abandoned = 1

Races completed = 11

Races counted = 6 best

**Club Comedie** (Darren Egar) continues to lead the aggregate competition on 12 points.

The top ten leaders in the aggregate competition are:

### Series aggregate leaders

Place	Boat Name	Series Score
1	CLUB COMEDIE	12
2	PZAZZ	24
3	FOGGY DEW	35
4	BACARDI	42
5	HAYWIRE	43
6	IZZI	43
7	SKULLDUGGERY	43
8	BON VIVANT	44
9	ALLIANCE	44.5
10	PANAREA	47



**Club Comedie** – series aggregate leader

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Good sailing  
**David Lynch**

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