

## EXHIBITION

8.23 HIGHLANDS

## NON-CONFERENCE

8.30 TULANE  
8.30 NORTH DAKOTA  
8.31 UCI  
9.5 UMKC  
9.6 HOWARD  
9.7 HCU  
9.12 NAU  
9.13 TARLETON STATE  
9.17 NMSU  
9.19 NMSU

## CONFERENCE PLAY

9.26 UNLV  
9.28 SAN DIEGO STATE  
10.1 AIR FORCE  
10.5 BOISE STATE  
10.10 UTAH STATE  
10.12 NEVADA  
10.17 SAN JOSÉ STATE  
10.19 FRESNO STATE  
10.24 COLORADO STATE  
10.26 WYOMING  
10.31 FRESNO STATE  
11.2 SAN JOSÉ STATE  
11.7 NEVADA  
11.9 UTAH STATE  
11.12 AIR FORCE  
11.14 BOISE STATE  
11.21 SAN DIEGO STATE  
11.23 UNLV



*Lobo Volleyball*



**TUESDAY  
NIGHT**

**BLOCK  
PARTY**

**MATCH  
PROGRAM**



**VS. AIR FORCE**  
**6:30 PM MT**





# THIS WEEK'S PROMOS

**THURSDAY:** MILITARY / FIRST RESPONDERS  
**SATURDAY:** SENIOR NIGHT

# 2024 ROSTER AT A GLANCE

## GENERAL INFORMATION

Name of School ..... University of New Mexico  
City/Zip ..... Albuquerque, N.M. 87106  
Founded ..... 1889 by Territorial Legislature  
Enrollment ..... 22,225  
Nickname ..... Lobos  
School Colors ..... Cherry & Silver  
Conference ..... Mountain West  
Affiliation ..... NCAA Division I  
President ..... Dr. Garnett Stokes  
Athletic Director ..... Dave Williams (Interim)

## PROGRAM HISTORY

First Year of Volleyball ..... 1975  
All-Time Record (Pct.) ..... 738-709 (.509)  
Mountain West Record (Pct.) ..... 183-236 (.434)  
NCAA Tournament Appearances ..... 9  
1981, 1988, 1990, 1991, 1992, 1993, 1994, 2009 & 2010  
NCAA Tournament Record ..... 5-9  
Last NCAA Postseason Opponent ..... USC  
Last NCAA Postseason Result ..... L, 0-3, 2010 (1st Rd.)  
Conference Championships ..... 2  
1988 (High Country) and 1991 (WAC)

## VOLLEYBALL STAFF

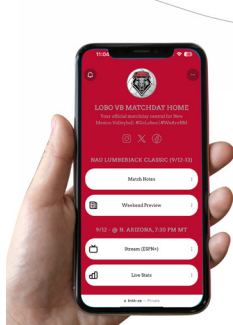
Head Coach ..... Jon Newman-Gonchar  
(Northern Arizona, 2005)  
Year at UNM ..... 6th season  
Year Overall ..... 6th season  
Record at UNM (Pct.) ..... 82-76 (.513)  
MW Record (Pct.) ..... 41-57 (.418)  
Career Record (Pct.) ..... Same  
Associate HC / Recruiting Coord. .... April Sanchez  
(Colorado Mesa, 2011)  
Year at UNM ..... 6th season  
Assistant Coach/ Offensive Coord. ... Matt Kuelpman  
(LMU, 2015)  
Year at UNM ..... 2nd season  
Dir. of Operations ..... Nick Ziegelmann  
(Washington State, 2019)  
Year at UNM ..... 1st season  
Volleyball Athletic Trainer ..... Madison Faucett  
Strength Coach ..... Russ McCarthy  
Academic Advisor ..... Joylynn Benefiel

## 2023 IN REVIEW

2023 Overall Record ..... 19-12 (.586)  
2023 Mountain West Record ..... 10-8 (.444)  
2023 Mountain West Finish ..... T-4th  
Letterwinners Returning/Lost ..... 6/8  
Starters Returning/Lost ..... 1 + Libero/5

## FACILITIES

Main Home Venue ..... Johnson Center Gymnasium  
Capacity ..... 4,800  
Location ..... Redondo Dr. & Stanford Dr.



**1 REAGAN MILLER**  
6-1 • MB • FR  
Birmingham, Ala.-  
Hoover HS



**2 MARIAN HATCH**  
5-7 • S • FR  
Rio Rancho, N.M.  
Cleveland HS



**3 GISELLE GROE**  
5-5 • L / DS • SO  
Torrance, Calif.  
Mater Dei HS



**4 LAURYAN PAYNE**  
5-11 • OH • JR  
Leesburg, Va.  
Riverside HS



**5 AMANDA TREMEROLI**  
6-0 • OH • FR  
Phoenix, Ariz.  
Pinnacle HS



**6 MADISON BLANCO**  
5-7 • S • R-SO  
El Paso, Texas  
Franklin HS



**9 ANGELA CROSETTI**  
5-6 • L / DS • R-SR  
Sherman Oaks, Calif.  
SNHU / St. John's



**11 SONILA WAFEEK**  
5-9 • S • SR  
Cairo, Egypt  
Al Gomhorya HS / UIC



**12 SEENANE BREWER**  
5-10 • OH • FR  
Lawrence, Kan.  
Lawrence HS



**13 ZOE LEONARD**  
6-2 • MB • FR  
Phoenix, Ariz.  
Arcadia HS



**16 MADELEINE MILLER**  
6-1 • S • SO  
Shueyville, Iowa  
Mount Vernon HS



**18 NAOMI CHANKOUMI**  
5-11 • OH • JR  
Houston, Texas  
Cypress Springs HS / CSUB



**19 ELIZABETH WOODS**  
6-2 • MB • SR  
Rowlett, Texas  
Sachse HS



**21 JADA BOUYER**  
5-9 • OH • G-SR  
Liberty Township, Ohio  
Lakota East HS / Toledo



**22 LIEPA LAUVICKYTE**  
6-1 • MB • R-SO  
Sandnes, Norway  
Toppvolley / Oregon State



**23 FALANIKA DANIELSON**  
6-2 • L • G-SR  
Ewa Beach, Hawaii  
Milliani HS / Temple



**24 KIALAH JEFFERSON**  
5-11 • OH • SR  
Prosper, Texas  
Prosper HS / VCU



**JON NEWMAN-GONCHAR**  
Head Coach  
6th Season  
Northern Arizona, 2005



**APRIL SANCHEZ**  
Associate HC / Recruiting Coord.  
6th Season (2nd as Assoc. HC)  
Colorado Mesa, 2011



**MATT KUELPMAN**  
Assistant Coach / Off. Coord.  
2nd Season  
LMU, 2015



**NICK ZIEGELMANN**  
Director of Operations  
1st Season  
Washington St., 2019





## JON NEWMAN-GONCHAR

### HEAD COACH

*-Led the Lobos to their best finish since 2015 in MW play in 2023, finishing tied for fourth with a 10-8 mark in conference matchups.*  
*-77 wins at UNM. 50th win came in a sweep of Colorado State on Nov. 10, 2022.*  
*-Winning record in each of the last three years (37-22, 62.7%). 20 wins in 2021 were most for the program since 2013.*

*-Back-to-back-to-back MW Championship participants (2021-23). First UNM team to reach the MW Semifinals since 1999; first MW Tournament win since 2006.*

*-Swept CSU at Fort Collins for the 2nd time in program history.*

*-Swept the season series with Boise State for the first time since 2014.*  
*-First time in program history winning in Laramie and Fort Collins in the same year*

*-2 wins over Power 5 schools (first match as the Lobo head coach against Rutgers, a sweep on Aug. 30, 2019 and a four-set win over Kansas State on Sept. 21, 2019)*

*-18 MW Player of the Week selections (8 Offensive, 6 Defensive, 4 Freshman)*

*-Swept the MW weekly awards on November 14, the 2nd time all-time that UNM has swept the awards both times occurring under Coach Newman-Gonchar*

*-Led the MW in digs, digs per set and in opp. hitting % in 2022*

*-In conference matches in 2022, led the MW in digs (1146) and digs per set (16.14), 2nd in the MW in opponent hitting % (.188) and blocks (175) and blocks per set (2.46).*

*-7 All-Conference selections (2 in 2023, 2 in 2022, 1 in Spring 2021, 2 in 2021, 1 honorable mention in 2019)*

*-10 semesters in a row over in which the team posts a 3.4 GPA or better 5-time AVCA All-Academic Award*

*-Reached 65th in the RPI on Oct. 3, 2022, the highest RPI under Coach Newman-Gonchar*

Jon Newman-Gonchar became the 10th head volleyball coach at the University of New Mexico on Jan. 21, 2019.

The Lobos have sustained success under Newman-Gonchar and have made the MW Tournament each of the past two years that it has been held. The Lobos have achieved a winning record in each of the last 3 years (56-34, 62.2%) with 20 wins in 2021 the most for the program since 2013. Finishing 2023 at 19-12 overall and 10-8 in MW play, Newman-Gonchar moved up to No. 3 among UNM coaches (tenured five or more seasons) in winning percentage (.530) and No. 2 in conference win percentage (.453) since the Lobos joined the Mountain West.

This past season, the Lobos led the MW in digs, digs per set and in opp. hitting %, and in conference matches, led the MW in digs (1146) and digs per set (16.14), 2nd in the MW in opponent hitting % (.188) and blocks (175) and blocks per set (2.46). UNM finished 54th in the NCAA in total digs (1830) and 64th in digs per set (15.64).

The Lobo head coach has served under renowned volleyball coaches such as Arkansas's Jason Watson, Iowa State's Christy Johnson-Lynch and former Loyola Marymount coach, USA Women's National Team assistant and current Georgia head coach Tom Black. Newman-Gonchar took over at the helm of the Lobos after serving as the associate head coach at the University of Arkansas for the previous three seasons. In his last season in Fayetteville, a pair of Razorbacks earned AVCA All-South Region honors, giving Arkansas

### THE JNG FILE

#### Education

Northern Arizona

2001-2005

#### Career UNM Coaching Record (Year-By-Year)

Year	Record	MW (FINISH)	Win Pct.
2019-20	11-19	6-12 (8th)	.367
2020-21	4-10	4-10 (10th)	.286
2021-22	20-10	11-7 (5th)	.667
2022-23	17-12	8-10 (T-5th)	.586
2023-24	19-12	10-8 (T-4th)	.613
2024-25	11-13	4-10	.409
<b>CAREER</b>	<b>82-76 (6 yrs)</b>	<b>43-57</b>	<b>.513</b>

at least one All-Region honor in each of his three seasons with the program. The year prior, the Razorbacks went 19-11.

"I'm excited to welcome Jon and have him be our head volleyball coach," said Eddie Nuñez, Director of Athletics. "We wanted someone with a wide breadth of experience and someone that will bring excitement and championships to Lobo Volleyball. Jon has been at all levels of Division I and he has tremendous national team experience. We look forward to having Jon and his wife Morgan join the Lobo family."

Prior to Arkansas, Newman-Gonchar was an assistant coach at Iowa State in Ames. With the Cyclones, the program went 56-31 overall, including 32-16 in Big 12 play. Iowa State defeated five ranked teams over those three seasons, finished as high as second in the Big 12, and advanced to the second round of the NCAA Tournament twice. Individually, Newman-Gonchar coached his student-athletes to four AVCA All-America certificates, six AVCA All-Region honors and 18 All-Big 12 selections including a trio of Big 12 Libero of the Year honors and the 2015 Big 12 Freshman of the Year. In his three seasons at Iowa State, he worked directly with the team's setters and middle blockers.

Newman-Gonchar has also had assistant coaching stops at Loyola Marymount (2010-12) and UC San Diego with both the men's and women's teams (2007-09) and Louisiana-Lafayette (2006). He also has been an assistant coach with the Thompson Rivers University men's volleyball team in British Columbia, and he was a volunteer assistant coach at his alma mater Northern Arizona.

A native of Claremont, Calif., Newman-Gonchar earned his bachelor's degree in health sciences in December 2005 from Northern Arizona. He and his wife Morgan have two children, Hudson and Grayson.



# 2024 NEW MEXICO ROSTER

## NUMERICAL ROSTER

#	NAME	POS.	HT.	YR.	HOMETOWN (PREV. SCHOOL)
1	Reagan Miller	MB	6-1	Fr.	Birmingham, Ala. (Hoover HS)
2	Marian Hatch	S	5-7	Fr.	Rio Rancho, N.M. (Cleveland S)
3	Giselle Groe	L	5-5	So.	Torrance, Calif. (Mater Dei HS)
4	Lauryn Payne	OH	5-11	Jr.	Leesburg, Va. (Riverside HS)
5	Amanda Tremmeroli	OH	6-0	Fr.	Phoenix, Ariz. (Pinnacle HS)
6	Madison Blanco	L	5-7	R-Sr.	El Paso, Texas (Franklin HS)
9	Angela Crosetti	L	5-6	R-Sr.	Sherman Oaks, Calif. (Inst. Oriente de Puebla)
11	Sohila Wafeek	S	5-9	Gr.	Cairo, Egypt (UIC / Al Gomhorya HS)
12	Seenane Brewer	OH	5-10	Fr.	Lawrence, Kan. (Lawrence HS)
13	Zoe Leonard	MB	6-2	Fr.	Phoenix, Ariz. (Arcadia HS)
16	Madeleine Miller	S	6-1	So.	Shueyville, Iowa (Mount Vernon HS)
18	Naomi Chankoumi	OH	5-11	Jr.	Houston, Texas (CSUB / Cypress Springs HS)
19	Elizabeth Woods	MB	6-2	Sr.	Rowlett, Texas (Sachse HS)
21	Jada Bouyer	OH	5-9	Gr.	Liberty Township, OH (Toledo / Lakota East HS)
22	Liepa Lavickyte	MB	6-1	R-Sr.	Sandnes, Norway (Oregon St. / Toppovolley)
23	Falanika Danielson	L	5-5	Gr.	Ewa Beach, Hawaii (Temple / Mililani HS)
24	Kialah Jefferson	OH	5-10	Sr.	Prosper, Texas (VCU / Prosper HS)

## COACHING STAFF

**HEAD COACH:** Jon Newman-Gonchar  
(6th season, Northern Arizona 2005)

**ASSISTANT COACH:** April Sanchez  
(6th year, Colorado Mesa 2011)

**ASSISTANT COACH:** Matt Kuelpman  
(2nd year, LMU 2015)

**DIRECTOR OF OPERATIONS:** Nick Ziegelmann  
(1st year, Washington St. 2019)

## PRONUNCIATIONS

1	<b>Reagan</b> Miller	Raygen
2	<b>Marian</b> Hatch	Mary-in
3	<b>Giselle</b> Groe	Ja-zell grow
5	<b>Amanda</b> Tremmeroli	Tremor-roll-ee
11	<b>Sohila</b> Wafeek	So-hee-luh Whah-feek
12	<b>Seenane</b> Brewer	Se-nun-lee
16	<b>Madeleine</b> Miller	Maduhline
18	<b>Naomi</b> Chankoumi	Nay-owe-mi Shan-koomy
21	<b>Jada</b> Bouyer	Jay-duh Boy-er
22	<b>Liepa</b> Lavickyte	Lee-aye-pa La-vee-skee-tah
23	<b>Falanika</b> Danielson	Fall-a-neeka
24	<b>Kialah</b> Jefferson	Kye-lah (Like Eye)





# 2024 LOBOS STATISTICS

## Game Records

Overall	Conference	Home	Away	Neutral
11 - 13	4 - 10	6 - 5	3 - 7	2 - 1

## Team Box Score

#	Player	SP	Attack					Set		Serve			Dig		Blocking					PTS		
			K	K/S	E	TA	PCT	A	A/S	SA	SE	SA/S	RE	DIG	DIG/S	BS	BA	TOT/S	BLK/S		BE	BHE
1	Miller, Reagan	32	18	0.56	10	61	.131	0	0.00	0	0	0.00	1	4	0.13	3	8	11	0.34	1	0	25.0
3	Groe, Giselle	85	1	0.01	0	3	.333	9	0.11	8	10	0.09	15	150	1.76	0	1	1	0.01	0	0	9.5
4	Payne, Lauryn	94	300	3.19	154	981	.149	4	0.04	0	3	0.00	30	63	0.67	6	29	35	0.37	4	1	320.5
6	Blanco, Madison	71	0	0.00	0	0	.000	9	0.13	14	5	0.20	18	113	1.59	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	14.0
9	Crossetti, Angela	15	0	0.00	0	1	.000	4	0.27	3	8	0.20	2	20	1.33	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	3.0
11	Wafeek, Sohila	59	0	0.00	1	2	-.500	194	3.29	4	15	0.07	1	50	0.85	0	0	0	0.00	1	1	4.0
12	Brewer, Seemane	29	44	1.52	29	130	.115	3	0.10	0	3	0.00	8	23	0.79	0	3	3	0.10	1	0	45.5
16	Miller, Madeleine	96	48	0.50	16	118	.271	718	7.48	24	17	0.25	3	223	2.32	2	23	25	0.26	2	1	85.5
18	Chankourni, Naomi	63	92	1.46	56	267	.135	4	0.06	0	0	0.00	0	25	0.40	1	31	32	0.51	3	0	108.5
19	Woods, Elizabeth	96	152	1.58	64	396	.222	7	0.07	18	25	0.19	1	74	0.77	16	86	102	1.06	7	2	229.0
21	Bouyer, Jada	93	213	2.29	69	629	.229	1	0.01	0	2	0.00	0	68	0.73	5	68	73	0.78	5	1	252.0
22	Lavickyte, Liepa	75	58	0.77	21	174	.213	4	0.05	0	0	0.00	1	30	0.40	10	90	100	1.33	5	1	113.0
23	Danielson, Falanika	96	0	0.00	0	7	.000	86	0.90	21	23	0.22	20	396	4.13	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	21.0
24	Jefferson, Kialah	90	228	2.53	127	712	.142	25	0.28	26	37	0.29	40	254	2.82	7	34	41	0.46	11	1	278.0
NEW MEXICO		96	1154	12.02	547	3481	.174	1068	11.13	118	148	1.23	166	1493	15.55	50	373	236.5	2.46	40	8	1,508.5
Opponents		96	1330	13.85	598	3720	.197	1222	12.73	166	199	1.73	118	1514	15.77	56	366	239	2.49	44	5	1,735.0

## Team statistics

	UNM	OPP
<b>ATTACK</b>		
Kills	1154	1130
Errors	547	598
Total Attacks	3481	3720
Attack Pct	.174	.197
Kills/Set	12.02	13.85
<b>SET</b>		
Assists	1068	1222
Attempts	3453	3661
Assist Pct	.306	.334
Assists/Set	11.13	12.73
<b>SERVE</b>		
Aces	118	166
Errors	148	199
Attempts	713	721
Serve Pct	.800	.810
Aces/Set	1.23	1.73
<b>SERVE RECEPTIONS</b>		
Errors	166	118
Errors/Set	1.73	1.23
Attempts	2022	1961
Reception Pct	.918	.969
<b>DEFENSE</b>		
Digs/Set	14.93	15.14
Digs	15.55	15.77
<b>BLOCKING</b>		
Block solo	10	56
Block Assist	373	366
Total Blocks	236.5	239
Blocks/Set	2.46	2.49
Block Errors	40	44
Ball handling errors	8	5
<b>ATTENDANCE</b>		
Total	6883	6546
Dates/avg Per Date	11/608	10/655
Neutral Site #/avg	3/96	-
Current win streak	0	-
Home win streak	0	-

## Team Results

Date	Opponent	Score	Score by set	Att.
06/01/2024	Tulane	W 3-1	16-25, 26-18, 25-23, 25-23	440
06/08/2024	North Dakota	W 3-2	22-25, 25-27, 25-28, 26-15, 12-12	714
06/11/2024	UC Irvine	L 0-3	16-25, 14-25, 18-25	650
06/15/2024	vs Kansas City	W 3-0	25-22, 25-21, 25-22	89
06/16/2024	vs Howard	W 3-1	25-22, 26-24, 23-25, 25-15	91
06/17/2024	at Revolution Christian	W 3-1	25-21, 22-25, 25-22, 25-20	213
06/22/2024	at Northern Ariz.	L 2-3	22-25, 11-25, 25-20, 25-22, 11-15	707
06/23/2024	vs Tarleton St.	L 1-3	18-25, 25-18, 23-25, 25-28	109
06/27/2024	New Mexico St.	W 3-1	25-19, 20-25, 25-23, 25-21	1387
06/28/2024	at New Mexico St.	W 3-0	25-18, 25-21, 25-13	413
* 06/29/2024	UNLV	L 1-3	22-25, 17-25, 25-22, 16-25	679
* 06/29/2024	San Diego St.	W 3-2	25-22, 27-25, 24-26, 14-25, 16-14	802
* 10/1/2024	at Air Force	W 3-2	25-21, 24-26, 25-23, 23-25, 15-13	345
* 10/05/2024	at Boise St.	L 0-3	17-25, 17-25, 15-25	1109
* 10/10/2024	at Utah St.	L 1-3	24-24, 15-25, 11-25, 23-25	839
* 10/12/2024	at Nevada	L 1-3	21-25, 25-27, 23-25, 25-28	794
* 10/17/2024	San Jose St.	L 1-3	15-25, 18-25, 25-23, 25-27	719
* 10/18/2024	Fresno St.	L 1-3	22-25, 25-31, 22-25, 25-31	666
* 10/24/2024	Colorado St.	L 1-3	17-25, 21-25, 19-25, 19-25	672
* 10/26/2024	at Wyoming	L 1-3	16-25, 25-18, 16-25, 18-25	1136
* 10/31/2024	at Fresno St.	L 0-3	23-25, 21-25, 14-25	423
* 11/02/2024	at San Jose St.	L 1-3	25-25, 21-25, 25-22, 13-25	351
* 11/07/2024	Nevada	W 3-1	25-27, 25-20, 25-17, 25-22	619
* 11/08/2024	Utah St.	W 3-2	18-25, 25-20, 18-25, 26-34, 33-11	949

match in program history and the most since 2018.

They were also the most in a single match by a MW player in a conference match this season. Two days later against the Aggies, Lavickyte came up with nine more to help UNM complete its first 2-0 week in conference play this season. She added 10 kills on .250 hitting (10-3-28) on the week, putting away an even five in both matches to finish with 20.5 points in total (2.28/s).

## LAST WEEK

The Lobos mounted a dramatic turnaround with a pair of much-needed victories last week, leading the league in team blocks per set (3.44/s) and opponent hitting percentage (.147) over the weekend while defeating Nevada on Thursday in four sets (25-27, 25-20, 25-12, 25-22) before rallying to knock off Utah State in five (18-25, 25-20, 18-25, 26-24, 15-11) two days later. It's their first undefeated week in conference play this season, improving them to 4-10 in conference play with four matches to go. The Lobos trailed 22-17 in the fourth set against Utah State before surging ahead late to force a fifth set that they won 15-11. They're now 4-1 in five-set matches and 3-0 in five sets in MW play.

UNM hit .205 on the week while holding the Wolfpack and Aggies to .147 hitting combined despite connecting on fewer kills than their opponent in both matches -- they held Nevada to .079 hitting on Thursday while hitting .211. Lauryn Payne and Kialah Jefferson led the Lobos in kills with 25 each (2.78/s) -- Jefferson posted two double-doubles last week to reach a team-leading 12 double-doubles on the season while serving four aces. The trio of Payne, Jefferson and Jada Bouyer (22 kills last week) all notched double-digit kills in both matches.

The Lobos averaged 12.11 kills per set and hit .205 as a team last week, with their best performance coming against Nevada, where they hit .211 on the match. Madeleine Miller and Sohila Wafeek combined for 76 of UNM's 96 assists across the nine sets while combining for 32 digs. Miller served up a team-high five aces to go with six kills -- all on Saturday -- without a single error on nine attempts, also notching her 10th and 11th double-doubles of the season. Falanika Danielson led the Lobos' defense in the back row with 33 total



**UNM snapped a nine-match losing streak last year with a pair of resilient wins over Nevada on Thursday and Utah State on Saturday.**

digs (3.67 per set), dishing out seven assists and serving up one ace.

## LOBOS ON THE BLOCK

UNM currently leads the Mountain West in blocks per set in conference matches (2.36) and have notched double-digit team blocks while outblocking opponents in three consecutive matches for the first time this season.

Elizabeth Woods, the team's senior middle blocker and lone returning starter from 2023, continues to anchor the Lobos at the net with a team-high 102 total blocks (16 BS, 86 BA) in 96 sets. Woods has posted five or more blocks in 11 matches this season and has hit above .300 in 10.

Liepa Lavickyte has been an important contributor since rejoining the starting lineup, tallying 100 total blocks (10 BS, 90 BA) on the season and earning MW Defensive Player of the Week honors after pacing the conference in blocks per set last week (2.36 per set). She's finished with multiple blocks in all but two matches so far this year and currently ranks No. 2 among Mountain West active leaders with 1.20 blocks per set on the season.

## JOHNSON CENTER IS BOOMING

The Lobos have seen an increase in attendance in each season since 2019 -- not counting the 2020-21 season that limited attendance due to the COVID pandemic -- and UNM's average attendance of 841 per home

game last season was its highest since 2016 (1,248) and highest of Newman-Gonchar's tenure. Saturday's Senior Day brought in 1,589 fans to the Johnson Center -- the highest-attended Lobo Volleyball game of the season. In 2023 overall (including three games at The Pit), the Lobos' average of 956 fans per game is the highest since 2016 -- including seven games with over 1,000 in attendance.

Through 11 home matches so far this season, UNM's averaged 808 fans a match, including a season-high 1,387 in attendance on Sept. 17 against New Mexico State -- the second-most attended Lobo Volleyball match in the last eight seasons and sixth-most in the last decade.

## NCAA/CONFERENCE STATS UPDATE

As of Nov. 11, UNM ranks among the Top 100 in NCAA Division I in three statistical categories:

- Blocks per Set: 57th nationally (2.46)
- Digs per Set: 85th nationally (15.55)
- Team Attacks per Set: 71st nationally (36.26)

Within the Mountain West Conference, the Lobos rank in the Top Five in four categories:

- Digs per Set: 1st (15.55)
- Blocks per Set: 4th (2.46)
- Opponent Hitting: 4th (.197)
- Team Attacks per Set: 1st (36.26)





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## Match Notes

### FIRST SERVE

- New Mexico Volleyball plays its final two home matches of the season at Johnson Center this week, hosting Air Force (3-22, 2-12 MW) tomorrow night as part of this week's Mountain West Tuesday Night Block Party event before taking on Boise State (16-9, 8-7 MW) on Thursday's Senior Day.
- The Lobos (11-13, 4-10 MW) got back on the winning track with a four-set win over Nevada that snapped a nine-match losing streak and followed with a five-set comeback win over Utah State on Saturday that snapped a five-match win streak for the Aggies. They'll be looking to keep rolling Tuesday against an Air Force team that they narrowly held off in five sets on the road in their first meeting in Colorado Springs on Oct. 1 (25-23, 24-26, 25-23, 23-25, 15-13).
- The Lobos leaned on a dominant blocking effort last week to take control down the stretch in both matches, leading the league in team blocks per set (3.44) and opponent hitting percentage (.147) last week -- they've notched double-digit team blocks and outblocked opponents in three consecutive matches for the first time

this season. All year, UNM has ranked among the best in the Mountain West at keeping rallies going -- the Lobos have held opponents to .197 hitting on the season so far and enter the week ranked in the Top 100 in the nation in digs per set (85th, 15.55), blocks per set (57th, 2.46) and attacks per set (71st, 36.26). They're leading the Mountain West in digs for a third consecutive season with 15.55 per set, nearly a dig per set more than No. 2 Boise State (14.66) -- and now lead the league in blocks per set in conference matches (2.36).

- The Lobos went 3-0 against both the Falcons and Broncos last season, dispatching Air Force in three sets at home in their lone meeting before sweeping the season series with the Broncos in Albuquerque and Boise. UNM defeated the Falcons in five but fell to the Broncos in straight sets in their meetings on the road earlier in the season.

### ALL-TIME SERIES

- The Lobos have dominated the all-time series against Air Force 45-7. But the Falcons have picked up four of those wins since 2017. UNM has won

7 of the last 10 against the Falcons and are 20-2 at home against them. UNM hasn't lost to AFA at home since 2019 and the Lobos are 6-3 against the Falcons under Coach Newman-Gonchar and 3-1 at home.

- UNM trails the all-time series with Boise State 12-14, with a 5-9 record in true road matches against Boise State. Coach Jon Newman-Gonchar is 3-6 in his tenure against the Broncos but has won three of the two teams' last six meetings.

- After losing eight of their last 10 matches to the Broncos heading into the 2023 season, the Lobos beat them both at home (9/30/23) and away (11/2/23) in four sets to sweep the season series for the first time since 2014. UNM is 6-4 at home and 1-0 in neutral-site matchups with Boise.

### LIEPA LAVICKYTE NAMED MW DEFENSIVE POTW

After leading the Lobos in blocks and recording the most block assists in a Mountain West game this season over a 2-0 week for New Mexico Volleyball, Liepa Lavickyte has been named Mountain West Defensive Player of the Week, the league announced Monday. Lavickyte led the league in blocks over UNM's 2-0 weekend with 21 block assists for a total of 2.33 blocks per set. The sophomore by way of Norway set a new career-high 12 block assists in UNM's victory over the Wolfpack on Thursday -- the third-most in a single

## 2024 AIR FORCE VOLLEYBALL ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Yr.	Hometown   High School   Previous School	Pronunciation
1	Savanah Johnson	RS	5-9	Jr.	Chula Vista, Calif.   Eastlake	--
2	Bella Christensen	OH	6-1	Fr.	Lake Stevens, Wash.   Lake Stevens   USAFA Prep	--
3	Alysa Walker	OH	5-8	Fr.	San Antonio, Texas   Keystone School	uh-lee-suh
5	Murphy Riggs	DS L	5-4	Sr.	High Point, N.C.   Southwest Guilford	--
6	Alex Hatchett	OPP	5-11	Jr.	Raleigh, N.C.   Cardinal Gibbons	--
7	Rory Powers	DS L	5-6	So.	Muncie, Ind.   Yorktown   USAFA Prep School	roar-ee
8	Lainie Stapleton	MB	6-4	Fr.	Jacksonville, Fla.   Beachside	--
9	Brooksie Isham	OH	5-11	Fr.	Salem, Ore.   South Salem   USAFA Prep School	eye-shum
10	Ashley Bible	OH	5-9	Jr.	Sebring, Fla.   Sebring	--
11	Mia Loyd	S	5-8	Fr.	Terre Haute, Ind.   Terre Haute South Vigo	mee-ah
12	Lauren Klingenberg	OH	5-10	So.	Winter Springs, Fla.   Winter Springs	--
13	Sophia Dasilva	DS L	5-7	So.	Boca Raton, Fla.   Boca	dah-silva
14	Annamaria Ramos	OH	5-9	So.	Henderson, Nev.   Basic Academy	--
15	Kiera King	S	5-9	Fr.	Palos Heights, Ill.   Lincoln Way Central	keer-uh
16	Ella Tschuor	OH	6-2	Sr.	Littleton, Colo.   Chatfield Senior	shore
17	Ellie Eichhorn	S	5-11	Sr.	Sacramento, Calif.   St. Francis Catholic	eye-corn
18	Greta Hans	S	5-8	Jr.	Marietta, Ga.   Walton	hahns
21	Mekayla Dedo	OH	5-10	Sr.	Pittsburgh, Pa.   Hempfield Area   USAFA Prep	dead-oh
22	Anna Leahy	OPP	6-4	So.	Charlotte, N.C.   Myers Park	lay-he
23	Jordan Suan	DS L	5-4	Jr.	Gilbert, Ariz.   Perry	swan
25	Mac Russ	MB	6-0	Sr.	Colorado Springs, Colo.   Marvin Ridge (N.C.)	--
44	Grace Fiaseu	MB RS	6-0	Fr.	Ewa Beach, Hawaii   Punahou School   USAFA Prep	fee-uh-soh

**HEAD COACH:** Macey Donathan | First Season

**ASSISTANT COACH:** Rachel Stallman | First Season

**ASSISTANT COACH:** Taylor Stallman | First Season

**ASSISTANT COACH:** Claire Felix | First Season

# 2024 AIR FORCE STATISTICS

## Game Records

Overall	Conference	Home	Away	Neutral
3 - 22	2 - 12	3 - 8	0 - 10	0 - 4

## Team Box Score

#	Player	SP	Attack					Set		Serve			RE	Dig			Blocking					PTS
			K	K/S	E	TA	PCT	A	A/S	SA	SE	SA/S		DIG	DIG/S	BS	BA	TOT/S	BLK/S	BE	BHE	
3	Walker, Alysa	40	2	0.05	5	25	120	0	0.00	0	3	0.00	4	38	0.95	0	2	2	0.05	0	0	3.0
6	Hatchett, Alex	62	55	0.89	17	170	224	4	0.06	0	0	0.00	0	18	0.29	4	37	41	0.66	3	0	77.5
7	Powers, Rory	1	0	0.00	0	0	000	0	0.00	0	0	0.00	0	1	1.00	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	0.0
8	Stapleton, Laine	14	11	0.79	3	31	258	0	0.00	0	0	0.00	0	2	0.14	0	12	12	0.86	0	0	17.0
9	Isham, Brooksie	27	30	1.11	26	114	035	1	0.04	0	0	0.00	0	14	0.52	0	14	14	0.52	6	0	37.0
10	Bible, Ashley	88	205	2.33	127	653	119	8	0.09	21	56	0.24	27	152	1.73	11	22	33	0.38	0	0	248.0
11	Loyd, Mia	88	9	0.10	2	40	175	430	4.89	22	38	0.25	1	168	1.91	0	3	3	0.03	1	1	32.5
13	Dasilva, Sophia	40	0	0.00	0	2	000	8	0.20	0	3	0.00	8	38	0.95	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	0.0
14	Ramos, Annamaria	62	96	1.55	64	329	097	6	0.10	2	1	0.03	7	46	0.74	1	24	25	0.40	6	0	111.0
15	King, Kiera	2	0	0.00	1	1	1000	1	0.50	0	0	0.00	0	3	1.50	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	0.0
16	Tschuor, Ella	87	224	2.57	118	738	144	8	0.09	14	18	0.16	22	82	0.94	4	29	33	0.38	4	0	256.5
17	Eichhorn, Ellie	32	1	0.03	1	12	000	125	3.91	4	6	0.13	1	42	1.31	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	5.0
18	Hans, Greta	53	15	0.28	1	35	400	189	3.57	9	34	0.17	1	81	1.53	0	0	0	0.00	1	0	24.0
21	Dedo, Mekayla	59	96	1.63	76	325	062	6	0.10	5	9	0.08	13	53	0.90	1	17	18	0.31	6	0	110.5
22	Leahy, Anna	36	46	1.28	25	147	143	2	0.06	0	0	0.00	0	10	0.28	7	20	27	0.75	4	0	63.0
23	Suan, Jordan	84	2	0.02	2	12	000	65	0.77	16	18	0.19	31	321	3.82	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	18.0
25	Russ, Mac	12	23	1.92	2	46	457	0	0.00	0	0	0.00	0	3	0.25	1	9	10	0.83	1	0	28.5
44	Fiasseu, Grace	88	147	1.67	37	351	313	15	0.17	17	34	0.19	1	44	0.50	10	73	83	0.94	4	0	210.5
AIR FORCE		88	962	10.93	507	3031	150	868	9.86	110	220	1.25	130	1116	12.68	39	262	170	1.93	36	1	1,242.0
Opponents		88	1226	13.93	458	3021	254	1115	12.67	130	186	1.48	110	1318	14.98	35	405	237.5	2.70	36	3	1,593.5

## Team statistics

	USAFA	GPP
ATTACK		
Kills	662	1226
Errors	607	450
Total Attacks	3031	3021
Attack Pct	350	254
Kills/Set	10.93	12.93
SET		
Assists	868	1115
Attempts	3687	2965
Assist Pct	380	376
Assists/Set	9.86	12.67
SERVE		
Aces	130	130
Errors	220	106
Attempts	1775	2060
Serve Pct	876	911
Aces/Set	1.25	1.48
SERVE RECEPTIONS		
Errors	130	110
Errors/Set	1.48	1.25
Attempts	1612	1555
Reception Pct	832	869
DEFENSE		
Digs	1116	1310
Digs/Set	12.68	14.98
BLOCKING		
Block solo	38	35
Block Assist	362	405
Total Blocks	370	237.5
Blocks/Set	3.91	2.70
Block Errors	36	36
Ball handling errors	3	3
ATTENDANCE		
Total	5654	6165
Dates/Avg Per Date	11/459	10/917
Neutral Site W/L	4/136	-
Current win streak	0	-
Home win streak	0	-

## Team Results

Date	Opponent	Score	Score-by-set	Ass.
08/01/0024	Fort Hays	W 3-0	25-11-25-20-25-18	387
08/03/0024	South Dakota	L 0-3	20-25-20-25-23-25	373
08/05/0024	vs OIA	L 0-3	23-25-22-25-15-25	159
08/06/0024	at UTSP	L 0-3	16-25-18-25-18-25	1424
08/07/0024	vs Southwestern La.	L 0-3	16-25-17-25-17-25	159
08/08/0024	Denver	L 1-3	25-22-23-25-18-25-18-25	315
08/12/0024	at Denver	L 0-3	23-25-25-24-26	256
08/13/0024	vs Northern Colo.	L 1-3	19-25-25-18-22-25-24-26	321
08/14/0024	at Saint Mary's (CA)	L 0-3	23-25-22-25-14-25	114
08/15/0024	at San Francisco	L 0-3	13-25-26-25-18-25	388
08/16/0024	vs Seattle U	L 0-3	18-25-26-28-25-27	44
* 08/24/0024	San Diego St.	L 1-3	25-18-13-26-25-13-25	450
* 08/28/0024	UNLV	W 3-1	25-23-26-25-25-21-25-21	582
* 08/30/0024	New Mexico	L 2-3	23-25-26-24-23-25-25-23-13-15	345
* 09/03/0024	at Boise St.	L 1-3	17-25-25-21-16-25-23-25	1282
* 09/08/0024	at Nevada	L 0-3	18-25-15-25-15-25	789
* 09/12/0024	at Utah St.	L 0-3	18-25-15-25-18-25	640
* 09/17/0024	Fresno St.	L 0-3	23-25-20-25-21-25	315
* 09/18/0024	San Jose St.	L 1-3	18-25-25-23-24-26-18-25	745
* 09/24/0024	Wyoming	L 1-3	29-27-23-25-18-25-25-27	739
* 09/26/0024	at Colorado St.	L 0-3	14-25-16-25-17-25	3305
* 09/30/0024	at San Jose St.	L 2-3	17-25-14-25-26-24-25-18-13-15	425
* 10/02/0024	at Fresno St.	L 0-3	23-25-15-25-17-25	421
* 10/07/0024	Utah St.	L 1-3	24-28-14-25-25-20-18-25	697
* 10/08/0024	Nevada	W 3-1	25-23-25-22-17-25-25-22	315



	UNM	BSU	AF
Overall	11-13	16-9	3-22
Conference	4-10	8-5	2-12
Home	6-5	7-3	3-8
Away	3-7	4-5	0-10
Neutral	2-1	5-1	0-4
In 3 Sets	2-5	4-6	1-15
In 4 Sets	3-4	4-2	1-5
In 5 Sets	4-4	5-1	1-2
SP	96	95	88
Kills (K)	1154	1235	962
K/S	12.02	13.00	10.93
Errors (E)	547	490	507
Total Attacks	3481	3427	3031
Hitting Pct	.174	.217	.150
Assists (A)	1068	1154	868
A/S	11.13	12.15	9.86
Aces (SA)	118	198	110
Errors (SE)	148	154	220
SA/S	1.23	2.08	1.25
RE	166	89	130
Digs	1493	1393	1116
Digs/S	15.55	14.66	12.68
Block Solos	50	30	39
Block Assists	373	396	262
Total Blocks	236.5	228	170
Blocks/S	2.46	2.40	1.93
Points	1,508.5	1,661.0	1,242.0

## VS. AIR FORCE ALL-TIME Series Record: 45-7 H: 22-2 A: 21-5 N: 2-0 (LAST 20 MATCHES)

9/19/13	W	3-1	A
11/20/13	W	3-0	H
11/25/14	W	3-0	H
10/27/15	W	3-0	H
9/24/15	W	3-1	A
9/22/16	W	3-0	H
10/22/16	W	3-0	A
11/15/17	L	3-2	A
9/30/18	W	3-2	A
10/27/18	W	3-1	H
10/26/19	L	3-0	H
11/21/19	W	3-0	A
2/26/21	L	3-1	A
2/27/21	W	3-2	A
9/21/21	W	3-0	H
11/16/21	W	3-2	A
11/4/22	W	3-1	H
11/1/22	L	3-2	A
11/2/23	W	3-0	H
10/1/24	W	3-2	A

## VS. BOISE STATE ALL-TIME Series Record: 12-14 H: 5-4 A: 5-10 N: 1-0 (LAST 20 MATCHES)

11/7/13	W	3-1	H
10/4/14	W	3-0	H
10/30/14	W	3-1	A
11/21/15	L	3-1	A
9/24/16	L	3-2	H
10/20/16	L	3-0	A
9/28/17	L	3-1	H
10/28/17	W	3-1	A
9/22/18	L	3-0	A
10/10/19	L	3-1	H
11/9/19	L	3-0	A
3/5/21	L	3-0	A
3/6/21	L	3-0	A
10/9/21	W	3-1	H
11/4/21	L	3-0	A
9/22/22	L	3-2	A
11/19/22	L	3-2	H
9/30/23	W	3-1	H
11/2/23	W	3-1	A
10/5/24	L	3-0	a