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Moravian Institute conducts first ModBox performance

DEHRADUN,
FEB 19 (HTNS)

Twenty-one senior girls of Moravian Institute delivered the first public performance of ModBox yesterday. Moravian Institute coaches Raju Thapa and Namsinrai Kamei guided the girls.

The audience was impressed by the girls' confidence, fitness, creativity in performance, display of skills, and respectfulness to each other during the ModBox performance. The girls also displayed teamwork and cooperation, a great contrast to conventional boxing, which is competitive and individualistic.

ModBox is supported by the Australian Government's aid program through the Department of Foreign Affairs & Trade (DFAT) within its Asia Sports Partnerships (ASP) initiative in collaboration with SEDA-India (Sports Education Development Australia) based on research conducted by the University of Canberra.

Paul Perkins, former Boxing Australia National Coach, had trained the coaches intensively. He introduced each aspect of the public performance- Warming Up, Skills Demonstration, and One-on-One Performance.

Perkins also explained the purpose of the special gloves and protective vests that had been specially developed for ModBox. He demonstrated a very interesting aspect of ModBox as each ModBoxer evaluated the performance of her "opponent", actually a peer, to provide feedback for improvement.

Agarwal, CEO of Tanjun Associate LLP, congratulated Moravian Institute for delivering a spectacular public performance of ModBox.

Tanjun is an organization dedicated to skill development since 2008. The India initiative of ModBox is called 'Kangaroo BoxInd'.

On the occasion, Col HRS Rana, Commanding Officer of Eco Task Force, encour-



aged the girls to take the programme forward. On Republic Day (which also happens to be Australia Day), Moravian Institute girls had planted saplings under Eco Task Force. Uttarakhand state boxers, now trained as community coaches under 'Kangaroo BoxInd' witnessed the performance. Others present were Kapoor of Hotel White House; Reena Jaggi, Principal Greenfield School, and guests from Germany and North America.

In his vote of thanks, Moravian Institute Director, Kundan, thanked Paul Perkins for not only training the coaches but also connecting Moravian Institute to Prof Allen Hahn, Perkins' PhD supervisor at the University of Canberra. Prof Hahn has Moravian ancestors, and unknown to him, his relatives in Germany have been supporting Moravian Institute for decades. Prof Hahn is one of the world's leading sports scientists. He was instrumental in Australia's women's coxless pairs winning the gold medal at the 1996 Olympics. Paul Perkins hoped that Prof Hahn would be able to accompany him when Perkins returns to Dehradun later in this year.

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