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### **Barstow Community College Graduate Richard Collins Signs National Letter of Intent**



*Barstow, Calif.* – (April 24, 2007) Barstow Community College graduate Richard Collins has signed a National Letter of Intent to attend and play basketball at a four-year college.

Richard Collins, point guard, has signed a National Letter of Intent with Cal Poly Pomona in Southern California. Collins is a graduate of Granite Hills High School in Apple Valley, Calif. He averaged 14 points a game for the Vikings with 3 rebounds and 6 assists per game. Collins is set to attend Cal Poly Pomona this fall. Cal Poly Pomona coach Greg Kamansky chose Collins based on his performance and effectiveness. “He has very good court sense, he’s a good shooter and he has good size for the guard position,” Kamansky said. “I expect him to make an immediate impact.”

Collin’s coach, David Grossman, is pleased to see yet another Viking successfully transition to a four-year college. “Richard epitomizes what we look for in a student-athlete at Barstow Community College. Richard used the opportunity to attend Barstow Community College to put him in the position that he is in today,” he said. Collins earned first-team All-Foothill Conference honors while at Barstow Community College.

Barstow Community College is one of nine community colleges in California to actively recruit and seek athletes for its athletic programs.

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