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## **CCCAA Announces the NATYCAA Cup Standings; American River College Leads After the Fall Seasons**

**Sacramento, CA** . . . The California Community College Athletic Association (CCCAA), in association with the National Alliance of Two-Year College Athletic Administrators (NATYCAA), today released the fall standings of the 2011-12 NATYCAA Cup.

For the first time in the awards nine year history, American River College leads the standings with 107 points. They are followed by Mt. San Antonio College who has 96 points while Fresno City College currently holds third place with 92 points.

A college is awarded points based on its team's final positions in post-conference competition. Each college's top-five men's and top-five women's team results count toward the school's overall point total. Complete standings and scoring criteria are posted on the CCCAA website, [www.cccaasports.org](http://www.cccaasports.org). Final standings will be announced at the conclusion of the spring seasons.

NATYCAA is the professional organization of two-year college athletic administrators and membership is open to all two-year institutions from throughout the country. The NATYCAA Awards were designed to recognize and reward overall program excellence at the two-year college level. The criterion for the State Associations division was developed by the CCCAA in conjunction with the California Community College Sports Information Association (CCCSIA). This is the ninth year that NATYCAA has sponsored a State Associations division. Sierra College captured the inaugural award in 2003-04, Fresno City College won the award in 2004-05, Long Beach City College claimed the top spot in 2005-06, Orange Coast won in 2006-07, Fresno City took the award for the second time in 2007-08, Mt. San Antonio College won in 2008-09 and Orange Coast was the winner in 2009-10 and Mt. SAC claimed the title for their second time last year.

The 2011-12 NATYCAA Cup winner will be recognized at the NATYCAA Awards Luncheon, held during the 2012 NATYCAA Convention, June 24-26 at the Hilton Anatole Hotel in Dallas, Texas. Awards will be presented to the top three colleges, and the top twenty schools in the division will receive recognition.

### About the CCCAA

The California Community College Athletic Association (CCCAA) is the governing body providing oversight of intercollegiate athletics within the California Community College System. The single largest educational system in the world, with attendance in excess of over 2.6 million students annually, the California Community College system serves one-third of all community college students in the United States. The CCCAA establishes the rules and regulations to administer the intercollegiate athletic activities of the nearly 27,000 student athletes attending California's community colleges. To view the latest news, information, and updates of all 23 CCCAA-sanctioned sports visit [www.cccaasports.org](http://www.cccaasports.org).

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