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2017

VOLLEYBALL



Welcome Kankakee Community College student athletes, parents, and Cavalier fans!

On behalf of the KCC Board of Trustees, faculty, staff and Cavalier Nation, I'd like to welcome you to another exciting and rewarding year at KCC. Last year, KCC continued its winning ways by sending three teams to represent the outstanding values the college at NJCAA National Tournaments. Women's basketball finished fourth in the nation, and softball finished in seventh place. The baseball squad earned a record number of wins and brought home the Division II National Championship! What a great year for our Cavaliers!

We are also very proud that 15 KCC student-athletes were named to NJCAA All-Academic teams for the 2016-17 year. It is a particular point of honor for me to share the role KCC plays in the overall growth of our student athletes and how our teams represent our outstanding institution during and after competing. Our coaches stress—and our athletes understand—the importance of education and character development. That's why KCC produces graduates and



All-Americans along with our nationally competitive teams.

It is my firm belief that education is the key to all of life's successes, and we all remain committed to our mission to develop leaders. Once the cheers and accolades have subsided, what remains for our athletes is the understanding of commitment, goal setting, teamwork and determination. When they channel these characteristics into their educations, careers and personal goals, the results from these athletes will amaze us all.

Knowing they lay the foundation for these triumphs, I would like to specifically thank the parents of our athletes, their coaches and Cavalier Club members for supporting our athletic teams.

Please join me, the Board of Trustees, faculty, staff and all Cavaliers' fans in wishing our teams and coaches success this year. I invite everyone to come out and watch our teams compete. Go Cavs!

John Avendano, Ph.D.
President

THE FACTS

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Cavaliers

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Scarlet, navy, white

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ASSISTANT COACHES
Alexia Campbell

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NJCAA Division II

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1966

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2016 RECORD
23-19

ENROLLMENT
2,500

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MEET THE COACHES



HEAD COACH STEPHENEY YANCY

Stephenee Yancy is in her first season as head coach of the Cavaliers.

A four-year letter winner at Kankakee High School, Yancy still holds school records for kills, blocks, and points. She was a two-time All-Conference honoree, two-time All-Area selection and selected as an AAU (Amateur Athletic Union) All-American at the 18 Club level, where she played for Ultimate VBC.

Coach Yancy started in college at Western Michigan University, where she was Mid-American Conference Freshman of the Year and on the MAC All-Freshman Team. During that time, Yancy also was named to the 2013 USA Volleyball Junior National A1 Team. Her junior and senior seasons, Yancy played for University of Illinois at Chicago. As a junior, she was an American Volleyball Coaches Association All-Region Honorable Mention. Yancy finished the year with national rankings for kills (24th, with 512), kills per set (20th, with 4.38) and attack percentage (56th, with

.358). The same season, Yancy put down double-digit kills in all 31 matches. Her senior season, Yancy was a team captain and led UIC and the Horizon League in kills per set (4.37). She ranked second in the conference in hitting percentage (.366) and ninth in blocks per set (0.89).

For both of her seasons at UIC, the Horizon League named Yancy Player of the Year or Co-Player of the year in addition to placement on the All-Conference first team. The UIC record books list Yancy's accomplishments 16 times, including single season records in kills (no. 3 & 6, with 544 and 512), hitting percentage (no. 1 & 2 with .371 and .358), solo blocks (no. 10 with 27); a career record in hitting percentage (no. 1 with .365), and a single match record in kills (33). She has the 13th most kills in Flames history (1,056), and led the team in kills and blocks each season.

Yancy finished her college career in 2015. She was selected by her peers as UIC Female Athlete of the Year and was one of only 36 players in the nation picked by USA Volleyball to participate in the U.S. Collegiate National Team program. Yancy holds a bachelor's degree in criminal justice from UIC. She also played professionally in the Prerov Czech Republic for one season.



ASSISTANT COACH ALEXIA CAMPBELL

Starting her first year coaching college level volleyball, Assistant Coach Alexia Campbell comes to the Cavaliers with a passion to lead and apply her prior playing experience.

Campbell is a three-year varsity veteran from Kankakee High School where she continues to hold multiple records. While on the Kays, Campbell also was a two-time MVP and team leader, serving as captain

for two seasons.

Campbell chose to be a coach because of her passion for volleyball. She is able to foster the growth of her players through the numerous opportunities she is fortunate to provide. Her goal is to help lead the Cavaliers to many wins and build a strong foundation of young women.

"I will mold a group of individuals to communicate, to be responsible, and to hold themselves accountable," Coach Campbell said. "I developed my coaching philosophy based on what is important to me and what I have learned about myself."

Campbell is currently studying medical sonography and working as a nursing assistant. She is the mother of two children.

2017 SEASON PREVIEW

The 2017 Lady Cavaliers volleyball players will kick off the season by facing some rivalry teams which include South Suburban, Prairie State and Oakton Community College.

The Lady Cavs travel to Springfield during Labor Day weekend to play in the two-day tournament hosted by Lincoln Land Community College. The Cavaliers will host two tournaments this season—the KCC Invitational and the Cavalier Classic. They also will compete in the "Waubensee Challenge" and the "Showdown on the Wabash."

In the middle of the season, KCC will play in six Tri-Matches

and have games facing colleges such as Olivet Nazarene University, College of DuPage, Milliken University, Parkland College, Morton College and Joliet Junior College.

With a brand new head coach and assistant for 2017, the Lady Cavaliers are returning five players and welcoming six freshmen. The general task for each and every player includes adjusting quickly to any situation on the court, showing good sportsmanship at all times, and having fun while competing at their highest level possible.

TOURNAMENT CHAMPIONSHIPS

1985	Region IV	1994	KCC Invitational	1998	Kellogg C.C.	2005	Early Bird Challenge
1986	Region IV		St. Francis University		Kirkwood C.C.		Lake Michigan College
1987	Region IV		Rock Valley College	2001	Region IV		KCC Invitational
1988	Region IV		Illinois Central College	2002	Waubensee C.C.		Cavalier Classic
1989	Region IV		Region IV	2003	Early Bird Challenge	2009	Cavalier Classic
1991	Region IV	1995	KCC Invitational		Lake Michigan College	2010	Lincoln Land C.C.
1992	Belleville Area College		Rock Valley College		KCC Invitational	2013	South Suburban College
	Region IV		Cavalier Classic		Cavalier Classic		
1993	KCC Invitational		Illinois Central College	2004	Early Bird Challenge		
	Muskegon College		Region IV		Lake Michigan College		
	Rock Valley College	1996	KCC Invitational		Cavalier Classic		
	Illinois Central College		Cavalier Classic		Region IV		
	Region IV		Rock Valley College				
			Region IV				

MEET THE PLAYERS



#1
AALIYAH
GLENN

Position: Manager
Height: 5'9"
Year: Freshman
Hometown: Streator



#4
JENNA
OFFERMAN

Position: S
Height: 5'7"
Year: Freshman
Hometown: Kankakee



#2
GABRIELLE
BOUDREAU

Position: S
Height: 5'6"
Year: Sophomore
Hometown: Manteno



#5
PEYTON
THIESEN

Position: OH
Height: 5'9"
Year: Sophomore
Hometown: Grant Park



#3
KASSIDI
BURTON

Position: OH
Height: 5'9"
Year: Freshman
Hometown: Piper City



#6
MADELYN
MITSDARFFER

Position: DS
Height: 5'7"
Year: Sophomore
Hometown: Kankakee



**#7
COURTNEY
JOHNSON**

Position: MB
Height: 5'10"
Year: Sophomore
Hometown: Buckley



**#12
NICOLE
VAN**

Position: DS
Height: 5'7"
Year: Sophomore
Hometown: Peotone



**#9
JESSICA
SCHINDLER**

Position: MB
Height: 5'10"
Year: Freshman
Hometown: Manteno



**#13
LAKIA
GLENN**

Position: MB
Height: 5'11"
Year: Freshman
Hometown: Streator



**#11
ERIKA
MILLER**

Position: MB
Height: 5'11"
Year: Freshman
Hometown: Monticello



**#14
KAYLEE
SPEGAL**

Position: S
Height: 5'7"
Year: Freshman
Hometown: Ludlow

INDIVIDUAL RECORDS - SEASON

MOST KILLS

625	Shalanda Byers	1993
556	Victoria Worsfold	2014
565	Lindsay Thompson	2010
538	Hollie Cravens	1988
535	Marché Hammeren	2012
517	Meghan Zimmerman	1995
516	Marjorie Pielli	2008
498	Kaitlyn Wagenaar	2012
498	Morgan Strzok	2014
490	Angie Wilson	1991

DIGS

962	Elana Rebholz	2013
914	LaRhonda Eubanks	2007
884	Shannon Sterling	2007
822	Katherine Larson	2012
812	Holly Koch	2015
793	Whitney Smith	2009
727	Kimberly LaRoche	2006
719	Brittany Yocum	2004
715	Shannon Sterling	2006
664	Brittany Yocum	2005
659	Amber McGunegill	2000

KILL PERCENTAGE

.481	Janice Gadison	1987
.457	Denise Swiercz	1997
.417	Jessica Brester	1995
.413	Maryellen Sherwood	1989
.405	Maryellen Sherwood	1990
.387	LaSha Moton	1995
.361	Meghan Zimmerman	1995
.352	Becky Clagget	1998
.351	Alexandra Fink	2008
.345	Jenny Wobrock	1994

SERVE RECEIVE RATING

2.760	Amber McGunegill	2000
2.560	Teresa McGuire	2000
2.480	Kathy Maartin	2000
2.403	Jesse Cooney	1994
2.397	Jenny Wobrock	1994
2.390	Karen Machalek	2000
2.347	Jesse Cooney	1995
2.305	Kasey Richardson	1995

INDIVIDUAL RECORDS

"300 CLUB"—300 KILLS/300 DIGS/.300 KILL %

YEAR	NAME	KILLS		
DIGS	KILL%			
1994	Jenny Wobrock	480	450	.345
2008	Alexandra Fink	346	427	.351

"1,000 ASSISTS/100 KILLS"

YEAR	NAME	GAMES	ASSISTS	KILLS
1993	Angie Carter	144	1,347	139
1995	Jessica Brester	124	1,084	107
2001	Tiffany Walzer	156	1,034	117
2002	Amy Kurweil	153	1,218	136
2003	Melissa Aguina	146	1,404	180
2005	Malorie Smith	124	1,016	123
2007	Alexandra Fink	174	1,242	302
2013	Kalyn Hungerford	167	1,384	106

"500 KILLS/500 DIGS - CAREER"

NAME	KILLS	DIGS	TOTALS	KILL%
Morgan Strzok	807	809	1,616	.266
Amy Foytik**	785	508	1,293	.315
Shannon Sterling	749	1,599	2,348	.183
Jennifer VanKempen	730	1,065	1,795	.239
Lindsey James	722	965	1,687	.286
Jacquelyn Schultz	694	1,310	2,004	.183
Alexandra Fink	648	969	1,617	.322
Jen Smoots	643	719	1,362	.270
Amilee Kennedy	613	971	1,584	.267
Shannon Kallemeyn	517	621	1,138	.273
Karen Machalek	512	759	1,271	.190
Emmaleigh Halweg	520	534	1,054	.207

**Only player to ever reach 500+kills/500+digs/300+kill%

"TRIPLE-DOUBLE MATCHES"

2011	Olivia Donley	1 - Assists, Kills, Digs
2008	Alexandra Fink	9 - Assists, Kills, Digs
2000	Karen Machalek	9 - Assists, Kills, Digs
2007	Alexandra Fink	6 - Assists, Kills, Digs
2001	Amy Kurweil	1 - Assists, Kills, Blocks

MATCH

Most service attempts	34	Amilee Kennedy	2003
Most service aces	12	Jessica Walcher	2003
Most attack attempts	68	Jenny Wobrock	1994
Most kills	28	Jenny Wobrock	1994
	28	Hollie Cravens	1989
Most blocks	22	Kathleen York	2002
Most assists	68	Beth Friedrich	1998
Most digs	47	Morgan Henline	2006
Kill % (15+att.)	.894	Denise Swiercz	
	(19-0-17)		1997
Serve receive (10+att.)	3.0	Amber McGunegill	
	(33-11-0)		2000

SEASON

Most service attempts	755	Amy Maly	2002
Most service aces	155	Ashley Cocco	2003
Best service %	97.7	Darla Goldtrap	1993
Most attack attempts	1,365	Shannon Sterling	2007
Most kills	625	Shalanda Byers	1993
Kill percentage	.481	Janice Gadison	1987
Most blocks	296	Kathleen York	2002
Most assists	1,404	Melissa Aguina	2003
Most set attempts	4,025	Tiffany Walzer	2001
Most digs	914	LaRhonda Eubanks	2007
Serve receive rating	2.76	Amber McGunegill	2000
Sets played	179	Kaitlyn Wagenaar	2012
Double figure kills	37	Shalanda Byers	1993

More statistics and team details at
kcccavaliers.com

STATISTICS

NJCAA ALL-AMERICANS

Award for Exemplary Academic Achievement

PLAYER	YEAR
Kris Spezio	1985
Janice Gadison	1987*
Hollie Cravens	1988*
Hollie Cravens	1989*
Maryellen Sherwood	1990
Dawn Troutman	1991
Angie Wilson	1991
Carmen Macon	1992*
Shalanda Byers	1993*
Kellie Gardner	1994
Jenny Wobrock	1994*
Amy Foytik	1995
Meghan Zimmerman	1995*
Jessica Brester	1996*
Denise Swiercz	1997
Candice Christian	2003**
Erin McKay	2003
Melissa Aguina	2004
Jennifer Van Kempen	2005
Kristen Feddersen	2006**
Shannon Sterling	2007†
Erin Starry	2008**
Lindsay Thompson	2010
Heather Fletcher	2010**
Jennifer Ostrowski	2013**
Kaelyn Vaughn	2015**
Rachel Greene	2015**
Jorden Grieff	2016**
Courtney Johnson	2016**

* First Team
 ** Academic
 † Distinguished
 Academic

ALL-AMERICANS

American Volleyball Coaches Association

Shalanda Byers First Team	1993
Jenny Wobrock First Team	1994
Meghan Zimmerman First Team	1995
Jessica Brester First Team	1996



Nicole Van



Gabrielle Boudreau



Erika Miller



Madelyn Mitsdarffer



Kassidi Burton



Lakia Glenn



Gabrielle Boudreau



Nicole Van



2017 VOLLEYBALL SCHEDULE

DAY	DATE	TIME	OPPONENT	PLACE
AUGUST				
Tuesday	22	6 p.m.	South Suburban College	Home
Fri-Sat	25	3 p.m.	KCC Invitational	Home
Tuesday	29	6 p.m.	Prairie State College	Chicago Heights
Wednesday	30	6 p.m.	Oakton Community College	Des Plaines
SEPTEMBER				
Fri-Sat	1	Noon	Lincoln Land Tournament	Springfield
Thursday	7	6 p.m.	Triton College	River Grove
Saturday	9	10 a.m.	Tri-Match / Harper College	Home
Saturday	9	2 p.m.	Tri-Match / Kalamazoo Valley C.C.	Home
Wednesday	13	7 p.m.	Olivet Nazarene University (JV)	Bourbonnais
Fri-Sat	15	Noon	Waubonsee Challenge	Sugar Grove
Tuesday	19	6 p.m.	South Suburban College	South Holland
Fri-Sat	22	3 p.m.	Cavalier Classic	Home
Wednesday	27	6 p.m.	College of DuPage	Home
OCTOBER				
Monday	2	6:30 p.m.	Olivet Nazarene University (JV)	Home
Wednesday	4	6 p.m.	Sauk Valley Community College	Dixon
Fri-Sat	6	Noon	"Showdown on the Wabash" (IN)	Vincennes, Ind.
Wednesday	11	5:15 p.m.	Millikin University (JV)	Champaign
Wednesday	11	7 p.m.	Parkland College	Champaign
Saturday	14	10 a.m.	Tri-Match / Moraine Valley C.C.	Home
Saturday	14	2 p.m.	Tri-Match / College of Lake County	Home
Tuesday	17	6 p.m.	Morton College	Home
Thursday	19	6 p.m.	Joliet Junior College	Joliet
Saturday	21	10 a.m.	Tri-Match / Kishwaukee College	Home
Saturday	21	2 p.m.	Tri-Match / Ancilla College (IN)	Home
Tuesday	24	6 p.m.	Waubonsee Community College	Home
Wednesday	25	6 p.m.	Malcolm X College	Home
NOVEMBER				
Wednesday	1	Noon	NJCAA Region IV Quarterfinals	TBA
Saturday	4	Noon	NJCAA Region IV Semifinals	TBA
Saturday	4	Noon	NJCAA Region IV Championship	TBA
Thurs-Sat	17	Noon	NJCAA Div. II National Tournament	Charleston, W.V.

HEAD COACH: STEPHENEE YANCY
ASSISTANT COACH: ALEXIA CAMPBELL

ATHLETIC DIRECTOR: TODD POST
TEAM NAME AND COLORS: CAVALIERS, SCARLET, NAVY, WHITE

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