City’s English, Poindexter share Athlete of Week honor

San Diego City College basketball players Trevor English and Anthony Poindexter share the Pacific Coast Athletic Conference Men’s Athlete of the Week award after the Knights won the Bill Brummel Classic at Saddleback College on Saturday night.

English, a 6-foot-5, 225-pound sophomore forward / guard from Reno (NV) High School and a transfer from Cabrillo College, was named Most Valuable Player in the Tournament after the Knights downed host Saddleback 69-68 in the championship game.

English went 7-for-11 on field goals, including a 5-for-7 performance on 3-pointers, on his way to a 22-point performance against the Gauchos. He also contributed 15 points and seven rebounds as the Knights defeated Long Beach City College 59-56 in the semifinals.

Poindexter, a 6-foot-8, 215-pound sophomore forward from Forest Park High School in Woodbridge, VA, had 13 points and nine rebounds in the Knights’ first game of the tournament, a 70-64 victory over Irvine Valley.

In the championship game, Poindexter tallied 18 points, going 7-for-8 on field goals and 4-for-4 on 3-pointers, and also had six rebounds and six assists. He also dished off seven assists.

Honorable mention went to basketball players Jayvon Stone from Southwestern, Kiko Moore (Cuyamaca) and Baptiste Boucharel (MiraCosta).

Stone, a 6-foot-2 freshman guard who played high school basketball in Sacramento for both El Camino High School and Luther Burbank High School, pumped in 25 points as he led Southwestern to an 85-80 non-conference win against Pasadena City College.

Moore, a 6-foot-2 sophomore guard from Helix Charter High School, scored 23 points as Cuyamaca defeated Los Angeles Southwest 72-70 in the third-place game in the Vaquero Invitational hosted by Glendale College. He made a three-quarter court shot at the buzzer in the first half to give the Coyotes a 33-22 intermission lead. Moore also had 12 points, 11 rebounds and four assists in a 67-53 victory over Victor Valley to open the tournament, and tallied 10 points in an 82-62 loss to host Glendale in a semi-final game.

Boucharel, a 6-foot-4 sophomore shooting guard from Lycee Potheir in Saclay, France, scored 20 points vs. in the consolation championship game at the Bill Brummel Classic. He was 6-for-8 on field goals and went 7-for-7 on free throws but the Spartans dropped an 80-65 decision to College of the Canyons.