

# UC Prospect Evaluation | Rowdy Robinson Height/Position | 6'5 Playmaker Classification/School | 2024 Pilot Point HS

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**Lead Evaluator**: Coach V (21 Year College Recruiting Coordinator at the D1, D2, D3 & NAIA Levels)

**Secondary Evaluator**: NCAA D2 AC (8 years Experience at the NCAA D3 & D2 Levels, former D1 Player) The Prospect Evaluation is the first step in creating a Recruiting Game Plan for each individual Client

## Projected Level | NCAA D3+

## Potential Level | Spring Push D2 JUCO/NAIA (Mid-March / June 1st)

**UC Prospect Evaluation:** One of the traits that stands right off the bat on game films that favors Rowdy is he is not afraid to get on the floor, get 50/50 balls, and makes a lot of effort plays which draws interest from college coaches researching motor/mindset. For a big guard or SF, he does a great job at his size at making plays off the bounce. When he gets downhill he is at his best and brings more versatility than a true 4. More of a playmaker (Big Wing) at the next level which can move him up the board and possibly end with NAIA/D2 Options. With no true position on either end, we must showcase his versatility on both ends to programs that fit and his recruitment will start to pick up. At 6 '5 he showed the ability to get to his spots off the bounce, and either finish plays at the rim or knock down mid-range shots. Should dominate on the Glass vs his level of competition, but right now way too passive in the paint when it comes to pursuing boards both on Offense and Defense. RPG for tweeners is always a key stat in the Spring that has moved prospects up from D3+ to scholarship levels for similar players in the

past. Defensively, Rowdy has the length and size to guard multiple positions, and could eventually become a really good off ball defender. Right now he takes too many possessions off and relaxes when his man doesn't have the ball which must improve moving forward. Although he has no problem playing the 2 or 3 on Offense, the question mark will be who will Rowdy guard at the next level. Must continue to work on his lateral guickness and use angles to keep smaller quicker guards in front of him when guarding the ball. To reach his highest potential level offer, the ability to guard a % and become more active as a help defender will raise his stock. Right now I would assess Rowdy as a full scholarship level offensive player, and a NCAA D3 overall player until he becomes more consistent in all facets on the defensive end and averages 8+ RPG for starters. Has a college ready 3pt shot with his ability to catch and shoot it off the move, moves well without the ball in his hands to get to his spots, and is a willing and skilled passer when run off the line. Very unselfish and team oriented player which is easy to evaluate on game films, but being unselfish should not lead to being passive. Stay in attack mode as a Sr and realize they need you to make key plays on both ends for Pilot Point to have a successful season. Be, think, and act like 'The GUY' not just a great small HS Player at Pilot Point! Start moving away from taking plays off on the defensive end like the 5:23 mark in the 3rd Quarter vs. Callisburg. And stay in attack mode as a Senior, cause the tools and talent are there to really elevate your level of performance if you are not deferring. Being more aggressive with the ball in your hands like the 6:01 mark and 3:13 mark in the 4th Quarter vs. Callisburg. These are plays that stand out to college coaches and the reason your team is winning. Yuo show energy and passion, now add discipline on defense and become more consistent on the glass and we will start to have full games that will draw interest from the targeted levels.

#### **Initial Games to Upload to the Player Card:**

**Game #1:** A good first Game to Upload will be one showcasing your ability to score it at all 3 levels. Any high point total game 25 points (Knock down 3 3pt shots, get to the paint and score 8-10 in the paint, and you knock down some mid-range shots off the bounce) will showcase your Versatility to play the 2-4 spots at the next level.

**Game #2:** If you have a full game where you grabbed 9+ Rebounds, had 3 or 4 off ball deflections/steals, and get a lot of hustle plays (50/50 Balls) to go along with a solid offensive game 16 points will be a good second game for starters.

Recruiting Game Plans are tailored to each individual and designed to elevate performance, provide prospects insight on what stands out good and bad on game film, build your initial college lists, and showcase college ready games to the targeted levels using the Evaluation as our Guide to 'Gaining Interest' in the Fall. At Mid-Season Break we assess player progress, on court performance, and academic standing so we can begin matching our clients with the right FIT!

**College Ready Strengths to Showcase** | Scores it at all 3 levels, Effort Plays 50/50 balls and a skilled and willing passer capable of getting teammates open looks at 6'5!

Areas Exposed that must Improve | On and Off Ball Defense consistency and discipline. Although you are very capable of being a high level Rebounder, right now that is one area that is exposed in full Game Films. You have a good IQ so make note to move more without the ball in your hands, makes you more of a threat and you will get more opportunities to make plays if you're constantly cutting and getting to your open spots.

#### **Focus Points for the Fall Semester**

Understand there are a lot of GREAT HS Scorers out there, the ones that move onto College do not rely on Scoring as their ticket, they defend/rebound and lead the team on hustle stats. You're a college ready scorer already and that will keep you on college boards.

When you're a college ready Rebounder/Defender that will turn interest to Offers! The tools are there so start daily at making that your mindset!

## Rowdy's Highlight Video for Social Media Athlete Marketing

**Length:** 1:30 Max | 20-25 Clips that will stand out to College Coaches

College Ready Strengths to Highlight: 20 Offensive Clips | 10 Clips of you knocking down catch and shoot 3's or pick n pop 3's and 10 Clips of you taking it off the bounce and either finishing at the rim, passing to the open man, or pulling up and shooting over the top. Make 3pt makes, Mid-Range Makes, and Finishes at the Rim all equal so I can promote you on Socials as a 3 level scorer.

**Position Specific Winning Plays that stand out to College Coaches:** 5 of your best clips of getting on the floor for a loose ball & 5 offensive rebounds where you pursue the ball will be good to add to this first highlight!

# **Spring Semester | Targeting the Right FIT**

- Based on professional insight from an experienced recruiting coordinator or current college coach, our formula is proven when it comes to matching players with a FIT
  - Offensive fit | Fast pace offense with bigger guard play that runs a motion or pass and cut offense to get him moving around the perimeter and inside the arc, Potentially could be really effective in a high low setting.
  - Defensive fit | Press defense that looks to get out and run in transition,
     Stronger off the ball defensive principles as I feel like that is where he will be most effective but must improve on ball aggressiveness without giving up straight line drives on defense.

UC Recruiting Game Plans provide ongoing insight through the lens of college coaches to accurately guide 'Top Prospects' on game films to upload, areas they must improve, and what strengths to showcase on their UC Recruits Player Cards as we continue to track progress. *Our Formula is Proven and has led to 200+ Clients since 2020 Accepting Offers at the highest Potential Levels.* 

## **Rowdy Robinson's Recruiting Game Plan**

First Semester (*Fall Game Plan*): #1 Stat Goal for 1st Semester (8+ RPG & 3 Off ball Steals/Deflections) Basically your ticket to scholarship levels is becoming a more complete player on Defense and much more active on the Glass. (8+ RPG is very realistic with your size vs your comp) #2 Stay in Attack Mode!!! Even if you don't shoot it, being more aggressive on both ends of the floor with your role and talent will make your team better

and will increase your recruitment. #3 Guard smaller faster guards every chance you get in the Fall (Pickup, Basketball Period, Fall Ball) etc. before the HS Season starts so you can get better by getting beat off the dribble before it truly matters (This Spring) Follow your Game Plan and you will 'Gain Interest' in the Fall