



# PENN STATE MEN'S VOLLEYBALL

## TWO-TIME NATIONAL CHAMPIONS

31 EIVA CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIPS | 27 EIVA CHAMPIONSHIP TITLES

### 2015 SCHEDULE & RECORD

**Overall:** 20-9 (Home: 11-2, Away: 8-6, Neutral: 1-1)  
**EIVA:** 12-0 (Home: 6-0, Away: 6-0)

#### JANUARY

##### Outrigger Invitational (8-9)

1/8 vs. UC Irvine	L, 3-2
1/9 at Hawaii	L, 3-0
1/16 at Ball State	L, 3-2
1/17 at IPFW	L, 3-1
1/23 vs. Loyola	L, 3-1
1/24 vs. Lewis	L, 3-1
1/30 vs. Mount Olive	W, 3-0
1/31 vs. Saint Francis*	W, 3-0

#### FEBRUARY

2/6 vs. Erskine	W, 3-0
2/7 PSU Alumni Match	N/A
2/11 at Ohio State	L, 3-0
2/14 vs. George Mason*	W, 3-0
2/20 at Lewis	L, 3-1
2/21 at Loyola	L, 3-1
2/27 at Sacred Heart*	W, 3-0
2/28 at Harvard*	W, 3-1

#### MARCH

3/10 at USC	W, 3-0
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##### Asics Tournament at LBSU (13-14)

3/13 at Cal State Northridge	W, 3-0
3/14 at Long Beach State	W, 3-0
3/21 vs. Ohio State	W, 3-2
3/27 vs. Princeton*	W, 3-0
3/28 vs. NJIT*	W, 3-2

#### APRIL

4/4 at George Mason*	W, 3-0
4/10 vs. Harvard*	W, 3-2
4/11 vs. Sacred Heart*	W, 3-1
4/17 at Princeton*	W, 3-1
4/18 at NJIT*	W, 3-0
4/25 at Saint Francis	W, 3-0
4/29 EIVA Semifinals (Princeton)	W, 3-0

#### MAY

5/1 EIVA Finals (George Mason)	W, 3-0
5/5 NCAA Play-in	TEAM
5/7 NCAA Semifinals	Palo Alto, Calif.
5/9 NCAA Finals	Palo Alto, Calif.

Home matches played at Rec Hall in CAPS • All times EST and subject to change • \* Indicates EIVA match • # indicates match will be aired on TV

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## WEEK 16: NCAA POST SEASON - PLAY IN

Tuesday, May 5 2015 | Stanford, Calif. - Maples Pavilion

**NO. 5 PENN STATE** (20-9, 12-0)



**NO. 4 HAWAII** (25-6, 18-4)

**NITTANY LIONS**



**Record:** 20-9  
**EIVA:** 12-0  
**AVCA Poll Rank:** #7  
**Head coach:** Mark Pavlik  
**Overall Record:** 502-151

#### GAME DAY DETAILS

**Location:** Stanford, Calif. (Maples Pavilion)  
**Live Stats/Video:** GoStanford.com  
**Radio:** WRSC FM 103.1  
**Twitter:** @PennStateVBALL



**RAINBOW WARRIOR BREAKDOWN**

**Record:** 25-6  
**MPSF:** 18-4  
**AVCA Poll Rank:** #3  
**Head coach:** Charlie Wade  
**Last Outing/Result:** 1-9-15/UH 3-0

### FIRST SERVE

» After earning the No. 5 seed heading into NCAA post season play, Penn State is set to square off against No. 4 Hawaii in the second of two play-in matches Tuesday, May 5 at 11 p.m. ET in Stanford, Calif. at Maples Pavilion.

» Should the Nittany Lions defeat the Rainbow Warriors, Penn State will move on to meet top-ranked Lewis in the NCAA national semifinals Thursday, May 7. The first play-in match features No. 3 seed Loyola Chicago and No. 6 seed Pfeiffer with the winner advancing to the national semifinals to take on No. 2 UC Irvine.

» In addition to an outing earlier this season, Hawaii holds an 14-8 advantage in the all-time series, including a 2-1 lead in NCAA tournament matches against PSU. While the two teams have never met in play-in match, Penn State and Hawaii squared off in the NCAA tournament in 1995, 1996 and most recently in 2002. All of UH's wins from the 2002 season were later vacated.

» Penn State swept past both Princeton and George Mason last week to capture its 27th overall and 17th consecutive EIVA Championship to earn the conference's automatic bid to NCAA post season play. Three-time EIVA Player of the Year Aaron Russell earned EIVA All-Tournament MVP honors, while redshirt senior Connor Curry and sophomore Chris Nugent joined him on the All-Tournament team.

» PSU swept past Saint Francis in three sets to wrap up a perfect mark in EIVA regular season action at 12-0. Penn State's unblemished record marks the third time in the last five years that PSU has gone unbeaten in conference play during the regular season.

» Head coach Mark Pavlik earned his 500th career victory in the 2015 regular season finale on the road at Saint Francis. He's collected all 500+ wins while at the helm of the PSU program.

» Penn State earned a total of five EIVA postseason honors. Senior Aaron Russell highlighted the group with Uvaldo Acosta Memorial Player of the Year honors, while Mark Pavlik earned Bob Sweeney EIVA Coach of the Year Honors. Russell and redshirt senior Connor Curry earned first team honors, while redshirt senior Nick Goodell and redshirt junior Taylor Hammond were second team honorees.

» Russell joined José Quiñones (2000-02) as the only Penn State men's volleyball student-athletes to repeat as EIVA Player of the Year in three consecutive seasons. He's also the 16th conference player of the year selection in Nittany Lion program history.

» The Nittany Lions clinched their 31st EIVA/ECVL regular season title in program history two weeks ago with a pair of wins against Harvard and Sacred Heart.

» Penn State has remained solid at No. 7 in the AVCA Top 15 Coaches Poll. PSU has been in the top 15 the last seven consecutive weeks since spending a month receiving votes. The Nittany Lions saw a total of 11 ranked teams during the regular season.

» PSU is still slotted sixth in the latest release of the RPI rankings. The Nittany Lions are one of two EIVA teams represented in the RPI top 20, with Harvard (19), George Mason (21), Princeton (27), Sacred Heart (30), Saint Francis (31), and NJIT (34) all coming in behind PSU.

» Penn State is ranked among the top 10 nationally in kills per set, averaging 13.01, which is slated seventh in the country and leads the EIVA. Senior Aaron Russell's contributing a team-high 4.70 kills per set, which ranks second in the nation and first in the league. He's reached double figure kills in all but two matches this season.

» PSU is ranked in the top 15 nationally in digs per set, averaging 9.45, which is slotted 12th in the nation and second in the EIVA. Redshirt senior Connor Curry's leading the way with a team-high 2.49 digs per frame, which ranks seventh in the nation and first in the league. Curry's 1,027 digs also ranks second all-time on the PSU career record list.

» With 196 career aces, senior Aaron Russell leads all active NCAA players with the most aces. On the Penn State record list, he's ranked second all-time. On the year, Russell is averaging 0.57 aces per set, which ranks second nationally and second in the EIVA standings. As a team, Penn State's 1.50 aces per set ranks sixth nationally and second in the conference.

# PENN STATE MEN'S VOLLEYBALL

## PENN STATE AT A GLANCE

### THE UNIVERSITY

Location: ..... University Park, Pa. 16802  
 Founded: .....1855  
 Enrollment: ..... 44,112  
 Colors: ..... Blue & White  
 Nickname: ..... Nittany Lions  
 Men's Volleyball Conference: .....EIVA  
 President: .....Dr. Eric Barron  
 Director of Athletics: .....Sandy Barbour  
 Facility (capacity): ..... Rec Hall (5,812)

### VOLLEYBALL STAFF

Head Coach: ..... Mark Pavlik (21st season)  
 Alma Mater: ..... Penn State, 1982  
 Overall Record (Yrs/Pct): .....482-142 (20/.772)  
 School Record: .....same  
 Asst. Coaches: ..... Colin McMillan (8th season)  
 ..... Jay Hosack (6th season)  
 Office Phone: ..... (814) 863-7474  
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 Office Address: ..... 235 Rec Hall

### SEASON IN REVIEW

2014 Record: .....25-7  
 Home: 15-0 ..... Away: 7-6  
 Neutral: ..... 3-1  
 Conference record (finish): ..... 13-1 (1st)  
 Home: 7-0 ..... Away: 6-1  
 Final AVCA Ranking: .....No. 10  
 Postseason Play: .....NCAA national semifinal  
 Play-in Match: .....Win, 3-1 vs. Lewis  
 Nation Semifinal: ..... Lost, 3-2 at No. 1 Loyola

### THE HISTORY

First Year of Volleyball: .....1977  
 All-Time Record (Years): ..... 973-274-10  
 All-Time EIVA Record: .....276-13  
 EIVA Win Pct.: ..... .956 (.955)  
 EIVA/ECVL Championships ..... 30  
 EIVA Championship Titles ..... 26  
 NCAA Tournament Appearances ..... 29  
 NCAA National Titles .....1994 & 2008

## 2015 ROSTER

No.	Name	Yr.	Pos.	Ht.	Hometown/High School (College)
1	Taylor Hammond	RS-Jr.	S	6-4	Mission Viejo, Calif./Santa Margarita Cath.
2	Zack Parik	Jr.	S	6-4	Woodridge, Ill./Downers Grove North
3	Connor Curry	RS-Sr.	L	6-0	Newport Beach, Calif./Newport Harbor
4	Nick Goodell	RS-Sr.	OPP	6-4	Ambridge, Pa./Ambridge
5	Parker Thompson	Fr.	L	6-0	State College, Pa./State College
6	Royce Clemens	Fr.	L	6-1	York, Pa./Central York
7	Andrew Roberts	RS-So.	OPP	6-5	Grantville, Pa./Lower Dauphin
8	Aaron Russell	Sr.	OH	6-9	Ellicott City, Md./Centennial
9	Lee Smith	Fr.	OH	6-6	Sewickley, Pa./Ambridge
10	Chris Nugent	So.	OH	6-5	Fairlawn, N.J./Fairlawn
11	Spencer Sauter	RS-So.	OH	6-7	Woodridge, Ill./Naperville North
12	Kevin Gear	RS-Fr.	MB	6-8	Rochester, N.Y./Gates-Chili
13	Matthew McLaren	Fr.	OH	6-4	Aurora, Colo./Cherokee Trail
14	Jalen Penrose	RS-Fr.	OH	6-8	Cambridge, Mass./Cambridge Ridge & Latin
15	Aidan Albrecht	RS-Fr.	OH	6-6	Old Bridge, N.J. Old Bridge
17	Matt Callaway	RS-So.	MB	6-7	Wheaton, Ill./Wheaton Warrentonville South
18	Matt Seifert	RS-Jr.	MB	6-10	Reading, Pa./Exeter Township

**Head Coach:** Mark Pavlik (Penn State, 1982), 21st year  
**Assistant Coaches:** Jay Hosack (UC Santa Cruz, 1997) 6th year  
 Colin McMillan (Ohio State, 2000), 8th year  
 Scott Campbell (Penn State 2008), 2nd year  
**Athletic Trainer:**

## ALPHABETICAL

No.	Name	Yr.	Pos.	Ht.	SP	K/S	%	A/S	SA/S	D/S	B/S
15	Aidan Albrecht	RS-Fr.	OH	6-6	27	0.78	.174	0.07	0.11	0.22	0.81
17	Matt Callaway	RS-So.	MB	6-7	105	1.22	.339	0.09	0.03	0.38	0.83
6	Royce Clemens	Fr.	L	6-1	0	0.00	.000	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
3	Connor Curry	RS-Sr.	L	6-0	105	0.01	.333	0.56	0.00	2.49	0.00
12	Kevin Gear	RS-Fr.	MB	6-8	0	0.00	.000	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
4	Nick Goodell	RS-Sr.	OPP	6-4	87	3.05	.229	0.09	0.25	1.49	0.41
1	Taylor Hammond	RS-Jr.	S	6-4	104	0.14	.049	10.95	0.07	1.27	0.38
13	Matthew McLaren	Fr.	OH	6-4	0	0.00	.000	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
10	Chris Nugent	So.	OH	6-5	84	2.31	.256	0.07	0.31	1.26	0.40
2	Zack Parik	Jr.	S	6-4	71	0.00	.000	0.56	0.10	0.14	0.01
14	Jalen Penrose	RS-Fr.	OH	6-8	57	2.23	.184	0.05	0.23	0.88	0.37
7	Andrew Roberts	RS-So.	OPP	6-5	52	0.00	-1.000	0.00	0.08	0.01	0.00
8	Aaron Russell	Sr.	OH	6-9	105	4.70	.395	0.15	0.57	1.76	0.58
11	Spencer Sauter	RS-So.	OH	6-7	33	1.24	.131	0.09	0.09	1.42	0.45
18	Matt Seifert	RS-Jr.	MB	6-10	78	1.03	.311	0.06	0.12	0.26	0.64
9	Lee Smith	Fr.	OH	6-6	0	0.00	.000	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
5	Parker Thompson	Fr.	L	6-0	1	0.00	.000	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>PENN STATE TOTALS</b>					<b>105</b>	<b>13.01</b>	<b>.288</b>	<b>12.29</b>	<b>1.50</b>	<b>9.45</b>	<b>2.00</b>
<b>OPPONENT TOTALS</b>					<b>105</b>	<b>11.07</b>	<b>.249</b>	<b>10.49</b>	<b>0.99</b>	<b>7.44</b>	<b>2.36</b>

## PRONUNCIATIONS

Aidan ..... Aye-DEN  
 Albrecht ..... ALL-Breckt  
 Goodell ..... GUH-Dell  
 McLaren ..... Mick-lair-EN  
 Nugent ..... New-gent  
 Jalen ..... Jay-LEN  
 Sauter ..... SAW-ter  
 Seifert ..... Sigh-FERT  
 Pavlik ..... PAV-lik

## WHAT'S HAPPENING IN THE EIVA

### 2015 EIVA PRESEASON POLL

1. PENN STATE
2. Princeton
3. George Mason
4. Harvard
5. Saint Francis
6. NJIT
7. Sacred Heart

### 2015 EIVA REGULAR SEASON FINAL STANDINGS

Team	Conf.			Overall		
	W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.
<b>*PENN STATE%</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1.000</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>.667</b>
*Harvard	7	5	.583	13	11	.542
*Princeton	7	5	.583	14	12	.538
*George Mason	6	6	.500	11	12	.478
St. Francis (Pa.)	4	8	.333	6	20	.231
Sacred Heart	3	9	.250	12	13	.480
NJIT	3	9	.250	11	13	.458

\* indicates clinched playoff spot

% EIVA Champion

### Welcome to the EIVA!

The University of Charleston (W.Va.) men's volleyball program will join the Eastern Intercollegiate Volleyball Association (EIVA) beginning in the 2015-16 season, as announced by the conference. All seven of the current member institutions in the EIVA unanimously approved accepting the University of Charleston as a full member in men's volleyball effective May 20, 2015.

### 2015 HONORS

#### AARON RUSSELL

Uvaldo Acosta Memorial EIVA Player of the Year  
 First Team All-EIVA  
 EIVA Championship Most Outstanding Player (All-Tournament)  
 Outrigger Invitational All-Tournament (1/9)  
 Off the Block Preseason All-American  
 AVCA/Sports Imports DI-II National Player of the Week (3/16)  
 EIVA Offensive Player of the Week (2/2, 2/16, 3/23)  
 Asics Invitational MVP (3/14)

#### CONNOR CURRY

First Team All-EIVA  
 EIVA Championship All-Tournament team

#### NICK GOODELL

Second Team All-EIVA  
 Off the Block Preseason All-American  
 EIVA Defensive Player of the Week (1/21)

#### MATT CALLAWAY

EIVA Defensive Player of the Week (3/16)  
 Asics Invitational All-Tournament (3/14)

#### TAYLOR HAMMOND

Second Team All-EIVA  
 Asics Invitational All-Tournament (3/14)

#### CHRIS NUGENT

EIVA Championship All-Tournament team

### 2015 DOUBLE-DOUBLES

#### NICK GOODELL

1/16 at Ball State 15 kills, 14 digs

#### TAYLOR HAMMOND

1/23 vs. Loyola 14 digs, 47 assists

#### AARON RUSSELL

3/13 vs. CSUN 16 kills, 10 digs  
 3/21 vs. Ohio State 30 kills, 14 digs  
 3/28 vs. NJIT 26 kills, 15 digs

### NITTANY LIONS CAPTURE 17TH CONSECUTIVE EIVA CHAMPIONSHIP TITLE

Top-seeded Penn State swept past third-seeded George Mason in three sets (25-16, 25-17, 25-17) to capture its 27th overall and 17th consecutive EIVA Championship title. A trio of Nittany Lions led the offense with double figure kills. Senior EIVA Player of the Year Aaron Russell led the group with 15 kills on .619 hitting, adding six digs and two aces to earn EIVA Championship Most Outstanding Player honors. Sophomore Chris Nugent and senior Connor Curry also earned EIVA All-Tournament team honors.

### PENN STATE TOTALS FIVE ALL-EIVA POSTSEASON HONORS

Four Nittany Lions earned EIVA postseason honors. Senior Aaron Russell highlights the group with his third consecutive Uvaldo Acosta Memorial Player of the Year honor, making him just the second Nittany Lion in program history to earn the award three times. Additionally, head coach Mark Pavlik earned Bob Sweeney EIVA Coach of the Year honors. Redshirt senior Connor Curry and Russell each earned First Team All-EIVA honors, while redshirt senior Nick Goodell and redshirt junior Taylor Hammond earned second team accolades.

Russell joins José Quiñones (2000-02) as the only Penn State men's volleyball student-athletes to repeat as EIVA Player of the Year in three consecutive seasons. Russell's award is also the 16th time a Nittany Lion has been honored as the league's Player of the Year. The four All-EIVA honors brings Penn State's all-time number of conference selections to 198 since 1972. Pavlik's Coach of the Year laurel marks the fifth time he's been selected for the award, as was previously honored in 2007, 2008, 2009 and 2013.

### PAVLIK ACHIEVES CAREER MILESTONE

In his 21st year at the helm of the program, head coach Mark Pavlik reached the 500 career wins milestone with a 3-0 victory on the road at Saint Francis in the 2015 regular season finale. Pavlik has earned all 500 of his career victories while at Penn State.

### RUSSELL EARNS SECOND STRAIGHT EIVA OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE WEEK NOD

After guiding Penn State men's volleyball to its sixth consecutive win against Ohio State, senior Aaron Russell was named the EIVA Offensive Player of the Week. The honor is the second consecutive for Russell, who has collected the award a total of three times this season. He led the team with his second 30-kill performance of the season against the Buckeyes, totaling a match-high 30 kills on .458 hitting. He added 14 digs for his second double-double of the season to go along with three blocks and two aces.

### PENN STATE SWEEPS EIVA WEEKLY AWARDS

Following a 3-0 week on the road that featured a pair of wins against two top 10 teams, Penn State swept the EIVA Weekly Awards. Senior Aaron Russell was selected as the conference's Offensive Player of the Week, while redshirt sophomore Matt Callaway was named the Defensive Player of the Week.

Russell guided PSU to a 3-0 victory at No. 7 USC with 20 kills, hitting .720 with two errors on 25 swings. Against Cal State Northridge, he recorded his first double-double of the season with 16 kills and 10 digs. He capped off the week with 19 kills in a straight set win against No. 8 LBSU with a team-high 19 kills to go along with Asics Invitational MVP honors. Callaway led the team with 1.44 blocks per set during the week, totaling 13 blocks in the trio of wins. He highlighted the weekend with a career-high seven blocks in the win against the eighth-ranked 49ers. Offensively, he put down 13 kills on .458 hitting on the week. Callaway was also selected to the Asics Invitational All-Tournament team.

### RUSSELL NAMED AVCA/SPORTS IMPORTS DI-II NATIONAL PLAYER OF THE WEEK

Senior Aaron Russell earned AVCA Sports Imports DI-II National Player of the Week honors after leading PSU to an undefeated spring break trip with wins at No. 7 USC, CSUN and No. 8 LBSU. The honor is the first of Russell's career and the 15th time a Nittany Lion has been selected for the weekly award. Russell is the first Nittany Lion to earn the award since Joe Sunder was tabbed Player of the Week in 2011.

### THREE EARN ASICS INVITATIONAL ALL-TOURNAMENT TEAM HONORS

Three Nittany Lions earned Asics Invitational All-Tournament team honors after Penn State knocked off No. 8 Long Beach State to capture the event title. Redshirt junior Taylor Hammond and redshirt sophomore Matt Callaway earned Asics Invitational All-Tournament team honors, while senior Aaron Russell was named the Most Valuable Player.

Callaway led the team with 10 total blocks across both matches, matching a career-high mark with seven against the 49ers. Hammond set the team to a .244 hitting percentage, averaging 12.33 assists per set. Russell amassed 35 kills against both teams, highlighting the weekend with 19 kills on .414 hitting at LBSU.

### RUSSELL EARNS EIVA OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE WEEK

After helping the team to a pair of wins against Mount Olive and Saint Francis, senior Aaron Russell earned EIVA Offensive Player of the Week honors. The award is the first of the season for Russell. Russell led the team with 4.17 kills per set during the 2-0 week, averaging a squad-best .513 hitting percentage. Defensively, he finished second on the team in blocks per set (0.83), while also tying for second on the team in digs per set (1.83). Against Mount Olive, he tallied eight kills, eight digs and two aces in the 3-0 victory, before highlighting the weekend with a match-high 17 kills on .625 hitting against Saint Francis.

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## RECORD BOOK WATCH

### SINGLE SEASON

Aces		
##	Name	Year
79	Max Holt	2009
<b>71</b>	<b>AARON RUSSELL</b>	<b>2014</b>
<b>60</b>	<b>AARON RUSSELL</b>	<b>2015</b>
55	Max Holt	2007
51	Will Price	2009

### ALL-TIME

Aces		
##	Name	Year
207	Max Holt	2006-09
<b>196</b>	<b>AARON RUSSELL</b>	<b>2011-PRES.</b>
130	Zeljko Kolijsar	2000-03
126	Carlos Guerra	2000-03
108	Matt Proper	2003-06
107	Joe Sunder	2009-12
100	Will Prince	2006-08
99	Jose Quinones	2000-03
<b>95</b>	<b>NICK GOODELL</b>	<b>2010-PRES.</b>
88	Jason Kepner	1994-97
	Alex Gutaor	2004-07

### ALL-TIME

Digs		
##	Name	Year
1,260	Dennis Del Valle	2008-11
<b>1,027</b>	<b>CONNOR CURRY</b>	<b>2010-PRES.</b>
909	Ricky Mattei	2001-04

## PSU IN THE NATIONAL STANDINGS

### TEAM

Rank	Category	Stat
6	Assists Per Set	12.29
7	Kills Per Set	13.01
9	Hitting %	.288
12	Digs Per Set	9.45
6	Aces Per Set	1.50

### INDIVIDUAL

Category	Rank	Name	Stat
Points Per Set	2	Aaron Russell	5.65
Kills Per Set	2	Aaron Russell	4.70
Digs Per Set	7	Connor Curry	2.49
Assists Per Set	5	Taylor Hammond	10.95
Aces Per Set	2	Aaron Russell	0.57

## IN THE EIVA STANDINGS

### TEAM

Rank	Category	Stat
1	Assists Per Set	12.29
1	Kills Per Set	12.89
2	Digs Per Set	9.54
2	Hitting %	.277
4	Aces Per Set	1.45
4	Blocks Per Set	1.97

### INDIVIDUAL

Category	Rank	Name	Stat
Assists Per Set	1	Taylor Hammond	10.95
Kills Per Set	1	Aaron Russell	4.70
	8	Nick Goodell	3.05
Points Per Set	1	Aaron Russell	5.65
	9	Nick Goodell	3.54
Hitting %	5	Aaron Russell	.395
Aces Per Set	2	Aaron Russell	0.57
	9	Chris Nugent	0.31
Digs Per Set	1	Connor Curry	2.49
	8	Aaron Russell	1.76

## AVCA DI-II COACHES' POLL UPDATE: APRIL 20 (NEXT RELEASE MAY 4)

Penn State has remained solid at No. 7 in the AVCA Top 15 Coaches Poll. PSU has been in the top 15 the last seven consecutive weeks since spending a month receiving votes. The Nittany Lions saw a total of 11 ranked teams during the regular season.

## A CLOSER LOOK AT HAWAII

Penn State trails Hawaii 8-14 in the all-time series, having met the non-conference Rainbow Warriors fairly frequently during the regular season. While the two teams have never met in a post season play-in match, both Hawaii and PSU squared off in the 1995, 1996 and 2002 NCAA tournament. At 1-2 in tournament outings, the Nittany Lions claimed a 3-2 win in the 1995 matchup, but fell to the `Bows in three sets in 1996. PSU also lost to Hawaii in four sets in 2002, but the UH wins for the 2002 season were later vacated.

The Nittany Lions and the Rainbow Warriors met earlier this season in the 21st annual Outrigger Resorts Invitational, where Hawaii captured a 3-0 (26-24, 25-19, 25-18) win against Penn State. In the last five years, PSU and Hawaii have met in the Outrigger Invitational four times, with both team claiming wins in two outings apiece.

Hawaii's 2015 season came to a close with a 3-1 loss to Pepperdine in the MPSF Championship semifinals. The Rainbow Warriors finished the season with a 24-6 overall record and an 18-4 mark in MPSF play before earning one of two NCAA at-large bids to make this year's six-team tournament.

## RALLYING FOR A CAUSE

Penn State head coach Mark Pavlik helped raise awareness for the EIVA's "EIVA Rallies!" campaign by wearing a fedora in the Nittany Lions' EIVA opener against travel partner, Saint Francis. Each year, Penn State men's volleyball participates in the annual campaign, which benefits the Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center. During the EIVA Rallies! silent auction, PSU raised nearly \$700 to donate to the cause on behalf of the Nittany Lions. The Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center is one of the largest and oldest private cancer centers. Throughout its history, the center has dedicated more than 100 years to patient care and innovative research.

## CAREER DAY ON THE COURT FOR RUSSELL

At Ball State (1/16), senior Aaron Russell led all hitters with a career-high 32 kills on .439 hitting on the road against the Cardinals. Despite the close 3-2 loss, Russell added a team-high three aces to go along with five digs and three blocks. His performance marks the first career 30-plus kill outing for Russell, while also making him the first Nittany Lion since 2011 (Joe Sunder vs. Hawaii) to put down 30 kills in a single match.

## 1,000 CAREER KILLS CLUB

Both Aaron Russell and Nick Goodell are ranked among the top six in the NCAA DI active career leaders in kills. Russell leads the duo with 1,499 career kills which ranks first in DI and is tops among all three divisions. Goodell is ranked sixth in DI with 1,119 career kills. Russell and Goodell are also two of only 12 active NCAA DI players to reach the 1,000 career kills plateau in their career.

## A FORCE FROM THE SERVICE LINE

With 196 career aces, senior Aaron Russell leads all active NCAA players with the most aces. On the Penn State record list, he's ranked second all-time and needs nine more aces to match Max Holt (2006-09). On the year, Russell is averaging 0.57 aces per set, which ranks second nationally and second in the EIVA standings.

## EXPERIENCED VETERANS ON THE COURT

Senior Aaron Russell and redshirt senior Connor Curry are leading all active DI players with the most career appearances on the court. Curry's 121 matches ranks first, while Russell's 119 matches ranks second. Additionally, Curry's 1,027 career digs rank second on the Penn State all-time list.

## GOODELL EARNS EIVA DEFENSIVE HONOR

Redshirt senior Nick Goodell highlighted the first EIVA Weekly Awards release of the season with EIVA Defensive Player of the week honors for his performances in the first two weeks of the 2015 slate. Goodell recorded at least seven digs in three of the first four matches of the season, while also posting double figure kills in each match. In the Outrigger Invitational, he kicked off the season with 10 kills and seven digs against No. 8 UC Irvine, before returning the next night to lead the team with 14 kills against No. 10 Hawaii.

## RUSSELL ON OUTRIGGER INVITE ALL-TOURNAMENT TEAM

Senior Aaron Russell earned a spot on the Outrigger Invitational All-Tournament team. Russell recorded back-to-back double-digit kill performances, highlighting the week with a match-high 19 kills in a close 3-2 loss to eighth-ranked UC Irvine. Against No. 10 Hawaii, he tallied 10 kills, while also leading the team with eight digs and three aces.

## PENN STATE VOTED EIVA PRESEASON FAVORITE

The 16-time defending EIVA champion Penn State was selected as the 2015 EIVA preseason favorite. The Nittany Lions were voted to capture this year's championship crown by the league's seven head coaches. PSU received six of a possible seven first place votes, while Princeton picked up one. The Tigers are slotted to finish second, while George Mason, Harvard and St. Francis (Pa.) round out the top five in spots three through five.

# PENN STATE MEN'S VOLLEYBALL

## AVCA DIV. I-II MEN'S COACHES POLL: APRIL 20

Rank	School	Pts.	Record
1	Lewis (13)	262	24-2
2	UC Irvine (5)	251	25-4
3	Hawai'i	224	23-5
4	Loyola-Chicago	218	22-2
5	Pepperdine	194	22-5
6	BYU	189	17-9
<b>7</b>	<b>PENN STATE</b>	<b>156</b>	<b>17-9</b>
8	Southern California	141	18-8
9	UC Santa Barbara	139	18-9
10	Ohio State	102	21-8
11	Long Beach State	101	15-12
12	UCLA	72	13-13
13	CSUN	54	10-18
14	Stanford	27	10-18
15	IPFW	22	18-11

Receiving Votes: Harvard 4; Pfeiffer 2

Next Poll: May 4, 2015

## NCAA MEN'S VOLLEYBALL RPI: TOP 20

Rank	School	Conf.	Record	A	Neu.	H	N-DI
1	Lewis	MIVA	25-2	12-1	0-1	12-0	1-0
2	Loyola	MIVA	23-2	9-1	1-0	13-1	0-0
3	UC Irvine	Mt. Pac.	26-4	11-1	2-0	13-3	0-0
4	Hawaii	Mt. Pac.	24-5	9-3	0-0	12-2	3-0
5	Ohio St.	MIVA	22-8	7-6	0-1	15-1	0-0
6	Penn St.	EIVA	18-9	8-6	1-1	9-2	0-0
7	Pepperdine	Mt. Pac.	23-5	8-4	1-0	14-1	0-0
8	USC	Mt. Pac.	19-8	7-5	0-0	11-3	1-0
9	BYU	Mt. Pac.	17-10	4-7	1-1	12-2	0-0
10	Pfeiffer	CC	21-3	7-2	0-0	12-0	2-1
11	Erskine	CC	21-7	6-5	1-0	10-1	4-1
12	IPFW	MIVA	18-12	8-7	1-1	7-4	2-0
13	UCSB	Mt. Pac.	17-10	6-6	0-0	11-4	0-0
14	Lindenwood	MIVA	13-11	6-6	0-0	5-4	2-1
15	LBSU	Mt. Pac.	15-13	6-6	3-0	6-7	0-0
16	Quincy	MIVA	13-15	4-7	0-0	5-5	4-3
17	Ball St.	MIVA	13-16	5-11	0-0	8-5	0-0
18	UCLA	Mt. Pac.	13-14	4-8	3-0	6-6	0-0
19	Harvard	EIVA	13-11	3-7	0-1	5-3	5-0
20	Stanford	Mt. Pac.	10-18	2-9	0-0	5-8	3-1

## PSU ALL-TIME RECORDS vs. 2015 OPPONENTS

### NON-CONFERENCE

Team	W-L-T	Last
Hawaii	8-14	UH, 3-0 (1/9/15)
UC Irvine	4-8	UCI, 3-2 (1/8/15)
Ball State	61-22	BSU, 3-2 (1/16/15)
IPFW	42-15	IPFW, 3-1 (1/17/15)
Loyola Chicago	11-10	LOY, 3-1 (2/22/15)
Lewis	19-10	LEW, 3-1 (2/20/15)
Mount Olive	8-0	PSU, 3-0 (1/30/15)
Erskine	2-0	PSU, 3-0 (2/7/14)
USC	7-18	PSU, 3-0 (3/10/15)
CSUN	10-4	PSU, 3-0 (3/13/15)
Long Beach State	7-15	PSU, 3-0 (3/14/15)
Ohio State	71-29-1	PSU, 3-2 (3/21/15)

### EIVA

Team	W-L	Last
George Mason	98-14	PSU, 3-0 (5/1/15)
Harvard	11-1	PSU, 3-2 (4/10/15)
NJIT	36-1	PSU, 3-0 (4/18/15)
Princeton	54-3	PSU, 3-0 (4/29/15)
Sacred Heart	10-0	PSU, 3-1 (4/11/15)
Saint Francis	36-0	PSU, 3-0 (4/25/15)

## THREE SIGN FOR 2016

Head coach Mark Pavlik has announced the addition of three future Nittany Lions who have all signed a National Letter of Intent during the early signing period. Joining the team at the start of the 2016 season, the Nittany Lion recruiting class features setter, Luke Braswell (Manchester, Pa.), outside hitter/opposite, Jason Donorovich (Lockport, N.Y.) and opposite, Calvin Mende (Redlands, Calif.).

## NITTANY LIONS PICKED THIRD IN AVCA PRESEASON POLL

Penn State was the only EIVA school to earn a spot on the 2015 AVCA DI-II Men's Volleyball Preseason Poll, coming in a No. 3. Pepperdine earned this year's No. 1 overall spot, while defending national champion Loyola-Chicago claimed the No. 2 position, picking up eight first place votes. UCSB and UCLA rounded out the top five at No. 4 and No. 5, respectively.

## STEPPING UP!

Earlier this season, sophomore Chris Nugent highlighted the weekend with a pair of career high performances. In his first career start against Mount Olive, Nugent led the offense with a match-high 16 kills on .500 hitting, adding three aces, five digs and two blocks to earn Mike Anderson Penn State Player of the Match honors. The next night, he set another career-high mark with a match-high seven aces against Saint Francis.

Against Erskine, he tied for first on the team with 12 kills, while also adding two aces and a career-high five blocks. Since earning his first start, he's ranked third on the team with 2.31 kills per set and second in aces per set (0.31) with 26 on the year, which ranks eighth in the EIVA.

Redshirt freshman Jalen Penrose had a career weekend at the Asics Invitational and has continued his stellar play since his debut. He highlighted the event with nine kills, eight digs, four aces and three blocks at No. 8 Long Beach State. He finished second on the team with six kills and six digs the night before against CSUN, adding six digs and three blocks. Penrose logged 19 kills on .230 hitting against No. 11 Ohio State, before registering a career-high 21 kills against NJIT. He's currently ranked fourth on the team with 2.23 kills per set.

## RUSSELL JOINS TEAM U.S.A. FOR WORLD QUALIFIER

First Team AVCA All-American Aaron Russell was selected to the U.S. Men's National Team for the 2014 NORCECA Men's World Championship Qualification Tournament this summer. He was one of just four outsiders to be selected to the 12-man roster, which also features several Olympians from the 2008 and 2012 Olympic Teams.

## RUSSELL, GOODSELL EARN OFF THE BLOCK PRESEASON ALL-AMERICA HONORS

First team AVCA All-American senior Aaron Russell and redshirt senior Nick Goodell, both picked up 2015 Off the Block/Springbak Preseason All-America honors. Russell was selected as a First Team All-American, while Goodell earned Second Team honors. The duo are just two of 22 student-athletes to earn the honor, which is selected by a nationwide voting committee comprised of coaches from around the country. The Off the Block Preseason All-American teams recognizes the NCAA Division I-II men's volleyball players predicted to perform best during the upcoming season.

## WHO'S BACK?

Penn State returns almost all of its starters from a year ago, with graduating senior and 2014 All-EIVA second team honoree, Peter Russell as the only departure. Senior Aaron Russell highlights the group of talented returners as he closed out the 2014 season atop the team standings in almost every category, while also ranking first nationally in aces per set (0.65). The 2014 First Team AVCA All-American also earned his second consecutive Uvaldo Acosta Memorial EIVA Player of the Year award this past season, making him the first Nittany Lion since Joe Sunder (2011-12) to earn back-to-back conference player of the year honors.

## NEW FACES IN 2015

The defending EIVA champion men's volleyball team returns a core group of nine letterwinners and five starters this year, while welcoming four freshmen to the roster. The new additions include 6-1 defensive specialist Royce Clemens from York, Pa., Matthew McLaren, a 6-4 outside from Aurora, Colo., Lee Smith, a 6-6 outside from Sewickley, Pa., and Parker Thompson, a 6-0 DS from State College, Pa.

## PSU TO HOST 2016 NCAA NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP

University Park will be the site of the 2016 National Collegiate Men's Volleyball Championship, marking the sixth time in school history that Rec Hall has hosted the event. Penn State will serve as the host of the vaunted event on May 5-7, 2016.

## WHAT'S NEXT?

The winner of the Penn State-Hawaii matchup will move on to meet top-ranked Lewis in the NCAA national semifinals, Thursday, May 7. The first play-in match features No. 3 seed Loyola and No. 6 seed Pfeiffer with the winner advancing to the NCAA national semifinals to play No. 2 seed UC Irvine (28-4). The winners of both semifinal matches will advance to the NCAA national semifinals Saturday, May 9 at 9:30 p.m. ET in Maples Pavilion. The matchup will broadcast live on ESPN.

# PENN STATE MEN'S VOLLEYBALL



## CONNOR CURRY

Redshirt-Senior  
Newport Beach, Calif. • Newport Harbor

6-0 • LIBERO

**2015 HIGHLIGHTS:** Tallied four digs against No. 8 UC Irvine (1/8) and five against No. 10 Hawaii (1/9) ... Recorded a season-high 17 digs at Ball State (1/16) ... Posted 12 digs against No. 1 Loyola (1/23) ... Totaled a team-high 11 digs in the EIVA opener against Saint Francis (1/31) ... Led the team with a match-high 10 digs against Erskine (2/6) ... Logged 13 digs at No. 12 Ohio State (2/10) ... Registered 11 digs at No. 2 Lewis (2/20) ... Posted a team-high 12 digs at Harvard (2/28) ... Notched 12 digs at No. 7 USC (3/11) ... Totaled 12 digs against No. 11 Ohio State (3/21) ... Recorded 10 digs against NJIT (3/28) ... Posted a season-high 19 digs against Harvard (4/10) ... Led the team with 10 digs at Princeton (4/17) ... Notched 11 digs at NJIT (4/18) to surpass the 1,000 career digs mark ... Registered 11 digs at Saint Francis (4/25) ... Posted five digs in the EIVA semis vs. Princeton (4/29) ... Totaled five digs in the EIVA finals against George Mason (5/1).

**2015 HONORS:** First Team All-EIVA ... EIVA Championship All-Tournament team

**2014 HIGHLIGHTS:** Led the team with 17 digs against No. 7 UCLA (1/9) ... Posted 11 digs at No. 14 Hawaii (1/10) ... Registered five digs against No. 12 Ohio State (1/11) ... Logged eight digs against No. 14 IPFW (1/17) ... Totaled a team-high eight digs against Ball State (1/18) ... Led the team with seven digs against Mount Olive (1/31) ... Posted a squad-best 10 digs in the EIVA opener against Saint Francis (2/1) ... Had seven digs and four assists against No. 14 Ohio State (2/5) ... Recorded a team high 11 digs against NJIT (2/14) ... Registered a team-high seven digs against Rutgers-Newark (2/15) ... Led the team with a team high 14 digs against Harvard (2/22) ... Registered eight digs at No. 14 Ohio State (3/7) ... Posted eight digs against CSUN (3/14) ... Tallied five digs against No. 2 LBSU (3/15) ... Had six digs and three assists at No. 1 Loyola (3/21) ... Registered four digs at No. 10 Lewis (3/22) ... Recorded 10 digs at No. 15 Harvard (4/4) ... Logged 10 digs at Saint Francis (4/12) ... Led the team with eight kills at NJIT (4/19) ... Led the team with a match-high 13 digs against George Mason (4/24) in the EIVA Semifinals ... Had eight digs in the EIVA Championship match against Princeton (4/26) ... Registered a match-high 14 digs in the NCAA play-in match against Lewis (4/29).

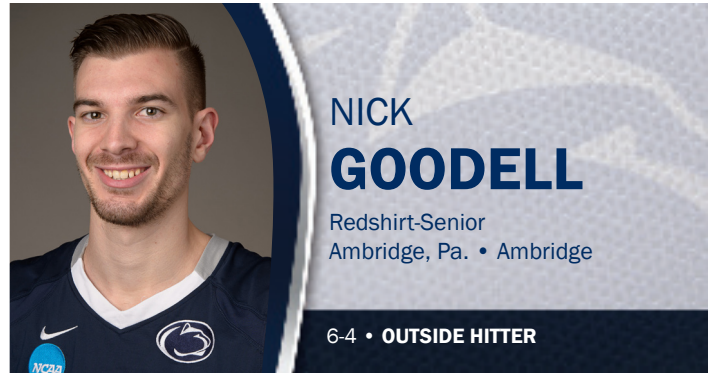
**2014 HONORS:** Second Team All-EIVA ... Academic All-EIVA ... Academic All-Big Ten.

### 2015 SEASON HIGHS

Kills: ..... 1, at Harvard (2/28)  
Attacks: ..... 1, at Harvard (2/28)  
Hitting Percentage: ..... 1.000 (1-0-1), at Harvard (2/28)  
Assists: ..... 6, vs. Loyola (1/23)  
Aces: ..... N/A  
Digs: ..... 19, vs. Harvard (4/10)  
Blocks: ..... N/A

### CAREER HIGHS

Kills: ..... 1, (2x), last at Harvard (2/28/15)  
Attacks: ..... 1, (6x), last at Harvard (2/28/15)  
Hitting Percentage: ..... 1.000 (1-0-1), (2x), last at Harvard (2/28/15)  
Assists: ..... 8, at Lewis (3/22/14)  
Aces: ..... N/A  
Digs: ..... 21, (2x), last vs. Harvard (1/26/13)  
Blocks: ..... N/A



## NICK GOODELL

Redshirt-Senior  
Ambridge, Pa. • Ambridge

6-4 • OUTSIDE HITTER

**2015 HIGHLIGHTS:** Put down 10 kills against No. 8 UC Irvine (1/8) ... Led the team with 14 kills against No. 10 Hawaii (1/9) ... Notched his first double-double of the season with 15 kills and 14 digs at Ball State (1/16) ... Finished second on the team with 10 kills at No. 13 IPFW (1/17) ... Led the team with a season-high 19 kills against No. 1 Loyola (1/23) ... Recorded 13 kills on 22 errorless swings for a season-high .591 hitting percentage against Mount Olive (1/30) ... Had 12 kills at No. 12 Ohio State (2/10) ... Posted his first 20-kill performance of the season with 20 kills at No. 2 Lewis (2/20) ... Matched a career-high mark with 25 kills at Harvard (2/28) ... Had 12 kills and five digs at No. 7 USC (3/11) ... Led the team with 14 kills on .357 hitting against Sacred Heart (4/11), adding six blocks and four digs ... Posted 13 kills and eight digs at NJIT (4/18) ... Had nine kills at Saint Francis (4/25) ... Logged 11 kills on .409 hitting with eight digs in the EIVA finals vs. George Mason (5/1).

**2015 HONORS:** Second Team All-EIVA ... Springbak/Off The Block Preseason All-American ... EIVA Defensive Player of the Week (1/19).

**2014 HIGHLIGHTS:** Finished the season ranked second on the team with 421 kills, averaging 3.79 per set ... Also ranked second on the team in aces (35) ... Recorded 13 kills against No. 7 UCLA (1/10) ... Totaled 19 kills on .455 hitting at No. 14 Hawaii (1/10) ... Tallied his third consecutive double-digit kill match with 13 against No. 12 Ohio State (1/11) ... Registered seven kills and six digs against No. 14 IPFW (1/17) ... Recorded 10 kills, seven digs and one block against Saint Francis (2/1) ... Tallied season high 20 kills on season high .533 hitting with four aces, against No. 14 Ohio State (2/5) ... Totaled 15 kills and six digs against Pfeiffer (2/8) ... Registered two aces, seven kills and a team-high 10 digs against Sacred Heart (2/21) ... Totaled 10 digs and 11 kills against Harvard (2/22) ... Led the team with a career-high 25 kills, four digs at Princeton (2/28) ... Totaled 16 kills, 11 digs, and a season-high five blocks at George Mason (3/1) ... Had a team-high 15 kills and 11 digs for a double-double vs. CSUN (3/14) ... Totaled 10 kills vs. No. 2 LBSU (3/15) ... Tallied 13 kills at No. 1 Loyola (3/21) ... Registered 19 kills, 11 digs and three aces at No. 10 Lewis (3/22) ... Led the team with 20 kills and six digs at Saint Francis (4/12) ... Led the team in kills with 14 at Rutgers-Newark (4/18) ... Registered 17 kills in the EIVA Semifinal match against George Mason (4/24) ... Led the team with 15 kills and five digs in the EIVA Championship match against Princeton (4/26) ... Tallied 18 kills in the NCAA play-in match against Lewis (4/29) ... Led the team with 18 kills in the NCAA national semifinal match against No. 1 Loyola (5/1).

**2014 HONORS:** AVCA All-American Honorable Mention ... EIVA Championship MVP ... First Team All-EIVA ... Outrigger All-Tournament.

### 2015 SEASON HIGHS

Kills: ..... 25, at Harvard (2/28)  
Attacks: ..... 53, vs. Loyola (1/23)  
Hitting Percentage: ..... .591 (13-0-22), vs. Mount Olive (1/30)  
Assists: ..... 2, at Hawaii (1/9)  
Aces: ..... 3, at Sacred Heart (2/27)  
Digs: ..... 14, at Ball State (1/16)  
Blocks: ..... 6, vs. Sacred Heart (4/11)

### CAREER HIGHS

Kills: ..... 25, (2x) last at Harvard (2/28/15)  
Attacks: ..... 53, vs. Loyola (1/23/15)  
Hitting Percentage: ..... .750 (15-0-20) at Harvard (2/17/12)  
Assists: ..... 2, at Hawaii (1/9/15)  
Aces: ..... 6 at Concordia (4/12/13)  
Digs: ..... 14, at Ball State (1/16/15)  
Blocks: ..... 6 (2x) last, vs. Sacred Heart (4/11/15)



## AARON RUSSELL

Senior  
Ellicott City, Md. • Centennial

6-4 • OUTSIDE HITTER



## MATT SEIFERT

Redshirt-Junior  
Reading, Pa. • Exeter Township

6-9 • MIDDLE HITTER

**2015 HIGHLIGHTS:** Led the team with 19 kills on .371 hitting against No. 8 UC Irvine (1/8) ... Posted 10 kills, three aces and eight digs at Hawaii (1/9) ... Put down a career-high 32 kills on .439 hitting at Ball State (1/16) ... Led the team with 20 kills at No. 13 IPFW (1/17) ... Recorded a match-high 23 kills against No. 2 Lewis (1/24) to go along with three aces and nine digs ... Led the team with 17 kills on .625 hitting in the EIVA opener vs. Saint Francis (1/31) ... Tied for first on the team with 12 kills against Erskine (2/6), adding three blocks ... Notched 14 kills, four digs and three blocks at No. 12 Ohio State (2/10) ... Posted a match-high 17 kills vs. George Mason (2/14) ... Had 17 kills at No. 2 Lewis (2/20) and 12 kills, three aces at No.1 Loyola (2/21) ... Recorded a match-high 15 kills at Harvard (2/28) ... Had a match-high 20 kills at No. 7 USC (3/11), hitting .720 with two errors on 25 swings ... Posted a double-double against CSUN (3/13) (16k, 10d), adding a match-high five aces ... Tallied 19 kills at No. 8 LBSU (3/14) ... Notched 30 kills and 14 digs against No. 11 OSU (3/21) ... Put down 26 kills and 15 digs against NJIT (3/28) ... Had 15 kills on .700 hitting at GMU (4/4) ... Totaled 26 kills and three aces against Harvard (4/10) ... Recorded five blocks and three aces against Sacred Heart (4/11) ... Posted 14 kills and four aces at Princeton (4/17) ... Tallied 17 kills on .464 hitting at NJIT (4/18) ... Led the team with 16 kills on .462 hitting at Saint Francis (4/25) ... Led the team with 19 kills and five aces in the EIVA semis vs. Princeton (4/29) ... Posted 15 kills and six digs in the EIVA finals vs. George Mason (5/1).

**2015 HONORS:** EIVA Championship MVP ... First Team All-EIVA ... EIVA Player of the Year ... Springbak/Off The Block Preseason All-American ... EIVA Offensive Player of the Week (2/1, 3/16, 3/23) ... AVCA/Sports Imports DHI National Player of the Week.

**2014 HIGHLIGHTS:** AVCA First Team All-American ... Registered 19 kills against No. 7 UCLA (1/9) ... Posted 16 kills and four aces at No. 14 Hawaii (1/10) ... Recorded 10 kills against No. 12 OSU (1/11) ... Recorded a double-double against No. 14 IPFW (1/17), with 12 kills and 10 digs ... Set a season-high mark with 21 kills against Ball State (1/18) ... Led the team with 16 kills against Saint Francis (2/1), adding 11 digs for a double-double ... Registered 16 kills, tallying five aces against No. 14 OSU (2/5) ... Posted 17 kills against Pfeiffer (2/8) ... Posted 16 kills on .696 hitting against Sacred Heart (2/21) ... Tallied 17 kills and a team-high 10 digs at Princeton (2/28) ... Led the team with five aces and a double-double (13k, 13d) at GMU (3/1) ... Ranked first with 20 kills at No. 14 Ohio State (3/7) ... Led the team with 11 kills at No. 2 LBSU (3/15) ... Led the team with 18 kills at No. 1 Loyola (3/21) ... Tallied a team-high 22 kills against No. 10 Lewis (3/22) ... Tallied six aces at Sacred Heart (4/5) ... Notched 16 kills and seven aces at Saint Francis (4/12) ... Had 20 kills against GMU in the EIVA Semis (4/24) ... Notched 14 kills in the EIVA Championship vs. Princeton (4/26) ... Pounded a team-high 20 kills in the NCAA play-in match against Lewis (4/29) ... Registered a double-double with 15 kills and 10 digs at No. 1 Loyola (5/1) in the national semis.

**2014 HONORS:** AVCA First Team All-American ... EIVA All-Tournament Team ... Uvaldo Acosta Memorial EIVA Player of the Year ... First Team All-EIVA.

### 2015 SEASON HIGHS

Kills: ..... 32, at Ball State (1/16)  
Attacks: ..... 57, at Ball State (1/16)  
Hitting Percentage: ..... 750 (20-2-25), at USC (3/10)  
Assists: ..... 2 (2x) last, vs. Harvard (4/10)  
Aces: ..... 5 (2x), vs. Princeton (4/29)  
Digs: ..... 15, vs. NJIT (3/28)  
Blocks ..... 5, vs. Sacred Heart (4/11)

### CAREER HIGHS

Kills: ..... 32, at Ball State (1/16/15)  
Attacks: ..... 57 at Ball State (1/16/15)  
Hitting Percentage: ..... 778 (7-0-9), 2x, last vs. Harvard (2/17/12)  
Assists: ..... 3 at NJIT (3/23/12)  
Aces: ..... 7 at Saint Francis (4/12/14)  
Digs: ..... 15, vs. NJIT (3/28/15)  
Blocks: ..... 8 vs. Sacred Heart (4/6/12)

**2015 HIGHLIGHTS:** Had four kills and three blocks against No. 8 UC Irvine (1/8) ... Tallied one kill, one ace and two blocks against No. 10 Hawaii (1/9) ... Had a season-high nine kills at Ball State (1/16), adding a team-high three blocks ... Posted a season-high four blocks against Mount Olive (1/30) ... Made his return to the court against No. 7 USC (3/11), tallying three digs and three blocks ... Posted five kills on .714 hitting with no errors against CSUN (3/14), adding four blocks ... Tied for first on the team with three blocks against No. 11 OSU (3/21) ... Led the team with four blocks against Princeton (3/27) ... Had four kills on .500 hitting and three blocks against NJIT (3/28) ... Recorded four kills on five perfect swings at George Mason (4/4) ... Totaled five kills and four blocks against Sacred Heart (4/11) ... Had five kills at Princeton (4/17) and five kills on five perfect swings at NJIT (4/18) ... Led the team with five blocks at Saint Francis (4/25) ... Had six kills on seven perfect swings in the EIVA semis against Princeton (4/29) ... Posted four kills in the EIVA finals vs. GMU (5/1).

**2014 HIGHLIGHTS:** Played in every single match during the 2014 season, finishing second on the squad in blocks (78), averaging 0.71 per set ... Posted nine kills, one ace and three blocks against No. 7 UCLA (1/9) ... Totaled five kills and three blocks against No. 14 IPFW (1/17) ... Logged three kills and two aces against Ball State (1/18) ... Tallied four kills, two digs and five blocks against Mount Olive (1/31) ... Contributed three kills, one ace, and three blocks against No. 14 Ohio State (2/5) ... Posted six kills on .400 hitting, adding one dig and one block against Pfeiffer (2/8) ... Recorded four kills, one ace, one dig, and four blocks against NJIT (2/14) ... Recorded five kills, one ace and two blocks against Sacred Heart (2/21) ... Contributed seven kills on .600 hitting, adding two digs against Harvard (2/22) ... Totaled three kills, and a team-high five blocks at Princeton (2/28) ... Led the team with six aces and six blocks as well as 12 kills on .688 hitting at George Mason (3/1) ... Tallied 10 kills on .714 hitting at No. 2 LBSU (3/15) ... Collected six digs and two blocks against No. 10 Lewis (3/22) ... Posted four kills, two aces and a team-high four blocks at Saint Francis (4/12) ... Had six kills while leading the team with a .556 hitting percentage as well as contributing two digs and four blocks at NJIT (4/19) ... Tallied eight kills on .778 hitting, adding two aces in the EIVA Semifinals against George Mason (4/24) ... Posted five kills on seven errorless swings, adding two aces in the EIVA Championship against Princeton (4/26) ... Posted seven kills and three blocks in the NCAA play-in match against Lewis (4/29) ... Led the team with three blocks in the NCAA national semifinal match against No. 1 Loyola (5/1).

**2014 HONORS:** Second Team All-EIVA ... EIVA Defensive Player of the Week (3/3) ... Active Ankle Challenge All-Tournament (3/15).

### 2015 SEASON HIGHS

Kills: ..... 9, at Ball State (1/16)  
Attacks: ..... 19, at Ball State (1/16)  
Hitting Percentage: ..... 316 (9-3-19) at Ball State (1/16)  
Assists: ..... 1, 2x last vs. NJIT (3/28)  
Aces: ..... 2 (2x), at IPFW (1/17)  
Digs: ..... 3 (2x), last vs. CSUN (3/14)  
Blocks: ..... 5, at Saint Francis (4/25)

### CAREER HIGHS

Kills: ..... 12 at George Mason (3/1/14)  
Attacks: ..... 20 vs. UCLA (1/9/14)  
Hitting Percentage: ..... 833 (8-3-12) vs. Sacred Heart (2/22/14)  
Assists: ..... 1, 3x, last vs. Ohio State (1/11/14)  
Aces: ..... 6 at George Mason (3/1/14)  
Digs: ..... 3, 3x last vs. CSUN (3/14/15)  
Blocks: ..... 8 vs. Princeton (2/23/13)



## TAYLOR HAMMOND

Redshirt-Junior  
Mission Viejo, Calif. •  
Santa Margarita Catholic

6-4 • SETTER

**2015 HIGHLIGHTS:** Dished out 33 assists against No. 8 UC Irvine (1/8) ... Had 24 assists, two digs and a block at No. 10 Hawaii (1/9) ... Dished out a career-high 60 assists to go along with five digs at Ball State (1/16) ... Recorded a double-double with 47 assists and a career-high 14 digs vs. No. 1 Loyola (1/23) ... Paced the team to a season-high .425 hitting clip vs. Mount Olive, adding a team-high nine digs ... Directed the team to a .500 hitting percentage against Erskine (2/6), matching a career-high mark with three blocks ... Recorded a career-high five blocks at No. 12 Ohio State (2/10) ... Paced the team to a .375 hitting clip at No. 2 Lewis, dishing out 43 assists (2/20) ... Directed the offense to a .403 hitting percentage at Sacred Heart (2/27), collecting seven digs ... Paced the team to a .422 hitting clip at No. 7 USC (3/10) ... Tallied a career-high 61 assists against No. 11 Ohio State (3/21) ... Had five blocks vs. NJIT (3/28) ... Paced the team to a .520 hitting clip at GMU (4/4) ... Totaled 56 assists and nine digs vs. Harvard (4/10) ... Posted two aces and three blocks vs. Sacred Heart (4/11) ... Paced the team to a .359 hitting clip at NJIT (4/18), passing out 41 assists ... Directed the team to .333 hitting at Saint Francis (4/25) ... Led the team to .500 hitting in the EIVA semis vs. Princeton (4/29) and in the EIVA finals against GMU (5/1).

**2015 HONORS:** Second Team All-EIVA

**2014 HIGHLIGHTS:** Paced the squad to a .307 hitting clip in 2014, which closed the season eighth nationally and first in the EIVA ... Dished out 54 assists against No. 7 UCLA (1/9), adding five blocks ... Paced the Nittany Lions to a .325 hitting clip against No. 14 Hawaii ... Posted four digs against No. 12 Ohio State (1/11) ... Led the team to a .322 hitting clip against No. 14 IPFW (1/17) ... Had 40 assists and seven digs against Ball State (1/18) ... Dished out 32 assists against Saint Francis (2/1) ... Contributed four digs against No. 14 Ohio State (2/5), while also adding 47 assists ... Tallied 40 assists and six digs against Pfeiffer (2/8) ... Recorded, 42 assists against Sacred Heart (2/21) ... Registered four digs and 31 assists against Harvard (2/22) ... Dished out 50 assists while adding four digs at Princeton (2/28) ... Distributed 49 assists and five digs at George Mason (3/1) ... Passed out 44 assists at No. 14 Ohio State (3/7), adding nine digs ... Had four digs and 38 assists vs. CSUN (3/14) ... Totaled 36 assists and four digs at No. 2 LBSU (3/15) ... Dished out 41 assists and seven digs at No. 1 Loyola (3/21) ... Recorded 50 assists and 11 digs at No. 10 Lewis (3/22) for his first double-double of the season ... Tallied one four digs and 34 assists against George Mason (3/29) ... Recorded 38 assists and seven digs at No. 15 Harvard (4/4) ... Tallied 28 assists at Sacred Heart ... Paced the team to a .388 hitting clip at Saint Francis (4/12), dishing out 54 assists ... Dished out 53 assists and six digs in the EIVA semis against GMU (4/24) ... Had 38 assists in the EIVA Championship against Princeton (4/26) ... Passed out a career-high 61 assists in the NCAA play-in match against Lewis (4/29) ... Logged 44 assists in the NCAA national semifinals at No. 1 Loyola (5/1).

### 2015 SEASON HIGHS

Kills: ..... 3, vs. Lewis (1/24)  
Attacks: ..... 4, vs. Lewis (1/24)  
Hitting Percentage: ..... 1.000 (2-0-2), at LBSU (3/14)  
Assists: ..... 61, vs. Ohio State (3/21)  
Aces: ..... 2, vs. Sacred Heart (4/11)  
Digs: ..... 14, vs. Loyola (1/23)  
Blocks: ..... 5 (2x), last vs. NJIT (3/28)

### CAREER HIGHS

Kills: ..... 3, 3x last vs. Lewis (1/24/15)  
Attacks: ..... 6 vs. Lewis (1/18/13)  
Hitting Percentage: ..... 1.000 (2-0-2), at LBSU (3/14/15)  
Assists: ..... 61 vs. Ohio State (3/21/15)  
Aces: ..... 2 (2x), last vs. Sacred Heart (4/11/15)  
Digs: ..... 14, vs. Loyola (1/23/15)  
Blocks: ..... 5 (2x), last vs. NJIT (3/28/15)



## ZACK PARIK

Junior  
Woodridge, Ill. •  
Downers Grove North

6-4 • SETTER

**2015 HIGHLIGHTS:** Made his 2015 debut against No. 8 UC Irvine (1/8) ... Posted seven assists and one dig at No. 10 Hawaii (1/9) ... Had one ace at Ball State (1/16) ... Posted one dig against Erskine (2/6) ... Recorded a season-high 12 assists and two digs at No. 1 Loyola (2/21) ... Had one ace against CSUN (3/13) ... Logged on ace against NJIT (3/28) ... Matched a career-high mark with two aces against Harvard (4/10) ... Recorded one ace against Sacred Heart (4/11) ... Logged a season-high 16 assists at Princeton (4/17), adding three digs and a solo stuff ... Had three assists at Saint Francis (4/25) ... Had one dig in the EIVA semifinals against Princeton (4/29).

**2014 HIGHLIGHTS:** Saw action on the court against No. 7 UCLA (1/9) and at No. 14 Hawaii (1/10) ... Recorded one dig against No. 12 Ohio State (1/11) ... Played against No. 14 IPFW (1/17) and Ball State (1/18) ... Had three assists against Mount Olive (1/31) ... Tallied eight assists in the EIVA opener against Saint Francis (2/1) ... Played against No. 14 Ohio State (2/5) ... Dished out a career-high 22 assists against Erskine (2/7), adding three digs and one block ... Totaled one dig against Pfeiffer (2/8) ... Contributed 13 assists along with one block against NJIT (2/14) ... Recorded a team-high 17 assists and set a season high with one service ace and two blocks against Rutgers-Newark (2/15) ... Posted one dig against Harvard (2/22) ... Tallied one kill at Princeton (2/28) ... Saw action on the court at George Mason (3/1) and No. 14 Ohio State (3/7) ... Notched one dig vs. CSUN (3/14) ... Played at No. 2 LBSU (3/15) ... Saw action on the court at No. 1 Loyola (3/21) ... Collected one dig at No. 10 Lewis (3/22) ... Contributed one ace against Princeton (3/28) ... Collected one dig against George Mason (3/29) ... Played at No. 15 Harvard (4/4) ... Saw action on the court in the EIVA semifinals against George Mason (4/24) ... Played in the NCAA play-in match against Lewis (4/29) ... Registered two digs in the NCAA national semifinal match at No. 1 Loyola (5/1).

### 2015 SEASON HIGHS

Kills: ..... N/A  
Attacks: ..... N/A  
Hitting Percentage: ..... N/A  
Assists: ..... 16, at Princeton (4/17)  
Aces: ..... 2, vs. Harvard (4/10)  
Digs: ..... 3, at Princeton (4/17)  
Blocks: ..... 1, at Princeton (4/17)

### CAREER HIGHS

Kills: ..... 1, 2x, last at Princeton (2/28/14)  
Attacks: ..... 1, 3x last at Princeton (2/28/14)  
Hitting Percentage: ..... N/A  
Assists: ..... 22 vs. Erskine (2/7/14)  
Aces: ..... 2 (2x), last vs. Harvard (4/10/15)  
Digs: ..... 3, 3x last at Princeton (4/17/15)  
Blocks: ..... 2 vs. Rutgers-Newark (2/15/14)





## SPENCER SAUTER

Redshirt-Sophomore  
Woodridge, Ill. • Naperville North

6-7 • OUTSIDE HITTER

**2015 HIGHLIGHTS:** Had one ace and three blocks against No. 8 UC Irvine (1/8) ... Matched a career-high mark with seven kills on .462 hitting at No. 10 Hawaii (1/9), while also adding seven digs ... Had a career-high night with nine kills and 10 digs at Ball State (1/16) ... Recorded a career-high 14 kills against No. 1 Loyola, adding nine digs and a team-high five blocks ... Posted four kills and five digs at No. 2 Lewis (2/20) ... Notched five digs and three kills at No. 1 Loyola (2/21).

**2014 HIGHLIGHTS:** Had one dig against No. 7 UCLA (1/9) ... Posted one kill and two digs at No. 14 Hawaii (1/10) ... Played against No. 12 Ohio State (1/11), No. 14 IPFW (1/17) and Ball State (1/18) ... Led the team with a career-high seven kills on .875 hitting against Mount Olive (1/31), adding one dig and three blocks ... Had one dig in the EIVA opener against Saint Francis (2/1) ... Played against No. 14 Ohio State (2/5) ... Had one kill and one block against Erskine (2/7) ... Played against Pfeiffer (2/8) ... Tallied six kills on .556 hitting, one ace and two digs against NJIT (2/14) ... Totaled five kills, two digs and one block against Rutgers-Newark (2/15) ... Saw action on the court at Princeton (2/28) and George Mason (3/1) ... Played at No. 1 Loyola (3/21) and at No. 10 Lewis (3/22) ... Saw action against George Mason (3/29)... Competed against Sacred Heart (4/5)... Posted four kills, one service ace, and two digs at Rutgers-Newark (4/18)... Tallied one kill and two digs at NJIT (4/19).

**2013 (Freshman):** Redshirt season.



## ANDREW ROBERTS

Redshirt-Sophomore  
Grantville, Pa. • Lower Dauphin

6-4 • OPPOSITE

**2015 HIGHLIGHTS:** Tied for first on the team with a career-high two aces against No. 8 UC Irvine (1/8) ... Had one dig at No. 10 Hawaii (1/9) and at No. 13 IPFW (1/13) ... Matched a career-high mark with two aces in the EIVA opener against Saint Francis (1/31) ... Recorded one dig at No. 1 Loyola (2/21).

**2014 HIGHLIGHTS:** Made his collegiate debut against Mount Olive (1/31) ... Played against Saint Francis (2/1) and No. 14 Ohio State (2/5) ... Saw action on the court against Erskine (2/7) and Pfeiffer (2/8) ... Posted one ace, two digs and one kill against NJIT (2/14) ... Tallied a career-high three kills as well as one dig and one block against Rutgers-Newark (2/15) ... Totaled one kill, one ace and one dig at No. 14 Ohio State (3/7) ... Recorded one ace vs. CSUN (3/14) ... Registered one dig at No. 2 LBSU (3/15) ... Saw action against No. 10 Lewis (3/22) ... Contributed one ace against Princeton (3/28) ... Collected one dig against George Mason (3/29) ... Played at No. 15 Harvard (4/4) ... Saw action on the court in the EIVA semifinals against George Mason (4/24) ... Played in the NCAA play-in match against Lewis (4/29).

**2013 (Freshman):** Redshirt season.

### 2015 SEASON HIGHS

Kills: ..... 14, vs. Loyola (1/23)  
Attacks: ..... 36, vs. Loyola (1/23)  
Hitting Percentage: ..... .294 (7-2-17), at Hawaii (1/9)  
Assists: ..... 1, 2x last vs. Loyola (1/23)  
Aces: ..... 1, 3x last vs. Loyola (1/23)  
Digs: ..... 10, at Ball State (1/16)  
Blocks: ..... 5, vs. Loyola (1/23)

### CAREER HIGHS

Kills: ..... 9, at Ball State (1/16/15)  
Attacks: ..... 36, vs. Loyola (1/23/15)  
Hitting Percentage: ..... .294 (7-2-17), at Hawaii (1/9/15)  
Assists: ..... 1, 4x last vs. Loyola (1/23/15)  
Aces: ..... 1, 3x last vs. Loyola (1/23/15)  
Digs: ..... 10, at Ball State (1/16/15)  
Blocks: ..... 5, vs. Loyola (1/23/15)

### 2015 SEASON HIGHS

Kills: ..... N/A  
Attacks: ..... N/A  
Hitting Percentage: ..... N/A  
Assists: ..... N/A  
Aces: ..... 2, 2x last vs. Saint Francis (1/31)  
Digs: ..... 1, 5x, last vs. Sacred Heart (4/11)  
Blocks: ..... N/A

### CAREER HIGHS

Kills: ..... 3 vs. Rutgers-Newark (2/15/14)  
Attacks: ..... 5 vs. Rutgers-Newark (2/15/14)  
Hitting Percentage: ..... .200 (3-2-5) vs. Rutgers-Newark (2/15/14)  
Assists: ..... 1, 2x last at Ohio State (3/7/14)  
Aces: ..... 2, 2x last vs. Saint Francis (1/31/15)  
Digs: ..... 2 vs. NJIT (2/14/14)  
Blocks: ..... 1, 2x, last vs. Rutgers-Newark(2/15)

# PENN STATE MEN'S VOLLEYBALL



## MATT CALLAWAY

Redshirt-Sophomore  
Wheaton, Ill. •  
Wheaton Warrenville South

6-7 • MIDDLE HITTER/OPPOSITE

**2015 HIGHLIGHTS:** Had three kills on .500 hitting and two blocks against No. 8 UC Irvine (1/8) ... Totaled five kills and a team-high four blocks at No. 10 Hawaii (1/9) ... Finished tied for second on the team with two blocks at No. 13 IPFW (1/17) ... Ranked second on the team with four blocks against No. 1 Loyola (1/23) ... Had a career-high 11 kills on .562 hitting against No. 2 Lewis (1/24) ... Served up a career-high two aces against Mount Olive (1/30) ... Matched a season-high mark with four blocks against George Mason (2/14) ... Had five kills and three digs at No. 1 Loyola (2/21) ... Had five kills on .625 hitting and three blocks at No. 7 USC (3/10) ... Posted five kills and three blocks against CSUN (3/13) ... Matched a career-high mark with seven blocks at No. 7 LBSU (3/14) ... Put down seven kills and five digs against No. 11 OSU (3/21) ... Had seven blocks vs. NJIT (3/28) ... Notched five kills on seven perfect swings at GMU (4/4) ... Recorded five kills and five digs vs. Harvard (4/10) ... Posted a career-high 12 blocks vs. Sacred Heart (4/11) ... Recorded a team-high seven blocks at Princeton (4/17) ... Had four kills on nine perfect swings at Saint Francis (4/25) ... Posted four kills on six perfect swings in the EIVA semis vs. Princeton (4/29) ... Totaled a match-high five blocks in the EIVA finals vs. GMU (5/1).

**2015 HONORS:** EIVA Defensive P.O.T.W (3/16).

**2014 HIGHLIGHTS:** Recorded six kills on 11 errorless swings against No. 7 UCLA (1/9), adding four digs ... Tallied eight kills and three blocks against No. 14 Hawaii (1/10) ... Notched five kills one dig and three total blocks against No. 12 Ohio State (1/11) ... Logged seven kills on .500 hitting against No. 14 IPFW (1/17), adding two blocks ... Registered four kills and five blocks against Ball State (1/18) ... Posted five kills against Mount Olive (1/31), adding a team-high six blocks ... Totaled three kills, one dig and three blocks against Saint Francis (2/1) ... Contributed seven kills with a .417 hitting percentage and seven blocks against No. 14 Ohio State ... Tallied four kills, one dig and two blocks against Erskine (2/7) ... Tied a career high with eight kills, adding six blocks against NJIT (2/14) ... Recorded five kills and four blocks against Sacred Heart (2/21) ... Totaled five kills, two digs and three blocks against Harvard (2/22) ... Tallied six kills, at Princeton (2/28) ... Contributed five kills at George Mason (3/1) ... Posted four kills at No. 14 Ohio State (3/7) ... Recorded three kills and two blocks vs. CSUN (3/14) ... Registered seven kills and two digs at No. 2 LBSU (3/15) ... Posted seven kills at No. 1 Loyola (3/21) ... Tallied four kills at No. 10 Lewis (3/22) ... Recorded three kills and three blocks at No. 15 Harvard (4/4) ... Tallied three blocks at Sacred Heart (4/5) ... Notched six kills at Saint Francis (4/12) ... Posted three kills, one service ace, and three blocks at NJIT (4/19) ... Notched three digs and a team-high four blocks in the EIVA semis against GMU (4/24) ... Posted three digs and two blocks in the EIVA championship against Princeton (4/26) ... Logged six kills and a team-high five blocks in the NCAA play-in match against Lewis (4/29).

### 2015 SEASON HIGHS

Kills: ..... 11, vs. Lewis (1/24)  
Attacks: ..... 16, vs. Lewis (1/24)  
Hitting Percentage: ..... .562 (11-2-16), vs. Lewis (1/24)  
Assists: ..... 2, vs. Lewis (1/24)  
Aces: ..... 2, vs. Mount Olive (1/30)  
Digs: ..... 5 (2x), last vs. Sacred Heart (4/11)  
Blocks: ..... 11 vs. Sacred Heart (4/11)

### CAREER HIGHS

Kills: ..... 11, vs. Lewis (1/24/15)  
Attacks: ..... 17 at Hawaii (1/10/15)  
Hitting Percentage: ..... .625 (6-1-8) at Princeton (2/28/14)  
Assists: ..... 2, 3x last vs. Lewis (1/24/15)  
Aces: ..... 1 at NJIT (4/19/14)  
Digs: ..... 5 (2x), last vs. Sacred Heart (4/11/15)  
Blocks: ..... 11 vs. Sacred Heart (4/11/15)



## CHRIS NUGENT

Sophomore  
Fair Lawn, N.J. • Fair Lawn

6-4 • OUTSIDE HITTER

**2015 HIGHLIGHTS:** Had two kills on .333 hitting against No. 8 UC Irvine (1/8) ... Played at No. 10 Hawaii (1/9) ... Had a career-high five kills at No. 13 IPFW (1/17) ... Had a career-high performance against Mount Olive (1/30), leading the team with 16 kills, three aces, five digs and two blocks ... Set a career-high mark with seven aces in the EIVA opener against Saint Francis (1/31) ... Tied for first on the team with 12 kills against Erskine (2/6), adding two aces and a career-high five blocks ... Had two kills and one dig at No. 1 Loyola (2/21) ... Tied for first on the team with 11 kills at Sacred Heart (2/27) ... Posted a team-high three aces and a career-high eight digs at Harvard (2/28) ... Had nine kills and eight digs at No. 7 USC (3/10) ... Logged 11 kills, four digs and three blocks at No. 8 LBSU (3/14) ... Totaled nine kills and seven digs against No. 11 Ohio State (3/21) ... Logged 10 kills, nine digs and three blocks against NJIT (3/28) ... Had 10 kills at GMU (4/4) ... Notched 12 kills and six digs vs. Harvard (4/10) ... Recorded eight kills on .545 hitting vs. Sacred Heart (4/11) ... Had nine digs and six kills at Princeton (4/17) ... Tallied 10 kills on .389 hitting at NJIT (4/18), adding four digs ... Posted 14 kills on .623 hitting in the EIVA finals vs. GMU (5/1), adding six digs and two aces.

**2015 HONORS:** EIVA Championship All-Tournament team

**2014 HIGHLIGHTS:** Made his collegiate debut on the court against No. 7 UCLA (1/9) ... Had two kills against Mount Olive (1/31) ... Had one kill against NJIT (2/14) ... Recorded four kills vs. Rutgers-Newark (2/15) ... Posted one kill and two digs at No. 14 Ohio State (3/7) ... Pounded three kills and two digs at No. 2 LBSU (3/15) ... Posted seven kills at Rutgers-Newark (4/18) ... Recorded two kills, two digs, and two blocks at NJIT (4/19) ... Played in the NCAA play-in match against Lewis (4/29).

### 2015 SEASON HIGHS

Kills: ..... 16, vs. Mount Olive (1/30)  
Attacks: ..... 22, vs. Mount Olive (1/30)  
Hitting Percentage: ..... .545 (8-2-11), vs. Sacred Heart (4/11)  
Assists: ..... 1 (7x) last vs. Harvard (4/10)  
Aces: ..... 7, vs. Saint Francis (1/31)  
Digs: ..... 8 (2x) last at USC (3/10)  
Blocks: ..... 5, vs. Erskine (2/6)

### CAREER HIGHS

Kills: ..... 16, vs. Mount Olive (1/30/15)  
Attacks: ..... 22, vs. Mount Olive (1/30/15)  
Hitting Percentage: ..... .500 (16-5-22), vs. Mount Olive (1/30/15)  
Assists: ..... 1, (7x) last vs. Harvard (4/10/15)  
Aces: ..... 7, vs. Saint Francis (1/31/15)  
Digs: ..... 8, 2x last at USC (3/10/15)  
Blocks: ..... 5, vs. Erskine (2/6/15)



## KEVIN GEAR

Redshirt-Freshman  
Rochester, N.Y. • Gates-Chili

6-7 • MIDDLE BLOCKER

**2015 HIGHLIGHTS:** Has not played in any matches this season.



**JALEN  
PENROSE**  
Redshirt-Freshman  
Cambridge, Mass. •  
Cambridge Rindge and Latin School  
6-7 • **OUTSIDE HITTER**



**AIDAN  
ALBRECHT**  
Redshirt-Freshman  
Old Bridge, N.J. • Old Bridge  
6-8 • **OPPOSITE**

**2015 HIGHLIGHTS:** Had one kill in his collegiate debut vs. No. 8 UC Irvine (1/8) ... Had one dig at Ball State (1/16) and Three kills and one dig at No. 13 IPFW (1/17) ... Posted a then-career-high 10 kills at No. 10 Loyola (2/21), adding three digs and one block ... Had six kills and six digs against CSUN (3/13) ... Tallied a career-high four aces and eight digs to go along with nine kills at No. 8 LBSU (3/14) ... Logged 19 kills on .230 hitting against No. 11 Ohio State (3/21) ... Recorded 10 kills on .571 hitting against Princeton (3/27) ... Posted a career-high 21 kills on .308 hitting against NJIT (3/28), adding five digs and three blocks ... Finished second on the team with 13 kills on .450 hitting with two aces and four digs at GMU (4/4) ... Had three blocks vs. Sacred Heart (4/11) ... Recorded seven kills on .500 hitting at Princeton (4/17), adding four digs.

**2014 (Freshman):** Redshirt season.

**2015 SEASON HIGHS**

Kills: ..... 21, vs. NJIT (3/28)  
Attacks: ..... 39, (2x) last vs. NJIT (3/28)  
Hitting Percentage: ..... .571 (10-2-14) vs. NJIT (3/28)  
Assists: ..... 1, 2x last, vs. Ohio State (3/21)  
Aces: ..... 4, at LBSU (3/14)  
Digs: ..... 8, at LBSU (3/14)  
Blocks: ..... 3 (4x) last vs. Sacred Heart (4/11)

**2015 HIGHLIGHTS:** Made his collegiate debut with two kills, two blocks and one dig in the 2015 EIVA opener against Saint Francis (1/31) ... Recorded his second consecutive start against Erskine (2/6), posted two kills and a season-high four blocks ... Posted a career-high five kills against George Mason (2/14) ... Had five kills and three blocks at No. 1 Loyola (2/21).

**2014 (Freshman):** Redshirt season.

**2015 SEASON HIGHS**

Kills: ..... 5, 2x last at Loyola (2/21)  
Attacks: ..... 10, at Lewis (2/20)  
Hitting Percentage: ..... .375, 2x (5-2-8), last at Loyola (2/20)  
Assists: ..... 1, at Ohio State (2/10)  
Aces: ..... 2, at Harvard (2/28)  
Digs: ..... 3, at Sacred Heart (2/27)  
Blocks: ..... 4, 2x last, at Sacred Heart (2/27)

## MEET THE NEWCOMERS

### LEE SMITH

OH | Freshman | Sewickley, Pa.

**2015 HIGHLIGHTS:** Has not played in any matches this season.

**HIGH SCHOOL**

Helped guide high school team (Ambridge) to WPIAL titles in 2012 and 2013 as well as a second-place finish in the 2013 PIAA tournament and a third-place finish at the 2012 PIAA tournament ... 2012 team captain and three-time MVP from 2011-13 at Ambridge ... Played club with Beaver Valley Premier ... Has also played at USAV High Performance championships earning three silver medals at the national division ... Competed in 2013 Boys' Youth National volleyball training camp after playing on the 2012 team that competed in the 2012 NORCECA Boys' Youth Continental Championship.

### ROYCE CLEMENS

L | Freshman | York, Pa.

**2015 HIGHLIGHTS:** Has not played in any matches this season.

**HIGH SCHOOL**

Earned Pennsylvania District 3-AAA and PIAA all-star honors in 2012 ... Led York Central to a PIAA championship in 2012.

### MATTHEW McLAREN

OH | Freshman | Aurora, Colo.

**2015 HIGHLIGHTS:** Has not played in any matches this season.

**HIGH SCHOOL**

Led his high school team, Cherokee Trail, to a state title in 2014.

### PARKER THOMPSON

L | Freshman | State College, Pa.

**2015 HIGHLIGHTS:** Has not played in any matches this season.

**HIGH SCHOOL**

Played high school volleyball at State College High School in State College ... Had 40 digs against Norwin in the Mid-Penn Commonwealth Division of District Six playoffs to advance to the quarterfinals of the PIAA boys' volleyball tournament.

# PENN STATE MEN'S VOLLEYBALL

## Penn State Combined Team Statistics (as of May 02, 2015) All matches

RECORD:	OVERALL	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL
ALL GAMES	20-9	11-2	8-6	1-1
CONFERENCE	12-0	6-0	6-0	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	8-9	5-2	2-6	1-1

#	Player	sp	Attack				Set		Serve			Dig			Blocking					points		
			k	k/s	e	ta	pct	a	a/s	sa	se	sa/s	re	dig	dig/s	bs	ba	total	blk/s		be	bhe
8	Russell, Aaron	105	494	4.70	138	901	.395	16	0.15	60	75	0.57	25	185	1.76	18	43	61	0.58	4	1	593.5
17	Callaway, Matt	105	128	1.22	33	280	.339	9	0.09	3	21	0.03	1	40	0.38	8	79	87	0.83	9	0	178.5
3	Curry, Connor	105	1	0.01	0	3	.333	59	0.56	0	0	0.00	37	261	2.49	0	0	0	0.00	0	3	1.0
18	Seifert, Matt	78	80	1.03	30	161	.311	5	0.06	9	47	0.12	2	20	0.26	6	44	50	0.64	1	0	117.0
10	Nugent, Chris	84	194	2.31	91	403	.256	6	0.07	26	35	0.31	21	106	1.26	5	29	34	0.40	4	0	239.5
4	Goodell, Nick	87	265	3.05	120	632	.229	8	0.09	22	61	0.25	2	130	1.49	6	30	36	0.41	2	1	308.0
14	Penrose, Jalen	57	127	2.23	80	256	.184	3	0.05	13	39	0.23	1	50	0.88	3	18	21	0.37	8	0	152.0
15	Albrecht, Aiden	27	21	0.78	13	46	.174	2	0.07	3	24	0.11	0	6	0.22	3	19	22	0.81	2	1	36.5
11	Sauter, Spencer	33	41	1.24	24	130	.131	3	0.09	3	11	0.09	10	47	1.42	1	14	15	0.45	2	0	52.0
1	Hammond, Taylor	104	15	0.14	13	41	.049	1139	10.95	7	18	0.07	2	132	1.27	2	38	40	0.38	5	3	43.0
5	Thompson, Parker	1	0	0.00	0	0	.000	0	0.00	0	0	0.00	0	0	0.00	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	0.0
2	Parik, Zack	71	0	0.00	0	0	.000	40	0.56	7	6	0.10	0	10	0.14	1	0	1	0.01	0	0	8.0
7	Roberts, Andrew	52	0	0.00	1	1	-1.000	0	0.00	4	18	0.08	0	5	0.10	0	0	0	0.00	0	1	4.0
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	PENN STATE	105	1366	13.01	543	2854	.288	1290	12.29	157	355	1.50	104	992	9.45	53	314	210.0	2.00	37	10	1733.0
	Opponents	105	1162	11.07	466	2790	.249	1101	10.49	104	413	0.99	157	781	7.44	43	410	248.0	2.36	44	18	1514.0

Team Statistics	PSU	OPP
ATTACK		
Kills	1366	1162
Errors	543	466
Total Attacks	2854	2790
Attack Pct	.288	.249
Kills/Set	13.0	11.1
SET		
Assists	1290	1101
Attempts	2801	2786
Assist Pct	.461	.395
Assists/Set	12.3	10.5
SERVE		
Aces	157	104
Errors	355	413
Attempts	2428	2192
Serve Pct	.854	.812
Aces/Set	1.5	1.0
SERVE RECEPTIONS		
Errors	104	157
Errors/Set	1.0	1.5
Attempts	1778	2073
Reception Pct	.942	.924
DEFENSE		
Digs	992	781
Digs/Set	9.4	7.4
BLOCKING		
Block Solo	53	43
Block Assist	314	410
Total Blocks	210.0	248.0
Blocks/Set	2.0	2.4
Block Errors	37	44
Ball handling errors	10	18
ATTENDANCE		
Total	10621	14655
Dates/Avg Per Date	13/817	14/1047
Neutral site #/Avg	2/384	
Current win streak	16	-
Home win streak	11	-

Date	Opponent	Score	Score by set	Att.
Jan 08	vs #8 UC Irvine	L 2-3	17-25,18-25,25-18,25-22,7-15	0
Jan 09	at #10 Hawai'i	L 0-3	24-26,19-25,18-25	2893
Jan 16	at Ball State	L 2-3	31-29,25-22,24-26,19-25,12-15	1513
Jan 17	at #13 IPFW	L 1-3	26-24,20-25,21-25,19-25	1316
Jan 23	#1 LOYOLA	L 1-3	26-28,24-26,25-23,21-25	902
Jan 24	#2 LEWIS	L 1-3	18-25,25-18,22-25,20-25	650
Jan 30	MOUNT OLIVE	w 3-0	25-18,25-11,25-10	761
*Jan 31	SAINT FRANCIS	w 3-0	25-18,25-18,25-18	1721
Feb 06	ERSKINE	w 3-0	25-17,25-14,25-19	650
Feb 10	at #12 Ohio State	L 0-3	24-26,22-25,23-25	448
*Feb 14	GEORGE MASON	w 3-0	26-24,26-24,25-18	520
Feb 20	at #2 Lewis	L 1-3	15-25,28-26,18-25,20-25	1122
Feb 21	at #1 Loyola	L 1-3	16-25,19-25,25-20,19-25	1803
*Feb 27	at Sacred Heart	w 3-0	25-16,25-11,25-21	105
*Feb 28	at Harvard	w 3-1	21-25,25-14,25-23,25-22	467
Mar 10	at #7 USC	w 3-0	25-18,25-19,25-21	450
Mar 13	vs CSUN	w 3-0	25-20,25-21,25-16	768
Mar 14	at #8 Long Beach State	w 3-0	25-22,25-15,25-19	873
Mar 21	#11 OHIO STATE	w 3-2	22-25,25-22,25-20,22-25,15-9	1025
*Mar 27	PRINCETON	w 3-0	25-19,25-21,25-23	621
*Mar 28	NJIT	w 3-2	27-29,25-15,23-25,25-16,15-13	671
*Apr 04	at George Mason	w 3-0	25-19,25-22,25-13	652
*Apr 10	HARVARD	w 3-2	25-20,20-25,24-26,25-21,15-10	842
*Apr 11	SACRED HEART	w 3-1	25-15,20-25,25-17,25-18	921
*Apr 17	at Princeton	w 3-1	25-27,25-19,25-21,25-15	1745
*Apr 18	at NJIT	w 3-0	30-28,25-21,25-21	299
*Apr 25	at Saint Francis	w 3-0	25-21,25-19,25-22	969
Apr 29	PRINCETON	w 3-0	25-20,25-17,25-10	616
May 01	GEORGE MASON	w 3-0	25-16,25-17,25-17	721

Record in 3-set matches: 14-2  
 Record in 4-set matches: 3-5  
 Record in 5-set matches: 3-2

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## 2015 SCHEDULE & RESULTS (20-9, 12-0 EIVA)

DATE	OPPONENT	W/L	SCORE	SET SCORES	SITE	ATT.	RECORD	TIME
1/8	#8 UC Irvine@	L	3-2	17-25, 18-25, 25-18, 25-22, 15-7	Honolulu, Hawaii	---	0-1	2:08
1/9	#10 Hawaii@	L	3-0	24-26, 19-25, 18-25	Honolulu, Hawaii	2,750	0-2	2:10
1/16	Ball State	L	3-2	31-29, 25-22, 24-26, 19-25, 12-15	Muncie, Ind.	1,513	0-3	2:31
1/17	#13 IPFW	L	3-1	26-24, 20-25, 21-25, 19-25	Fort Wayne, Ind.	1,316	0-4	2:00
1/23	#1 Loyola	L	3-1	26-27, 24-26, 25-23, 21-25	University Park, Pa.	902	0-5	2:07
1/24	#2 Lewis	L	3-1	18-25, 25-18, 22-25, 20-25	University Park, Pa.	650	0-6	1:54
1/30	Mount Olive	W	3-0	25-18, 25-11, 25-10	University Park, Pa.	761	1-6	1:11
1/31	Saint Francis	W	3-0	25-18, 25-18, 25-18	University Park, Pa.	1,721	2-6	1:14
2/6	Erskine	W	3-0	25-17, 25-14, 25-19	University Park, Pa.	650	3-6	1:10
2/10	#12 Ohio State	L	3-0	24-26, 22-25, 23-25	Columbus, Ohio	448	3-7	1:30
2/14	George Mason	W	3-0	26-24, 26-24, 25-18	University Park, Pa.	520	4-7	1:26
2/20	#2 Lewis	L	3-1	15-25, 28-26, 25-18, 25-20	Romeoville, Ill.	1,122	4-8	2:04
2/21	#1 Loyola	L	3-1	16-25, 19-25, 25-20, 19-25	Chicago, Ill.	1,803	4-9	1:34
2/27	Sacred Heart	W	3-0	25-16, 25-11, 25-21	Fairfield, Conn.	105	5-9	1:12
2/28	Harvard	W	3-1	21-25, 25-14, 25-23, 25-22	Cambridge, Mass.	467	6-9	1:35
3/10	#7 USC	W	3-0	25-18, 25-19, 25-21	Los Angeles, Calif.	450	7-9	1:28
3/13	Cal State Northridge	W	3-0	25-20, 25-21, 25-16	Long Beach, Calif.	768	8-9	1:11
3/14	#8 Long Beach State	W	3-0	25-22, 25-15, 25-19	Long Beach, Calif.	873	9-9	1:20
3/21	#11 Ohio State	W	3-2	22-25, 25-22, 25-20, 22-25, 15-9	University Park, Pa.	1,025	10-9	2:12
3/27	Princeton	W	3-0	25-19, 25-21, 25-23	University Park, Pa.	621	11-9	1:24
3/28	NJIT	W	3-2	27-29, 25-15, 23-25, 25-16, 15-13	University Park, Pa.	671	12-9	2:07
4/4	George Mason	W	3-0	25-19, 25-22, 25-13	University Park, Pa.	652	13-9	1:10
4/10	Harvard	W	3-2	25-20, 20-25, 24-26, 25-21, 15-10	University Park, Pa.	842	14-9	2:07
4/11	Sacred Heart	W	3-1	25-15, 20-25, 25-17, 25-18	University Park, Pa.	921	15-9	1:48
4/17	Princeton	W	3-1	25-27, 25-19, 25-21, 25-15	Princeton, N.J.	1,745	16-9	1:49
4/18	NJIT	W	3-0	30-28, 25-21, 25-21	Newark, N.J.	299	17-9	1:27
4/26	Saint Francis	W	3-0	25-21, 25-19, 25-22	Loretto, Pa.	969	18-9	1:26
4/29	Princeton	W	3-0	25-20, 25-17, 25-10	University Park, Pa.	616	19-9	1:07
5/1	George Mason	W	3-0	25-16, 25-17, 25-17	University Park, Pa.	721	20-9	1:12

@ - indicates match played at the Outrigger Invitational in Honolulu, Hawaii

## TEAM MATCH-BY-MATCH STAT COMPARISON

DATE	OPPONENT	SETS	KILLS	HITTING %	ACES	DIGS	TOTAL TEAM BLOCKS	TOTAL PTS SCORED*
Jan. 8	UC Irvine/PSU	5	57/39	.352/.140	9/7	29/27	13.0/7.0	79.0/53.0
Jan. 9	Hawaii/PSU	3	37/41	.322/.170	4/4	34/33	7.5/9.0	54.0/48.5
Jan. 16	Ball State/PSU	5	66/68	.331/.265	8/5	52/54	13.0/6.5	87.0/79.5
Jan. 17	IPFW/PSU	4	51/46	.430/.242	8/6	28/26	12.5/5.5	71.5/57.5
Jan. 23	Loyola/PSU	4	62/58	.287/.226	5/2	58/54	14.0/7.5	81.0/67.5
Jan. 24	Lewis/PSU	4	57/62	.380/.303	3/4	41/45	12.5/2.0	72.5/68.0
Jan. 30	Mount Olive/PSU	3	19/42	.053/.425	0/9	15/39	5.0/7.5	24.0/58.5
Jan. 31	Saint Francis/PSU	3	28/37	.203/.300	1/10	23/27	5.0/5.5	34.0/52.5
Feb. 6	Erskine/PSU	3	29/38	.118/.500	5/5	23/24	3.0/11.0	37.0/54.0
Feb. 10	Ohio State/PSU	3	44/39	.276/.235	2/0	36/35	6.0/8.5	52.0/47.5
Feb. 14	George Mason/PSU	3	28/46	.136/.292	2/2	20/33	9.0/8.0	39.0/56.0
Feb. 20	Lewis/PSU	4	45/51	.404/.375	5/2	29/41	20.5/3.5	56.5/70.5
Feb. 21	Loyola/PSU	4	53/39	.374/.114	5/4	36/28	12.0/4.0	70.0/47.0
Feb. 27	Sacred Heart/PSU	3	28/35	.125/.403	1/6	18/29	4.0/8.0	33.0/49.0
Feb. 28	Harvard/PSU	4	39/57	.229/.268	1/10	22/33	11.0/6.0	51.0/73.0
March 10	USC/PSU	3	32/48	.198/.422	4/2	24/45	6.5/2.0	38.0/56.5
March 13	CSUN/PSU	3	22/40	.118/.195	1/12	15/27	6.0/8.0	29.0/60.0
March 14	LBSU/PSU	3	28/46	.187/.293	2/8	13/29	12.5/8.5	42.5/62.5
March 21	Ohio State/PSU	5	53/67	.320/.313	6/4	30/48	14.5/6.0	73.5/77.0
March 27	Princeton/PSU	3	40/32	.427/.356	4/6	15/21	4.0/5.0	48.0/43.0
March 28	NJIT/PSU	5	58/65	.216/.311	5/2	40/44	12.5/13.5	75.5/80.5
April 4	George Mason/PSU	3	30/47	.239/.520	1/4	17/24	4.0/4.5	35.0/55.5
April 10	Harvard/PSU	5	49/65	.212/.178	1/7	43/55	9.0/6.5	59.0/78.5
April 11	Sacred Heart/PSU	4	41/40	.153/.278	39/39	31/34	3.0/20.5	48.0/70.5
April 17	Princeton/PSU	4	40/43	.190/.241	6/8	35/18	9.0/11.0	57.0/60.0
April 18	NJIT/PSU	3	33/48	.265/.359	7/3	26/36	7.0/3.0	47.0/54.0
April 25	Saint Francis/PSU	3	40/41	.264/.333	0/2	20/24	5.0/6.5	45.0/49.5
April 29	Princeton/PSU	3	27/42	.105/.500	1/7	10/18	3.5/7.5	31.5/56.5
May 1	George Mason/PSU	3	22/48	.159/.500	3/6	15/30	4.5/7.0	29.5/61.0

# PENN STATE MEN'S VOLLEYBALL

## INDIVIDUAL PLAYER MATCH-BY-MATCH HIGHS

DATE	OPPONENT	KILLS	ATTACKS	ASSISTS	DIGS	TOTAL BLOCKS
Jan. 8	No. 8 UC Irvine	Russell - 19	Russell -35	Hammond - 33	Russell - 9	Sauter - 3 Seifert - 3
Jan. 9	No. 10 Hawaii	Goodell - 14	Goodell - 32	Hammond - 24	Russell - 8	Callaway - 4
Jan. 16	Ball State	Russell -32	Russell - 57	Hammond - 60	Curry - 17	Seifert - 3 Russell - 3
Jan. 17	No. 13 IPFW	Russell - 20	Russell -32	Hammond - 40	Curry - 9	Goodell - 3
Jan. 23	No. 1 Loyola	Goodell - 19	Goodell - 53	Hammond - 47	Curry - 12	Sauter - 5
Jan. 24	No. 2 Lewis	Russell - 23	Goodell - 45	Hammond - 52	Russell - 9 Sauter - 9	Sauter - 2
Jan. 30	Mount Olive	Nugent - 16	Nugent - 22 Goodell - 22	Hammond -36	Hammond - 9	Seifert - 4
Jan. 31	Saint Francis	Russell - 17	Russell - 24	Hammond - 33	Curry - 11	Russell - 3
Feb. 6	Erskine	Russell - 12 Nugent - 12	Russell - 23	Hammond - 32	Curry - 10	Nugent - 5 Callaway - 5
Feb. 10	No. 12 Ohio State	Russell - 14	Goodell - 31	Hammond - 33	Curry - 13	Hammond - 5
Feb. 14	George Mason	Russell - 17	Russell - 33	Hammond - 41	Curry - 9	Callaway - 4
Feb. 20	No. 2 Lewis	Goodell - 20	Goodell - 44	Hammond - 43	Curry - 11	Goodell - 2 Albrecht - 2
Feb. 21	No. 1 Loyola	Russell - 12	Russell - 32	Hammond - 21	Russell - 6	Albrecht - 3
Feb. 27	Sacred Heart	Russell - 11 Nugent - 11	Russell - 18 Nugent - 18 Goodell - 18	Hammond - 30	Hammond - 7	Albrecht - 4
Feb. 28	Harvard	Goodell - 25	Goodell - 40	Hammond - 49	Curry - 12	Russell - 3
March 10	No. 7 USC	Russell - 20	Goodell - 31	Hammond - 39	Curry - 12	Seifert - 3 Callaway - 3
March 13	CSUN	Russell - 16	Russell - 28	Hammond - 35	Russell - 10	Seifert - 4
March 14	No. 8 LBSU	Russell - 19	Russell - 29	Hammond - 39	Penrose - 8	Callaway - 7
March 21	No. 11 Ohio State	Russell - 30	Russell - 48	Hammond - 61	Russell - 14	Russell - 3 Seifert - 3
March 27	Princeton	Russell - 12	Russell - 23	Hammond -23	Hammond - 6	Seifert - 4
March 28	NJIT	Russell - 26	Russell - 47	Hammond - 59	Russell - 15	Callaway - 7
April 4	George Mason	Russell - 15	Nugent - 21	Hammond - 38	Russell - 9	Penrose - 2
April 10	Harvard	Russell - 26	Russell - 54	Hammond - 56	Curry - 19	Seifert - 3
April 11	Sacred Heart	Goodell - 14	Goodell - 28	Hammond - 37	Russell - 8	Callaway - 12
April 17	Princeton	Russell - 14	Russell - 28	Hammond - 23	Curry - 10	Callaway - 7
April 18	NJIT	Russell - 17	Russell - 28	Hammond - 41	Curry - 11	Callaway - 2
April 25	Saint Francis	Russell - 16	Russell - 26	Hammond - 34	Curry - 11	Seifert - 5
April 29	Princeton	Russell - 19	Russell - 25	Hammond - 39	Curry - 5	Russell/Nugent - 2 Callaway/Seifert - 2
May 1	George Mason	Russell - 15	Goodell - 22	Hammond - 41	Goodell - 8	Callaway - 5
<b>TOTALS (INCLUDING TIES)</b>		Russell - 23 Goodell - 5 Nugent - 3	Russell - 18 Goodell - 10 Nugent - 2	Hammond - 29	Russell - 9 Curry - 15 Sauter - 2 Hammond - 3 Penrose - 1 Goodell - 8	Sauter - 3 Seifert - 10 Callaway - 12 Russell - 5 Albrecht - 3 Goodell - 1 Hammond - 1 Penrose - 2 Nugent - 1

## 2015 PENN STATE SUPERLATIVES

THREE SETS	INDIVIDUAL	TEAM
Kills:	20 - Aaron Russell at USC (3/10)	48, 3x last - vs. George Mason (5/1)
Attacks:	33 - Nick Goodell vs. George Mason (2/14)	98 - at Ohio State (2/10)
Attack Percentage*:	.750 (20-2-25) - Aaron Russell at USC (3/10)	.520 (47-8-75) - at George Mason (4/4)
Assists:	41, 3x last - Taylor Hammond vs. George Mason (5/1)	46 - at USC (3/10)
Aces:	7 - Chris Nugent vs. Saint Francis (1/31)	12 - vs. CSUN (3/13)
Digs:	13 - Connor Curry vs. George Mason (2/14)	39 - vs. Mount Olive (1/30)
Solo Blocks:	2, 2x last - Aaron Russell at Sacred Heart (2/27)	3, 3x last - at George Mason (4/4)
Block Assists:	6 - Matt Callaway at LBSU (3/14)	16 - vs. CSUN (3/13)
Total Blocks:	7 - Matt Callaway at LBSU (3/14)	11.0 - vs. Erskine (2/6)

FOUR SETS	INDIVIDUAL	TEAM
Kills:	25 - Nick Goodell at Harvard (2/28)	62 - vs. Lewis (1/24)
Attacks:	44 - Aaron Russell vs. Lewis (1/24)	155 - vs. Loyola (1/23)
Attack Percentage*:	.562 (11-2-16) Matt Callaway vs. Lewis (1/24)	.375 (51-31-120) vs. Lewis (2/20)
Assists:	52 - Taylor Hammond vs. Lewis (1/24)	60 - vs. Lewis (1/23)
Aces:	4 - Aaron Russell at Princeton (4/17)	10, 2x last - vs. Sacred Heart (4/11)
Digs:	12, 2x last - Connor Curry at Harvard (2/28)	54 - vs. Loyola (1/23)
Solo Blocks:	2 - Aaron Russell, at Harvard (2/28)	5 - vs. Sacred Heart (4/11)
Block Assists:	11 - Matt Callaway vs. Sacred Heart (4/11)	31 - vs. Sacred Heart (4/11)
Total Blocks:	12 - Matt Callaway vs. Sacred Heart (4/11)	20.5 - vs. Sacred Heart (4/11)

FIVE SETS	INDIVIDUAL	TEAM
Kills:	32 - Aaron Russell at Ball State (1/16)	68 - at Ball State (1/16)
Attacks:	57 - Aaron Russell at Ball State (1/16)	163 - vs. Harvard (4/10)
Attack Percentage*:	.458 (30-8-48) - Aaron Russell vs. Ohio State (3/21)	.313 (67-26-131) vs. Ohio State (3/21)
Assists:	61 - Taylor Hammond - vs. Ohio State (3/21)	65, 2x last - vs. Ohio State (3/21)
Aces:	3, 2x last - Aaron Russell vs. Harvard (4/10)	7 - vs. Harvard (4/10)
Digs:	19 - Connor Curry vs. Harvard (4/10)	55 - vs. Harvard (4/10)
Solo Blocks:	2 - Matt Seifert vs. Harvard (4/10)	3, 2x last - vs. NJIT (4/10)
Block Assists:	6 - Matt Callaway vs. NJIT (3/28)	21 - vs. NJIT(3/28)
Total Blocks:	7 - Matt Callaway vs. NJIT (3/28)	13.5 - vs. NJIT (3/28)

## 2015 OPPONENT SUPERLATIVES

THREE SETS	INDIVIDUAL	TEAM
Kills:	16 - Nicolas Szerszen, Ohio State (2/14)	44 - Ohio State (2/10)
Attacks:	34, 2x last - Sinisa Zarkovic, Hawaii (4/9)	98 - Ohio State (2/10)
Attack Percentage*:	.714 (6-1-7) - Brian Negrón, George Mason (2/14)	.427 (40-8-75) - Princeton (3/27)
Assists:	37 - Christy Blough, Ohio State (2/10)	39 - Hawaii (1/9)
Aces:	2, 3x last - Jack Wilson, George Mason (5/1)	4, 3x last - Princeton (3/27)
Digs:	12 - Kolby Kanetake, Hawaii (1/9)	36 - Ohio State (2/10)
Solo Blocks:	2 - Sinisa Zarkovic, Hawaii (1/9)	2, 3x last - LBSU (3/14)
Block Assists:	6, 2x last - Taylor Gregory, LBSU (3/14)	21 - LBSU (3/14)
Total Blocks:	6, 2x last - Taylor Gregory, LBSU (3/14)	12.5 - LBSU (3/14)

FOUR SETS	INDIVIDUAL	TEAM
Kills:	21 - Thomas Jaeschke, Loyola (1/23)	62 - Loyola (1/23)
Attacks:	53 - Thomas Jaeschke, Loyola (1/23)	143 - Loyola (1/23)
Attack Percentage*:	.667 (9-1-12) - Jeff Jendryk, Loyola (2/21)	.430 (51-11-93) - IPFW (1/17)
Assists:	51 - Peter Hutz, Loyola (1/23)	57 - Loyola (1/23)
Aces:	4 - Cody Kessel, Princeton (4/17)	8 - IPFW (1/17)
Digs:	14 - Cody Caldwell, Loyola (1/23)	58 - Loyola (1/23)
Solo Blocks:	3 - David Stearns, Princeton (4/17)	7 - Princeton (4/17)
Block Assists:	8 - Ramon Burgos, IPFW (1/17)	37 - Lewis (2/20)
Total Blocks:	8 - Ramon Burgos, IPFW (1/17)	20.5 - Lewis (2/20)

FIVE SETS	INDIVIDUAL	TEAM
Kills:	22 - TJ Jurko, NJIT (3/28)	66 - Ball State (1/16)
Attacks:	47 - TJ Jurko, NJIT (3/28)	145 - Ball State (1/16)
Attack Percentage*:	.545 (7-1-11) Matt Walsh, Ball State (1/16)	.352 - UC Irvine (1/8)
Assists:	56 - Hiago Garchet, Ball State (1/16)	60 - Ball State (1/16)
Aces:	6 - Brendan Surane, Ball State (1/16)	9 - UC Irvine (1/8)
Digs:	17 - David Vander Meer, Ball State (1/16)	52 - Ball State (1/16)
Solo Blocks:	1, 6x - Chris Kaepernick, NJIT (3/28)	4 - Ohio State (3/21)
Block Assists:	8, 2x last - Matt Walsh, Ball State (1/16)	24 - Ball State (1/16)
Total Blocks:	8, 2x last - Matt Walsh, Ball State (1/16)	14.5 - Ohio State (3/21)

\* a minimum of six kills required for individual attack percentage \*\* rally-scoring-era school record