



FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

For Further Information Contact:

Mr. Thomas H. Hicks
1800 SW 3 Street
Pompano Beach, FL 33069
Tel: (954) 972-5400
Fax: (954) 978-9070
Email: fsboa@att.net
Website: <http://flstandardbreds.com>

Florida Pedigrees

Pompano Beach, FL (December 16, 2011) – On December 13th a 2-year old pacing colt won an overnight event at Isle Casino Racing Pompano Park in 1:55.3f with a sharp :28.3 final quarter. The colt Last Chance T is worth a look. This gelded son of Six Of Diamonds – Arriva Lu – Safe Arrival was acquired in the 2010 FSBOA Sale for \$2,500 by the partnership of Jay Sears, Richard and Sandra Dunmire, longtime breeders and supporters of Florida standardbreds. Last Chance T was bred by another veteran FL breeder Charles Thompson. This pedigree has been in Mr. Thompson's management for years, producing fast, durable racehorses.

Last Chance T burst into prominence when winning the \$62,800 Florida Breeders Stake on November 5th pacing a lifetime best, so far, of 1:54.2f with a final panel in :28.0 for driver Brian Sears. Since that win Last Chance T has continued to perform, with a 4 1-1-1 record in overnights. His season and career earnings are \$43,580 and this colt has earned a check in every start, pacing eight miles in 1:57.0f or better and ten final panels in :29.0 of better.

The maternal family of Last Chance T shows numerous \$100k winners:

Direct Maternal Family				
Name		Earnings	Record	Yr Foaled
Strike Le Ru		425,274	1.55.4	1975
Lightning Le Ru		245,051	1.52.3s	1993
Rocket Le Ru		224,212	1.51.4	1989
Kay Wave		200,455	1.56.1	1971
Outrageously T		171,677	1.51.2	1999
Happy Jeffrey		130,798	1.56.1	1977
Mighty Mcklyo		121,866	2.01.1	1963
Allee T		114,339	1.52.2f	2005
Bret Le Ru		106,969	1.58.1f	1974

Further, the sire Six Of Diamonds has proven to be a producer of early speed. From 57 registered foals of which 43 are of racing age, 33 have raced, 20 have taken records with 10 under :1:55 (four sub-2:00 2-year olds) and six have earned over \$50,000. His oldest foals were born in 2007.

Last Chance T illustrates the opportunity to breed, raise and develop FL-sired standardbreds to participate in the lucrative FL-Sired stakes program and create future durable racehorses that can compete at any venue. Buy FL-breds!

The Florida Standardbred Breeders and Owners Association, Inc. is a non-profit organization with the objective of promoting the Standardbred horse-breeding and racing industry in Florida. The FSBOA maintains a registry of Florida-bred Standardbred horses to promote and determine their eligibility for Florida-bred races. The FSBOA website contains information about stallions standing in Florida, special standardbred events taking place throughout the year, stake race information, including payment schedules, eligibilities, purses, and results. This site also will publish advertisements relating to standardbred services and articles offered for sale.