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THE OFFICIAL SCHEDULE OF THE 2005 GRAND PRIX OF CANADA

Thursday, June 9

9:00 a.m. Bridgestone "Open Doors" Day (until 1:00 p.m.)

Friday, June 10

7:00 a.m. Venue opens to the public
7:50 a.m. Star Mazda Series - free practice session (40 minutes)
8:45 a.m. Ferrari Challenge - free practice session (45 minutes)
9:45 a.m. Honda-Michelin Series - free practice session (30 minutes)
11 a.m. Formula 1 - first free practice session (60 minutes)
12:15 p.m. Formula BMW - first free practice session (30 minutes)
12:45 p.m. Formula BMW - qualifying session (30 minutes)
2:00 p.m. Formula 1 - second free practice session (60 minutes)
3:15 p.m. Star Mazda Series - qualifying session (40 minutes)
4:10 p.m. Honda-Michelin Series - qualifying session (30 minutes)
4:40 p.m. End of activities for the day

Saturday, June 11

8:00 a.m. Venue opens to the public
9:00 a.m. Formula 1 - third free practice session (45 minutes)
10:15 a.m. Formula 1 - fourth free practice session (45 minutes)
11:30 a.m. Formula BMW – 1st race (30 minutes)
1:00 p.m. Formula 1 - qualifying session (60 minutes)
2:30 p.m. Honda-Michelin Series - race (30 minutes)
3:45 p.m. Star Mazda Series - race (45 minutes)
5:00 p.m. Ferrari Challenge – qualifying session (45 minutes)
5:45 p.m. End of activities for the day

Sunday, June 12

8:00 a.m. Venue opens to the public
9:15 a.m. Formula BMW – 2nd race (30 minutes)
10:30 a.m. Ferrari Challenge - race (30 minutes)
11:30 a.m. Formula 1 - drivers' parade
12:00 noon Nations' Presentation
12:30 p.m. Formula 1 - formation of the grid
1:00 p.m. Formula 1 - 2005 Grand Prix of Canada (71 laps, including the formation lap)
3:30 p.m.** *Simple Plan* concert in the Hairpin

* The schedule may be modified without notice.

**The show may commence later.

A limited number of excellent tickets are still available for the 2005 Grand Prix of Canada, June 10, 11 and 12. Customers can purchase them by visiting www.grandprix.ca or dialing (514) 350 0000, Monday to Friday, from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

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