## Linsanity 林来疯篮球热 — 2012年6月5日

Hello listener friends, we are so glad you've joined us here today. I am Mark. And I am Guo Wen-Jie.

## The Way We Talk 日常口语怎么说

Mark, do you play basketball?

No really. But it's a popular game worldwide.

篮球风行世界。

Well then, you must have heard of the basketball star: Jeremy Lin. Of course.

马可对篮球运动员林书豪可不陌生。

His photos and news were everywhere. He's a rock star in the sports world.

A rock star!

林书豪震惊了美国的运动界,报章杂志争相报导他。

In only one month's time, Lin started out as a nobody and went to be a Basketball superstar.

在短短一个月内,林书豪从选秀落榜的无名小卒一下晋升成为超级篮球巨星。

And people have gone "Linsane". A new word was created just for him: Linsanity.

大家都为他疯狂,也产生了"林来疯"这个新字。

Linsanity is L + insanity.

Lin 林姓混合了发疯 insanity 的字,形成 Linsanity。

People are crazy about Lin.

Yeah. It's the Lin fever. The media in America came up with so many puns from his last name Lin.

美国媒体发明了一连串以林为字首的造字,非常有趣。

For example,

Lincredible, L+ incredible 林神奇 Linpossible , Lin + possible 林可能 Lincident, L + incident 林事件

Even, Lnderella

What is this?

Remember Cinderella? Jeremy's story is just like that.

也把林书豪的遭遇和童话故事灰姑娘联想,成了林灰姑娘。

And if you are a game person, there's this game Super Nintendo. Some people change it to: Super-Lin-tendo

爱玩游戏机的,知道超级任天堂。有人把它变双关字,林天堂。

That's outrageous.

On Feb 24th, the word Linsanity is no longer a special term, but a formal English word.

今年二月24日 Linsanity 不再是专有名词,而成为正式英文字。

It symbolizes a person who became a new trend in a short time.

这字象徵一个短期内迅速成为流行潮流的人。 Linsanity.

Well, today we are talking about Basketball Fever.

今天节目谈到篮球热。

Among us, there is a big basketball fan.

Is it Brian? Or, Todd?

It's Josh As a matter of fact, he is crazy about basketball.

同事德嘉许很疯篮球。

You know, In United States, the NBA Championships happens every June.

NBA is National Basketball Association.

美国国家篮球协会的锦标赛每年六月举行。

It's a big deal, and not only in the States. The whole world watches the games on TV or on the internet.

不单在美国,全世界都会通过媒体关注这个锦标赛。

Coming up next, Wen-Jie you will be talking to Josh about his love for Basketball.

Yep. 接下来我要访问德嘉许。

## A Day In The Life Of 美人生活大小事

Interview: "Basketball Fever" - Josh

- I: What do you think about Yao Ming, and Jeremy Lin? 你对姚明,对林书豪的看法?
- J: \* love Lin's story, a humble guy, worked very hard, was nobody sleeping in teammate's couch, and next day led the team to win 10 games straight.
  - \* Yao Ming 7'5", can dunk the basket without jumping.
- I: How tall are you? (6'1) Is Basketball a big part in your life? 你是怎样热爱篮球?
- J: \* play twice a week with friends, grow more and more interest in the game.
  - \* I often see basketball hoops in street corners, parks, even in the home driveways. There are always young kids playing basketball.

常看到街角,公园,家门口有篮板篮圈,总是有许多青少年打球。

- \* It's more popular in the 90s than now.
- \* Growing up, often played outdoor basketball games with brother even in cold winter.
- I: What is NBA? Which team do you favor and who are your favorite players?

美国职篮,你最爱的队伍和球员:

- J: \* Favorite team 最爱球队: Chicago Bull 芝加哥公牛队
  - \* 最爱球员之一:

Michael Jordan 迈可乔丹

\* 现今最爱的球员:

Joakim Noah 乔金·诺阿(公牛队) Kevin Durant 凯文·杜兰特(雷霆队)

Reviii Durant 別义・杜三付(苗廷队)

I: How would you describe the professional game? 你会怎么形容职业篮球赛呢?

J: \* Competitive 竞争性强

- \* Physical 肢体接触频繁
- \* Rivalry 场上对手敌人
- \* Tempers flaring 火燥脾气突然被激怒
- \* Strategy & coaching 策略, 教练指导

The Beginnings of Basketball.

篮球比赛的开创。

Mr. Naismith is the father of basketball.

有一位奈史密斯先生,被称为是篮球之父。

He was a Christian and was serving God among the youth.

他是一位基督徒,乐意侍奉神,工作服务的对象是年青人。

He saw that young people didn't have much to do in the long winter season.

他看到年青人一到漫长的冬季就不知要从事什么活动。

So, he came up with the idea of a new indoor sports game.

于是,想到一个室内运动的新点子。

They took two big fruit baskets and used them to play the game.

他们用两个大的水果篮子作球篮,来作球类比赛。

In 1891, the first basketball game was held.

第一场篮球赛,在1891年开打。

Basketball caught on so quickly, by 1936 it was official in the Olympics.

很快的,到了1936年,篮球正式成为奥运会的比赛项目。

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All right. Our time is up once again for today. We hope you liked today's program. Our feature word was: Linsanity.

今天的关键字是: Linsanity 林来疯。

Are you a basketball fan?

你疯篮球吗?

What do you think about this sport?

对篮球赛有何感想?

We would love to hear from you. Write to us, either to me Mark or Wen-Jie.

欢迎你来信和马可,和文洁我有交流。

Until next time, this is Mark.

Ad I am Guo Wen-Jle.

So long and God Bless You.