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Indy Car Race Donates \$ 5000.00 Toward Scholarships

For weeks, ASPIRA staff and students from the Dade Division hung banners, posters and distributed other promotional materials in partnership with the March Indy Car Race Event.

These efforts resulted in the Indy Car organization donating a \$5000 check during a presentation on March 24, 2007 at the Homestead Miami Speedway, **XM Satellite Radio Indy 300.**

Receiving the check on behalf of ASPIRA of Florida were Mr. Felix L. Cruz, VP of YLD/Outreach, Program Development & Contracts Compliance and Ms Lesnay Vazquez, ASPIRA Dade Division Program Manager, the person who made this donation possible.



In charge of the check presentation was Tony Kanaan, a Brazilian driver belonging to the Andretti Green Racing team who started his career at 8 yrs old and has built a solid reputation on the race car circuit after he earned six championships in the Brazilian Karting circuit.

Welcoming Mr. Cruz and Ms. Vazquez at the race track was Mr. Jeff Duncan who is the Senior Manager Consumer Marketing for the Indy Car Series & Indy Pro Series.



At around 8:30 pm they stepped in front of Mr. Kanaan's vehicle at the Seven Eleven pit stop area for the official check presentation while photographers popped their flashes and TV networks ran their video cameras.

We would like to thank the Indy Car Race organization and especially Mr. Jeff Duncan for all his kindness and his contributions in making this possible.

ASPIRA truly hopes to continue this great partnership for years to come.

