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## **IAME adds TS Racing to U.S. X30 line distributor network**

Zingonia, Italy – October 25, 2011 – TS Racing to introduce the X30 Challenge.

IAME S.p.A. announces today that TS Racing has been added as distributor for the X30 line in the United States. TS Racing will be promoting the X30 Challenge series beginning in 2012. The X30 Challenge in the United States will initially be run with the World Karting Association Gold Cup series.

Established in 1968 by its iconic leader, Bruno Grana, IAME was founded with the merger of the Parilla and Komet brands. Renowned as the worldwide leader in karting engines with 45 world titles, IAME continues today to be the technology leader in the industry. IAME has produced many winning engines for the US market including Komet KPV and Parilla Leopard and now launches a new challenge with the X30.

TS Racing's founder, Tod Spaude has a long term relationship with IAME and their engines. Tod travelled to Italy during the 80's and worked with IAME on the engine program for Scott Pruett's run at the Karting World Championship with Lynn Haddock. The Florida based company has grown from those early years to become one of the largest kart shops in the United States. "We are extremely pleased to be working with IAME on the X30 Challenge in the United States" commented Tod Spaude. "The X30 is a cost effective and thrilling engine that allows drivers to participate in a European series as well as in the IAME International Final."

The X30 Challenge is a series of national races developed in more than 15 countries and that culminates with the IAME International Final, usually hosted in France. This racing event is considered the world final for all IAME drivers around the World and it is run on the X30 engines, bringing the best drivers from the 5 continents. In addition to the WKA Gold Cup Series, the X30 has been added to the TaG class as an approved engine for the 2012 season starting in December at the Manufacturers Cup event at Daytona International Speedway.

### **About TS Racing**

TS Racing is located in Bushnell, FL. In addition to the thousands of kart parts in stock they are proud to be the distributor of the IAME X30 and X30 Shifter engines. For more information or dealer inquiries please contact them at 352-793-9600 or through their web site at [www.TSRacing.com](http://www.TSRacing.com)

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