

NOTES:

Team

- No. 13 Penn State pushed past Cal-Baptist in four sets (26-24,25-16,23-25,26-24) Friday evening.
- The Nittany Lions improve their overall season record to 13-7.
- Four different Nittany Lions posted double figure kills to secure tonight's match. Senior Chris Nugent tallied 16 kills to lead the team, followed by redshirt freshman Calvin Mende with 13 kills. Redshirt junior Aidan Albrecht finished third with 11 kills and redshirt junior Kevin Gear finished fourth with 10 kills.
- Penn State out-blocked Cal-Baptist 11.5 to 11.0, with multi-block performances by five different Nittany Lions. Redshirt Matt Callaway led the blocking unit with five blocks. Redshirt freshman Calvin Mende and redshirt junior Kevin Gear tied to finish second on the team with four blocks apiece.
- The Nittany Lions out-aced the Lancers 7-6 thanks to five service aces from redshirt junior Jalen Penrose, marking both a personal and team-high in aces for the season.
- Redshirt junior Aidan Albrecht recorded a double-double with 11 kills and 11 digs.

Series

- Penn State moves to a 3-1 advantage in the all-time series against Cal-Baptist.

Players

Chris Nugent, senior outside hitter: Nugent led the offense with 16 kills to go along with six digs, two blocks and an ace.

Calvin Mende, redshirt freshman opposite: Mende finished second on the team with 13 kills and added four blocks, two digs and two assists.

Aidan Albrecht, redshirt junior opposite: Albrecht charted 11 kills and a team-high 11 digs, registering the only double-double performance of the match.

Luke Braswell, redshirt freshman setter: Braswell passed out 42 assists, pacing the team to .310 hitting.

Kevin Gear, redshirt junior middle blocker: Gear put down 10 kills on 20 errorless swings to finish fourth on the team.

Matt Callaway, redshirt senior middle blocker: Callaway led the defense posting five blocks including one solo stop.

Jalen Penrose, redshirt junior outside hitter: Penrose served up five aces from the service line, marking a personal best and team-high for the season.