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JDC MOTORSPORTS READY FOR USF2000 OVAL CHALLENGE IN IOWA

Goikhberg and Abbate set to continue strong opening season runs in Round Four

NEWTON, IOWA (June 17, 2010) – JDC MotorSports continues its pursuit of top honors in the *Cooper Tires presents the USF2000 National Championship powered by Mazda* on Saturday (June 19), when the revitalized development series takes to the Iowa Speedway for Round Four on the championship calendar. Class rookies Mikhail Goikhberg and Raphael Abbate will once again drive for the Minnesota-based team, having finished on the podium and among the top-10 in their oval debuts just over two weeks ago.

While JDC MotorSports has primarily made its mark in the junior formula car ranks via wins on road courses and street circuits, the Minnesota-based outfit is no stranger to success on ovals. Thanks in large part to a strong and talented group of personnel, the JDC duo of Goikhberg and Abbate will have all the tools necessary to add to team's impressive junior formula car resume when the USF2000 cars and drivers take to the 7/8-mile oval outside of Newton, Iowa.

Goikhberg makes his first trip to the Iowa Speedway confident he can continue his recent run of form behind the wheel. Driving the No. 10 Chetverg/Red Line Oil/JDC MotorSports entry, the Russian - who now resides in Canada - has rapidly established himself as a title contender and driver worth watching. Goikhberg recently finished third and set a lap record in his oval debut during Round Three at ORP, and won both races of the non-points doubleheader at Mazda Raceway Laguna Seca. Given these performances, combined with the fact he is continually gelling with the JDC crew and getting better each time he rolls on-course, many are expecting Goikhberg to be in contention for the win in Round Four.

Abbate enters the fifth event of the season poised to build on a successful start to his inaugural North American race campaign. The Brazilian, despite having never seen any of the series tracks or previously driven a Formula Ford 2000 race car, has never finished outside of the top-10 in his No. 11 Avery Dennison/Alphacolor/Red Line Oil/JDC MotorSports entry. With his first-ever oval race – finishing eighth – now in the record books, Abbate is set to continue his charge towards the front in Iowa.

The JDC MotorSports duo of Goikhberg and Abbate will get their first chance to sample the Iowa Speedway oval on Friday (June 18) via two hour-long test sessions and a half-hour practice run. Single-car qualifying takes place on Sunday morning (June 19), and will set the field for Round Four of the *Cooper Tires presents the USF2000 National Championship powered by Mazda*, which is scheduled to get underway at 3:35 p.m. local time.

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About JDC MotorSports:

Involved in formula car racing since its inception in 1994, JDC MotorSports has established itself as one of the leading junior open-wheel teams in North America. Initially making its mark in the F2000 class of club racing competition, JDC MotorSports was soon a team worth watching in the pro ranks. Competing in the Formula Ford 2000 Zetec Championship, the team not only won races, but also helped develop multiple young drivers. In 2005, JDC MotorSports expanded its efforts, entering the Star Mazda Championship. Quickly becoming one of the top teams in the series, JDC captured both the driver and team titles in 2007, as well as Rookie of the Year honors, with Dane Cameron scoring a series-high three wins. In 2008, JDC MotorSports was the runner-up in the Star Mazda Championship and finished fourth in its inaugural season F2000 Championship Series competition. The Minnesota-based team won the Star Mazda Championship title with Rookie of the Year Adam Christodoulou, and the F2000 Championship Series title with Chris Miller in 2009.

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