Driver	Team	Car #	Frequency	Points	Twitter
RYAN **BRISCOE**	Team Penske	2	464.9250	POINTS: 83 (7th)	@ryan_briscoe
HELIO **CASTRONEVES** W	Team Penske	3	464.5750	POINTS: 135 (2nd)	@h3lio
JR **HILDEBRAND**	Panther Racing	4	468.5375	POINTS: 83 (7th)	@jrhildebrand
E.J. **VISO**	KV Racing Technology	5	468.4625	POINTS: 76 (12th)	@ejviso
KATHERINE **LEGGE** R	Dragon Racing	6	469.7250	POINTS: 46 (25th)	@katherinelegge
SEBASTIEN **BOURDAIS**	Dragon Racing	7	463.9250	POINTS: 59 (20th)	@dragonracing
RUBENS **BARRICHELLO** R	KV Racing Technology	8	463.3000	POINTS: 79 (11th)	@rubarrichello
SCOTT **DIXON** W	Target Chip Ganassi Racing	9	461.6125	POINTS: 109 (6th)	@scottdixon9
TONY **KANAAN**	KV Racing Technology w/ SH	11	464.2500	POINTS: 71 (14th)	@tonykanaan
WILL **POWER** S	Team Penske	12	464.7000	POINTS: 180 (1st)	@12willpower
MIKE **CONWAY**	A.J. Foyt Enterprises	14	461.4625	POINTS: 62 (18th)	@mikeconwayindy
TAKUMA **SATO**	Rahal Letterman Lanigan	15	466.9125	POINTS: 83 (7th)	@takumasatoracer
SEBASTIAN **SAAVEDRA**	AFS Racing/Andretti Autosport	17	467.4000	POINTS: --	@sebsaavedra
JUSTIN **WILSON**	Dale Coyne Racing	18	462.9625	POINTS: 64 (16th)	@justin_wilson
JAMES **JAKES** R	Dale Coyne Racing	19	463.6000	POINTS: 58 (21st)	@jamesjakes
ED **CARPENTER**	Ed Carpenter Racing	20	469.1125	POINTS: 52 (23rd)	@edcarpenter20
ORIOL **SERVIA**	Panther/Dreyer & Reinbold Racing	22	463.2875	POINTS: 64 (16th)	@oriolservia
ANA **BEATRIZ**	Andretti Autosport/Conquest Racing	25	463.3875	POINTS: 12 (27th)	@biaracing
MARCO **ANDRETTI**	Andretti Autosport	26	468.4875	POINTS: 61 (19th)	@marcoandretti
JAMES **HINCHCLIFFE**	Andretti Autosport	27	469.1375	POINTS: 123 (3rd)	@hinchtown
RYAN **HUNTER-REAY**	Andretti Autosport	28	469.3000	POINTS: 121 (4th)	@ryanhunterreay
MICHEL **JOURDAIN**	Rahal Letterman Lanigan	30	468.2625	POINTS: --	@micheljourdain
GRAHAM **RAHAL**	Service Central Chip Ganassi Racing	38	465.4250	POINTS: 76 (12th)	@grahamrahal
BRYAN **CLAUSON** R	Sarah Fisher Hartman Racing	39	465.0750	POINTS: --	@bryanclauson
WADE **CUNNINGHAM** R	A.J. Foyt Racing	41	461.8375	POINTS: --	@wadecunningham
DARIO **FRANCHITTI** W	Target Chip Ganassi Racing	50	467.0375	POINTS: 82 (10th)	@dariofranchitti
JEAN **ALESI** R	Lotus-FP Journe-Fan Force United	64	462.2375	POINTS: --	@alesi_officiel
JOSEF **NEWGARDEN** R	Sarah Fisher Hartman Racing	67	463.4625	POINTS: 54 (22nd)	@josefnewgarden
SIMON **PAGENAUD** R	Schmidt-Hamilton Motorsports	77	469.4375	POINTS: 118 (5th)	@simonpagenaud
SIMONA **DE SILVESTRO**	Lotus-HVM Racing	78	452.7500	POINTS: 48 (24th)	@simdesilvestro
CHARLIE **KIMBALL**	Novo Nordisk Chip Ganassi Racing	83	467.3375	POINTS: 68 (15th)	@racewithinsulin
ALEX **TAGLIANI**	Bryan Herta Autosport w/ Curb-Agajanian	98	458.8750	POINTS: 37 (26th)	@tagliani
TOWNSEND **BELL**	Sam Schmidt Motorsports	99	462.7875	POINTS: --	@townsendbell99

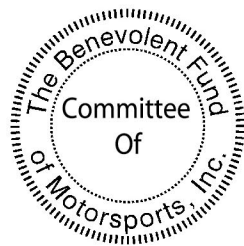**TRACK LENGTH: 2.5-MILE OVAL**
QUALIFYING FORMAT: 4 LAPS

R: SUNOCO ROOKIE OF THE YEAR CANDIDATE
S: ROAD COURSE CHAMPIONSHIP LEADER / W: OVAL CHAMPION LEADER
SCANNER FREQUENCIES PROVIDED BY: / ALL CARS: Firestone

2012 IZOD INDYCAR SERIES POINT STANDINGS
(Top 5 after 4 of 16 events)

1. WILL **POWER** Team Penske	180
2. HELIO **CASTRONEVES** Team Penske	135
3. JAMES **HINCHCLIFFE** Andretti Autosport	123
4. RYAN **HUNTER-REAY** Andretti Autosport	121
5. SIMON **PAGENAUD** Schmidt-Hamilton Motorsports	118

WHAT TO WATCH FOR THIS WEEKEND:

WIN THE POLE, WIN THE RACE: The winner of the pole position for the Indianapolis 500 has also won the race 20 times. Forty-three times, the winner has come from the front row, including in 2010 with Dario Franchitti (right). Who can establish themselves as the race contenders by winning the pole position this year?

FAST NINE SHOOTOUT: An exciting qualifying format for the Indianapolis 500, featuring a 90-minute "shootout" in which the nine fastest cars make a dramatic, late-day run for the pole, returns for the 2012 Indianapolis 500. The top 24 spots in the 33-car field will be available through traditional four-lap attempts from 11 a.m.-4 p.m. (ET) on Pole Day. Each car will have up to three attempts during that time. The times of the top nine drivers from the first segment of qualifying will be erased at 4 p.m., with all of those competitors guaranteed to start no worse than ninth in "The Greatest Spectacle in Racing" on Sunday, May 27. "The Fast Nine" then will be required to make at least one four-lap qualifying attempt between 4:30-6 p.m., with one additional, optional attempt if time permits. Each driver's best run during the 90-minute session will set their position within the top nine spots on the starting grid.

HELIO GOES FOR FOUR: Three-time Indianapolis 500 winner Helio Castroneves can join elite company should he win the 96th Running of the Indianapolis 500 Mile Race. Castroneves, who won in 2001, 2002 and 2009, would join A.J. Foyt, Al Unser and Rick Mears as the race's only four-time winners and he would accomplish the feat faster than any of those racing legends.

FRANCHITTI COULD MAKE HISTORY: Dario Franchitti appreciates the history of the sport, but he could make history with another Indianapolis 500 victory in 2012. The Scotsman, who is seeking to win his fourth straight IZOD IndyCar Series championship, could become the 10th driver to win the Indy 500 three times or more should he come away with his third "500" win in the last six years.