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Press Release

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***AREA YOUTH TO PARTICIPATE IN THE INAUGURAL
IHOOPS SKILLS CHALLENGE***

. Local youngsters ages 9 to 14 have the opportunity to participate in the Inaugural iHoops Skills Challenge. This national basketball skills competition provides boys and girls a free opportunity to showcase their basketball abilities in a time-based, half-court obstacle course. The iHoops Skills Challenge focuses on basketball skill development while encouraging participation in the game.

Norman Parks and Recreation's Junior Jammer Youth Basketball program will host a free iHoops Skills Challenge Local Competition for area youth.

Date: Tuesday, January 26th

Time: 6:30 pm

Location: Whittier Recreation Center, 2000 W. Brooks

Participants may register the day of the event and must bring a copy of their birth certificate and complete a registration/waiver form prior to the start of the competition. A copy of the registration/waiver form is available online at www.iHoops.com/skillschallenge.

1st Place Champions from this Local Competition will have the opportunity to advance to one (1) of twenty-nine (29) Regional Competitions occurring in NBA team markets across the country in hopes of advancing to the National Finals in Orlando, Florida.

For questions concerning this competition, please contact your Local Competition Administrator, Jason Olsen at (405) 292-9703 or jason.olsen@normanok.gov.

For additional information on the iHoops Skills Challenge, please visit www.iHoops.com/skillschallenge.