**Jacksonville- Community Christian College Athletes Triumph: Former Football Players Secure Recruitment to D1 and D2 Colleges**

February 29, 2024 -- Jacksonville, FL -- In a remarkable showcase of talent, determination, and perseverance, in only three years of inception several former football players from Jacksonville- Community Christian College (JACCC) formally Jacksonville Athletic Academy has been recruited by D1 and D2 colleges. These athletes have utilized their time at JACCC to advance their college education, enhance their skills, build impressive game footage, and prove their worth in the highly competitive world of college football.

JACCC is known for offering athletes an opportunity to gain experience, both on the field and in the classroom. The Junior College athletic program provides partial academic scholarships and an environment that encourages personal and professional development. For many student-athletes, JACC is a steppingstone towards a promising future, leveraging sports as a means to achieve their academic and professional goals.

Among the players making the leap to D1 and D2 colleges is Nate Rembert, whose impressive performance at JACCC caught the attention of Edward Waters University and Mississippi Valley State University. "JACCC taught me the power of hard work. It's not just about the game, but also about building character and staying committed even when the going gets tough," said Rembert.

Joining him is Rontavion Scott, another standout player from JACCC. Scott's journey is a testament to the second chances JACCC provides for athletes. "JACCC gave me a fresh start, a chance to correct my past mistakes and focus on my future. I'm grateful for the opportunity and the life skills I've gained here. This has led to me accepting a full ride at Albany State University," Scott shares.

Andre Dannett, another player recruited from JACCC, credits the college's supportive environment for recently signing a contract to play with an American Football League team, the Iowa Rampage success. "The support and guidance I received at JACCC helped me grow as a player and as a person. The coaching staff prepares players for the next level. I am ready to take on this next challenge," he said.

Former players who received offers in 2022 and are starting players are: Johnny Davis attending William Penn University, Gabrial Hecht at New Mexico Highlands University, Tymetrius Patterson Independence College, and DeWayne Wakefield at Bethune Cookman University.

JACCC's commitment to its athletes extends beyond the football field. The college is dedicated to providing a comprehensive education that prepares students for life after sports. This commitment is reflected in the success of its athletes, many of whom have gone on to excel in D1 and D2 colleges.

This achievement underscores the transformative power of junior college sports programs like JACCC. It reaffirms the importance of providing student-athletes with opportunities to develop their skills, gain exposure, and secure a brighter future. As these JACCC athletes move on to D1 and D2 colleges, they carry with them the lessons and experiences that have shaped them, ready to make their mark in the world of college football.

The success of these players serves as an inspiration to current and future JACCC athletes. It is a reminder that with hard work, dedication, and the right support, anyone can overcome obstacles and achieve their goals.

Jacksonville- Community Christian College congratulates these athletes on their recruitment and looks forward to witnessing their continued success. “The Junior College athletic program remains committed to its mission of providing a supportive and enriching environment for student-athletes, equipping them with the tools they need to succeed both on and off the field, " said Head Coach Nolan Carroll.

For more information on JACCC's athletic program and success stories, visit <https://jaaathletics.org/>.

*Junior college can serve as an opportunity for athletes that did not sign with a major university a chance to further hone their skills, acquire additional game film to be noticed by high level scouts and athletes that got removed from a major university program for whatever reason, is able to get a second chance at JACCC. Many college athletes use football as an avenue to help shape a successful financial and professional future. Most of these athletes do not come from wealthy backgrounds that can help them pay their way at a major university. Playing football at JACCC provides student-athletes with a chance at a higher education, and to be in a productive Christian environment.*

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