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Snap-on Sponsored Drivers Finish 1-2 at IRL Indy Grand Prix of Sonoma

All Three Penske Racing Drivers in Contention for Season Championship

KENOSHA, Wis. – August 28, 2012 – Snap-on sponsored Penske Racing® drivers Ryan Briscoe and Will Power finished first and second, respectively, at the IRL® GoPro Indy Grand Prix of Sonoma, giving the Penske team its sixth *IRL* victory of the season. Power increased his season points lead while fellow Penske teammate Helio Castroneves is third with two races remaining. The current top eight in the point standings, including Briscoe, are all still mathematically eligible for the season title.

“With the IRL season winding down this was an extremely important race for the Penske Racing team and Ryan Briscoe and Will Power came through with flying colors,” said Yvette Morrison, vice president of marketing, Snap-on Tools Group. “Not only did Ryan capture his first win of the season but with his second-place showing, Will increased his championship points lead. With only two races remaining, all three Penske drivers have a chance for the championship so it should be a thrilling climax to an already exciting season.”

At the Sonoma race, Power also clinched the Mario Andretti Road Course Trophy for the third consecutive year. Castroneves ended up sixth at Sonoma. The Penske team will be racing again this weekend in the Grand Prix of Baltimore on Sept. 2. The *IRL* season concludes on Sept. 15 with the MAVTV 500 in Fontana, Calif.

Cruz Pedregon and the Snap-on Funny Car team are back in action this weekend at the NHRA® U.S. Nationals in Indianapolis. Currently seventh in the season point standings, Pedregon is looking to secure his spot in the “Countdown to the Championship” which starts Sept. 14 in Charlotte.

The Snap-on sponsored NASCAR® Penske drivers will also be racing in Atlanta this weekend with the Nationwide race scheduled for Sept. 1 and the Sprint Cup on Sept. 2 at the Atlanta Motor Speedway®.

For more information about the Snap-on racing program, visit www.snapon.com/racing.

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