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### **Juncos Racing Announces Partnership with OMP Racing**



Leeds, Ala. (April 7, 2011) – Juncos Racing has announced a partnership with OMP Racing for the 2011 season. OMP Racing is one of the world's leading manufacturers of racing equipment and tuning accessories, and thanks to the new partnership, Juncos Racing will now have the privilege of using OMP Racing products throughout the 2011 Star Mazda Championship presented by Goodyear season.

**Ricardo Juncos, Team Owner of Juncos Racing:** "It's a pleasure for us to partner with such a good and recognized name as OMP Racing. We are even more proud because OMP Racing will officially be the first technical partner that Juncos Racing has ever had. I want to thank Mr. Gabriele Pedone for this opportunity. With the economic difficulties the world is facing today, this partnership is even more valuable to us. I'm absolutely sure that this will be very successful for everybody. We look forward to placing the OMP Racing name on the highest step of the podium."

**Gabriele Pedone, President of OMP Racing Inc.:** "The strength of OMP Racing is the relentless alliance with the pros; that alliance pushes our company to a continuous investment in new technical solutions, innovative materials, and treatments that allow the products to be on the cutting edge, the same way drivers are every weekend. For these reasons, we are extremely proud to enter into a partnership with Juncos Racing. Our alliance will be a two-way street in which we can improve our products and they can win even more races."

OMP Racing has been in the racing business since 1973 and over the years has collaborated with racing legends such as Michael Schumacher, Ayrton Senna, Mario Andretti, Nigel Mansell, Paul Tracy, Mika Hakkinen, Keke Rosberg, Eddie Cheever, Roberto Moreno, and Alex Tagliani.

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The company has provided its top-quality gear to teams and drivers in Formula 1, Champ Car, the IZOD IndyCar Series, GRAND-AM, ALMS, WRC, and WTCC, and it is now the pleasure of Juncos Racing to join those esteemed lists as an OMP Racing representative.

The Juncos Racing team hits Barber Motorsports Park in Leeds, Alabama this weekend for Round Two of the 2011 Star Mazda Championship. Today's schedule consists of two practice sessions followed by qualifying at 12:30 p.m. CST. The race will be on Sunday, April 10 at 10:30 a.m. CST. For more information, please go to [www.juncosracing.com](http://www.juncosracing.com) and [www.ompamerica.com](http://www.ompamerica.com).

**About OMP Racing:** The racing spirit of OMP was born in 1973 when the Percivale brothers developed a racing equipment line made to meet the rigorous demands of the track and protect drivers. Initial OMP products included roll cages and other necessary automobile racing accessories focusing on safety, quality in design, and comfort. OMP flourished under Percivale ownership up to 2008 when the company sold to the Delprato family. Now in its 38<sup>th</sup> year, OMP looks to rise to the forefront of the racing accessories industry, and has added several new and different pieces to its widely popular racing line, including a new segment of lifestyle racing wear for impassioned enthusiasts looking for the very best gear on and off the track. OMP is proud to be one of the world's leading manufacturers of racing safety equipment and tuning accessories. With an extensive catalog featuring over 3,000 different items, OMP can completely outfit both race car drivers and their autos with top of the line safety gear and clothing. Each OMP product is produced at the company's advanced 80,000 sq. ft. factory, where every item is tested for supreme quality and durability.

**About Juncos Racing:** Juncos Racing is centrally located in Vero Beach, Florida, U.S.A. to offer diverse levels of racing year round. Juncos Racing operates out of a state of the art facility which houses vehicles suitable for all levels of racing, from go-karts to open wheel Formula race cars. It is one of the few teams in the United States which offers a development program starting from racing go-karts to racing professional open wheel race cars. The team's goal is to provide young and older drivers alike with a foundation upon which they can build a career in motorsports. Juncos Racing offers two and three-day racing schools which cover theoretical and hands-on driving techniques. With your dedication and the team's expertise and advanced training techniques, Juncos Racing is confident that you will achieve and master the fundamentals of racing. For more information, please visit [www.juncosracing.com](http://www.juncosracing.com).

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