A Rocknroll Dance and Sweet Lou Among Little Brown Jug Contenders To Win Stakes Races This Past Weekend

DELAWARE, OH—A big weekend for Little Brown Jug contenders!!!

A Rocknroll Dance, I Fought Dalaw and Time To Roll captured divisions of the New Jersey Sires Stakes at The Meadowlands.....Sweet Lou and Dapper Dude won divisions of the Pennsylvania Sires Stakes at Mohegan Sun at Pocono Downs.....and Secretsoftheknight, Michael's Power and Mel Mara won eliminations for the \$600,000 Upper Canada Final at Georgian Downs in Ontario.

The 67<sup>th</sup> Little Brown Jug will be raced September 20<sup>th</sup> at the Delaware, OH County Fair.

A Rocknroll Dance, trained by native Ohioan Jim Mullinix, won his NJSS division in 1:50.1 for Yannick Gingras in his sophomore debut. Mullinix has decided to skip next week's NJSS division and return for the \$150,000 Final on June 2. Mullinix also decided to skip the \$300,000 Somebeachsomewhere stakes at Mohawk, also scheduled for June 2.

I Fought Dalaw won his NJSS division in 1:50.2 over Jug eligibles Mortal Zin and Simply Business and Time To Roll, another Jug contender, took his NJSS division in 1:50.4 with Jug eligible Hurrikane King Cole third.

Dan Patch two-year-old champion Sweet Lou captured his 2012 debut in 1:49.3 for trainer Ron Burke and driver Dave Palone. The victory is Sweet Lou's 11<sup>th</sup> in 13 career starts and increased his bankroll to \$739,703. Sweet Lou is expected to start next in the \$200,000 PASS on June 1 at The Meadows followed by the \$50,000 North America Cup eliminations on June 9 at Mohawk Raceway.

Dapper Dude won his PASS division in 1:49.4 for driver John Campbell and trainer Robert McIntosh. He is also expected to race in the PASS Final.

Secretsoftheknight won his Upper Canada Cup elimination in 1:51.1 for Gregg and Doug McNair; Michael's Power took his elim in 1:50.4 for driver Scot Zeron and trainer Cassie Coleman; and Mel Mara earned his way into the May 26 Final with a 1:49.1 win for driver Luc Ouellette and trainer Tony Alagna.

For all information on the Little Brown Jug and the Delaware Grand Circuit go to the Little Brown Jug website: www.littlebrownjug.com.