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NBA star thrills kids at clinic

The National Basketball Association (NBA) and Parikrma Humanity Foundation, a not-for-profit organization, on Friday organized a basketball clinic for the students of the Parikrma Center for Learning, Bangalore. The focus of the clinic was to promote healthy and active lifestyle while learning basic skills of basketball.

Students aged between 12 and 16 were amazed by the skills and techniques shown at the clinic by former NBA player Marty Conlon.

The Clinic allowed students to learn Basketball and to apply their skills in a fun environment, with their age group ranging from 12 to 16 years. Marty Conlon played in the NBA from 1992 to 2000.

After the NBA career, he continued to play basketball professionally in Europe, where he played in Italy, Greece, Spain and Ireland where he was the captain of the Irish National Team. He currently works for NBA International, coaching the participants of the Mahindra NBA Challenge in India.

Shukla Bose, Founder-CEO of Parikrma has this to say: "Sports is integral to Parikrma. With Marty Conlon Coming to Parikrma and getting our children so excited, we are sure that basketball will take root at Parikrma. It would be especially hearting if our girl did well."