



WASHINGTON STATE VOLLEYBALL

COUGARS RANKED NO. 18

Wed., Oct. 18 @Arizona State 7 p.m.TV

Fri., Oct. 21 @Arizona 6 p.m.TV

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2016 WSU VOLLEYBALL SCHEDULE / RESULTS 15-5 overall, 5-3 Pac-12

AUGUST

Purdue Mortar Board Premier
Tournament, West Lafayette, Ind.
26 W, 3-0 v. No. 24 Kentucky
L, 1-3 @No 20 Purdue
27 W, 3-1 v. Wyoming

SEPTEMBER

Long Beach State Tournament
2 W, 3-0 vs. Northeastern
3 W, 3-1 vs. UC Irvine
W, 3-0 @Long Beach State

Cougar Challenge, Pullman

9 W, 3-0 vs. Maryland E. Shore
W, 3-0 vs. George Washington
10 W, 3-0 vs. Idaho

Baylor Classic, Waco, Texas

16 W, 3-0 vs. Col. of Charleston
17 W, 3-0 vs. Virginia
L, 2-3 @Baylor

21 W, 3-1 @*No. 4 Washington
23 W, 3-2 @*No. 9 UCLA
30 W, 3-2 *No. 9 Stanford

OCTOBER

2 W, 3-0 *California
7 W, 3-1 @*Oregon State
9 L, 0-3 @*No. 20 Oregon
14 L, 2-3 *Colorado
16 L, 2-03 *No. 21 Utah
19 @*Arizona State 7 p.m.TV
21 @*Arizona 6 p.m.TV
28 @*Stanford 6 p.m.TV
29 @*California 7 p.m.

NOVEMBER

4 vs. *Oregon State 7 p.m.
6 vs. *Oregon 11 a.m.TV
11 vs. *Arizona State 7 p.m.
13 vs. *Arizona 11 a.m.TV
17 @*Utah 5 p.m.TV
20 @*Colorado 11 a.m.
23 vs. *USC 7 p.m.
26 vs. *Washington TBD TV

* = Pac-12 Conference Matches
TV = Pac-12 Networks

No. 18 WSU HEADS TO THE DESERT FOR QUICK TURNAROUND MATCHES

The Washington State University volleyball team, 15-5 overall, 5-3 Pac-12, is ranked No. 18 in the Oct. 17 AVCA Coaches Top 25 Poll...Cougars are in a 7-way tie for second place in the Pac-12 Conference...WSU travels to the desert schools this week for EARLY competition, playing at Tempe versus Arizona State (8-12, 1-7) Wed., Oct. 21, at 7 p.m., and at Tucson versus Arizona (13-7, 5-3) for a Fri., Oct. 23, 6 p.m. match...this will be one of the rare times when WSU will be both opponents' first match of the week...both Cougar matches will be on Pac-12 Network...announcers for the WSU-ASU match are Daron Sutton and Amy Gant...announcers for WSU-Arizona match are Krista Blunk and Don Shaw...links are at wsucougars.com.

TUNE IN FOR COUGAR VOLLEYBALL ROAD MATCHES ON RADIO

Cougar volleyball fans can listen to all the road contests during the 2016 season LIVE in the Palouse on KQQQ-1150 AM...veteran area broadcaster Steve Grubbs is the voice of Cougar volleyball for the 11th consecutive season...road match audio is also available online at wsucougars.com.

COUGAR COACHING STAFF

Jen Stinson Greeny is in her sixth season as WSU's head coach (84-97 at WSU, 6 years; 196-121 in career, 10 years) - complete Greeny bio on page 4...assistant coaches Burdette Greeny (sixth year) and Shannon Hunt (fourth year)...all coaches are former WSU student-athletes...volunteer coach Milan Vucinic (first year)...Katie Hinrichs is coordinator of operations (sixth year).

COUGAR VOLLEYBALL IN THE NATIONAL STANDINGS

The WSU volleyball team is ranked No. 18 in the American Volleyball Coaches Association (AVCA) Coaches Top 25 Poll for Week 8 (Oct. 17)...the highest AVCA ranking of the season was 10th in the Oct. 3 poll after three consecutive upset wins (@No. 4 UW, @No. 9 UCLA, No. 9 Stanford) over Top 10 teams...previous AVCA rankings were: No. 17 (Sept. 26) - WSU's first top 25 ranking since the 2009 season (21st was highest that year) and No. 13 (Oct. 10)...WSU's highest ranking, No. 5 (Oct. 17, 1995) when Head Coach Jen Stinson Greeny and Asst. Coach Shannon Wyckoff Hunt were Cougar starters)...other national rankings for Oct. 17: **PrepVolleyball.com College Top 50 rankings, WSU is ranked No. 29...WSU is ranked No. 18 in the Rich Kern Poll, No. 15 in the Pablo Rankings, No. 22 in the RKPI, 20th in the Massey Ratings, and 21st in the NCAA RPI.**

PAC-12 CONFERENCE 2016 STANDINGS (through 10/16)

(Nat. Rankings)	Conference	Overall	Streak
Washington (7)	6-2	16-2	Won 5
UCLA (15)	5-3	14-4	Won 2
Washington State (18)	5-3	15-5	Lost 3
Utah (20)	5-3	14-5	Won 1
Oregon (23)	5-3	12-5	Lost 2
Stanford (14)	5-3	11-5	Won 1
USC (25)	5-3	13-6	Won 2
Arizona (RV)	5-3	13-7	Lost 1
Colorado (RV)	3-5	11-7	Lost 1
California	2-6	8-10	Won 1
Oregon State	1-7	8-11	Lost 4
Arizona State	1-7	8-12	Lost 1





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COUGAR QUICK FACTS

Location: Pullman, Washington
Founded/Enrollment: 1890 / 19,556
President: Kirk H. Schulz
Faculty Athletic Rep: Ken Casavant
Director of Athletics: Bill Moos
Deputy Director/SWA: Anne McCoy
Mascot: Cougars **Colors:** Crimson & Gray
Facility: Bohler Gym (capacity 3,000)
Conference: Pac-12

COACHING STAFF

Head Coach: Jen Greeny (6th Year)
 WSU Record: 84-97 (6 yrs)
 Career Record: 196-121 (10 yrs)
 Alma Mater: WSU, 1999
Assistant Coach: Burdette Greeny (6th)
 Alma Mater: WSU 1999
Assistant Coach: Shannon Hunt (5th)
 Alma Mater: WSU 1998
Operations Coord: Katie Hinrichs (6th)
 Alma Mater: Lewis-Clark St., 2011
Volunteer Coach: Milan Vucinic (1st)
Technical Coord: Colby Stricker (1st)
Sport Assistant: Shelley McLam

TEAM HISTORY

First Season: 1973
All-Time Record: 656-694-14 (.481)
NCAA Appearances: 10 (9-10 record)
 (1991, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 2000, 01, 02, 09)
Best NCAA Finishes: Elite 8 (1996, 2002)

2016 ACCOLADES

Preseason All-Pac-12 - Kyra Holt
Pac-12 All-Star China Tour - Kyra Holt
US Collegiate National Team- Europe
12th Annual Global Challenge Champions - McKenna Woodford, Casey Schoenlein, Jen Greeny, Asst. Coach
Purdue Mortar Board Premier Champs
 Kyra Holt, MVP; All-Tournament:
 Hailey Bethune and Taylor Mims
LBSU Mizuno Invitational - Undefeated
Cougar Challenge Champions
 Hailey Bethune, MVP; All-Tournament:
 Kyra Holt and McKenna Woodford
Baylor Classic (2nd) - Best Attacker:
 Kyra Holt; Best Blocker: Claire Martin
Pac-12 Players of the Week:
 Sept. 19-25 - Kyra Holt (Offense)
 Claire Martin (Defense)
 Oct. 3 - Taylor Mims (Offense)



Washington State University 2016 Volleyball Roster

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Yr.	Exp.	Hometown (Previous School)
1	Treyanna Freitas	DS/L	5-4	FR	HS	Makawao, Hawai'i (King Kekaulike HS)
2	Julia Cubbedge	OH	5-8	SO	TR	Murrieta, Calif. (Chapparral HS/Colorado St.)
3	Nicole Rigoni	S	5-8	JR	TR	Beaverton, Ore. (Southridge HS/E. Washington)
4	Alexis Dirige	DS/L	5-2	FR	HS	San Francisco, Calif. (Sacred Heart Cathedral Prep.)
5	McKenna Woodford	OH	6-4	SO	1V	Chandler, Ariz. (Hamilton HS)
6	Jocelyn Urias	MB	6-3	SO	1V	Tijuana, Mexico (José Vasconcelos Bilingual School)
7	Katelyn Vander Tuig	S	5-10	SO	1V	Tulare, Calif. (Central Valley Christian HS)
10	Taylor Mims	MB	6-3	SO	1V	Billings, Mont. (Billings Senior HS)
12	Claire Martin	MB	6-4	SO	1V	Bremerton, Wash. (Bellarmine Prep)
13	Olivia Coale	DS	5-6	SO	1V	Vancouver, Wash. (Skyview HS)
14	Haley MacDonald	S	6-0	SR	3V	Bothell, Wash. (Jackson HS)
17	Tani Stephens	DS	5-8	SR	3V	Albany, Ore. (West Albany HS)
18	Ella Lajos	MB	6-3	SO	1V	San Jose, Calif. (Valley Christian HS)
20	Hailey Bethune	OH	6-0	SR	3V	Stockton, Calif. (Lincoln HS)
21	Casey Schoenlein	OH	6-5	JR	2V	Bellevue, Wash. (Newport HS)
22	Kyra Holt	OH	6-1	SR	3V	Hercules, Calif. (Albany HS)

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Instagram: [washingtonstatevolleyball](https://www.instagram.com/washingtonstatevolleyball)

HOME MATCH WEBCASTS

Home matches for the WSU volleyball team in 2016 not broadcast by Pac-12 Networks are webcast at www.wsucougars.com...WSU student Trevor Williams returns for his third season...WSU digs record-holder Kate Sommer provides color commentary...click on Live Video to view home matches.



CATCHIN' UP WITH CASEY

Junior Casey Schoenlein will be sharing the student-athlete point of view on Cougar Volleyball throughout the season with her blog entries called *Catchin' Up with Casey*...a Communication major, Casey will share her observations as well as regale the fun times with her teammates...look for *Catchin' Up with Casey* on wsucougars.com.



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AVCA DI Coaches Top 25 Poll Oct. 17, 2016

Rank	School (1st-Place Votes)	Total Pts.	'16 Record	Last Week
1	Nebraska (62)	1598	16-1	2
2	Texas (1)	1478	14-2	4
3	Minnesota	1446	14-3	3
4	Wisconsin	1431	15-2	1
5	San Diego	1355	17-2	5
6	Kansas	1235	17-2	6
7	Washington	1195	16-2	7
8	North Carolina	1137	16-2	8
9	Penn State (1)	1119	16-3	10
10	Florida	1097	17-2	9
11	Michigan State	838	16-4	14
12	Florida State	829	14-3	15
13	Hawai'i	716	14-5	17
14	Stanford	661	11-5	12
15	UCLA	629	14-4	20
16	BYU	620	17-3	11
	Michigan	620	16-4	18
18	Washington State	449	15-5	13
19	Ohio State	430	13-7	19
20	Utah	379	14-5	21
21	Kentucky	328	15-4	23
22	Illinois	291	13-6	24
23	Oregon	255	12-5	16
24	Purdue	155	12-7	22
25	USC	108	13-6	NR

Others Receiving Votes and listed on two or more ballots: Arizona 104, Western Kentucky 101, Colorado 78, Dayton 46, Creighton 24, Missouri 12, UNLV 8, Kansas State 4.

Other Oct. 17 National Rankings

Rich Kern Poll

- Nebraska
- Wisconsin
- Texas
- Minnesota
- San Diego
- Florida
- Penn State
- Kansas
- Washington
- North Carolina

Pablo Rankings

- Nebraska
- Minnesota
- Penn State
- Wisconsin
- Florida
- Stanford
- Texas
- UCLA
- Washington
- BYU

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(Complete rankings are available at www.richkern.com.)

15. WSU

RRPI Rankings: 22nd (5th in Pac-12)

PrepVolleyball.com Rankings:

Oct. 17 - WSU is 29th

Massey Ratings:

Oct. 17 - WSU is 20th

NCAA RPI Rankings (329 teams)

Oct. 17: WSU is 21st (5th in Pac-12)

WSU PAC-12 CONFERENCE OPPONENTS THIS WEEK

ABOUT THE ARIZONA STATE SUN DEVILS (8-12 overall, 1-7 Pac-12)

Location: Tempe, Arizona

Enrollment: 91,322

Colors: Maroon and Gold

Arena/Capacity: Wells Fargo Arena / 10,734

Head Coach: Stevie Mussie (UW '07)

Record at Arizona State/Years: 8-12 / 1

Career Record/Years: 8-12 / 1

Assistant Coaches: Sanja Tomasevic, Chris Rose

Series Record: Arizona State leads 34-26 - partial list below (WSU streak: -1)

Last time WSU won in Tempe: Sept. 23, 2011 (3-2)

Date	W/L	Location	Score
Sep. 21, 2012	L, 1-3	@Tempe	18-25, 25-20, 21-25, 23-25
Oct. 11, 2013	W, 3-2	Pullman	25-23, 23-25, 25-22, 17-25, 15-9
Nov. 6, 2013	L, 0-3	@Tempe	22-25, 22-25, 17-25
Oct. 19, 2014	L, 2-3	@Tempe	28-26, 25-21, 18-25, 23-25, 11-15
Nov. 21, 2014	L, 2-3	Pullman	21-25, 17-25, 25-22, 25-22, 8-15
Oct. 11, 2015	W, 3-0	Pullman	25-14, 25-17, 25-21
Nov. 8, 2015	L, 1-3	@Tempe	24-26, 21-25, 25-23, 23-25



ABOUT THE ARIZONA WILDCATS (13-7 overall, 5-3 Pac-12)

Location: Tucson, Arizona

Enrollment: 42,236

Colors: Cardinal and Navy

Arena/Capacity: McKale Center / 14,655

Head Coach: David Rubio (Cal St. Northridge '82)

Record at Arizona/Years: 472-283 / 25

Career Record DI/Years: 472-283 / 25

Assistant Coaches: Gregg Whitis, Charita Stubbs

Series Record: Arizona leads 45-15 - partial list below (WSU streak: -6)

Last time WSU won in Tucson: Oct. 19, 2006 (3-1)

Date	W/L	Location	Score
Nov. 21, 2012	W, 3-1	Pullman	25-18, 17-25, 25-20, 25-14
Oct. 13, 2013	L, 2-3	Pullman	23-25, 25-22, 25-22, 17-25, 12-15
Nov. 7, 2013	L, 0-3	@Tucson	18-25, 14-25, 24-26
Oct. 17, 2014	L, 1-3	@Tucson	19-25, 21-25, 25-23, 17-25
Nov. 22, 2014	L, 2-3	Pullman	22-25, 25-21, 23-25, 31-29, 8-15
Oct. 9, 2015	L, 2-3	Pullman	18-25, 25-18, 23-35, 25-16, 13-15
Nov. 6, 2015	L, 1-3	@Tucson	14-25, 29-27, 23-25, 22-25



COUGARS PAC-12 NOTES

> WSU opened the Pac-12 season with wins over three Top 10 teams: at No. 4 UW, at No. 9 UCLA and vs. No. 9 Stanford.

> Sept. 30 was WSU's fourth win over the Cardinal all-time (61 matches), and first time since 2002 (which was a 3-1 win in Pullman).

> This season's 5-0 Pac-12 start was the best conference start for the Cougars all-time. WSU went 4-0 in 1997 when Head Coach Jen Greeny and Assistant Coach Shannon Wyckoff were players.

> First three-set loss for WSU in 2016 was at No. 20 Oregon 10/9.

> WSU will be both ASU and Arizona's first match of the week.

> The last time WSU won at both Tempe and Tucson was in 1995.

> Out of 60 WSU v. ASU matches all-time, 16 have been 5-sets.



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Jen Greeny WSU Head Coach 2011 - Present

- > 2016 wins at No. 4 UW and at No. 9 UCLA in 72 hours.
- > BEST two-season win totals in last 13 years of program (16 in 2015 / 18 in 2013)
- > Received votes in AVCA Top 25 poll in TWO different weeks (2015)
- > 16 total WSU player records were set for Single Season Top Ten, All-time Top Ten, or Individual match Top Five in 2015 by four different players in four different positions (2015)
- > FIRST AVCA All-American in program since 1996
- > FIRST AVCA Regional Freshman of the Year in 30 years of Pac-12 program history
- > TWO First Team All-Pac-12 Selections
- > TWO First Team Pac-12 All-Freshman Selections
- > FOUR Pac-12 All-Freshman Selections
- > Led team to HIGHEST GPA in 30 years of Pac-12 program history
- > FOUR First Team All-Pac-12 Academic honorees
- > 19 players have earned All-Pac-12 Academic Honors

Collegiate Head Coach

- > FIVE Professional players coached
- > EIGHT All-Americans coached
- > FOUR AVCA Regional Coach of the Year Awards

WSU 2016 Volleyball Staff:



(L-R) Assistant Coach Shannon Hunt, Assistant Coach Burdette Greeny, Head Coach Jen Greeny, Volunteer Coach Milan Vucinic, and Operations Coordinator Katie Hinrichs.



Jen Greeny is in her sixth season at the helm of the Washington State University volleyball program with six returning starters including All-Pac-12 team selection Kyra Holt and Pac-12 All-Freshman team honoree McKenna Woodford.

Greeny and her staff have tirelessly worked to return the Cougars volleyball program to the national prominence it received when Greeny was a player and an assistant coach.

The Cougars compete in the country's strongest volleyball conference, the Pac-12 Conference, where for the last 16 consecutive seasons the conference has had six or more teams compete in the NCAA Championship tournament including the record of 10 teams in 2014. In five years, Greeny's WSU teams have posted a 51-8 non-conference record and have produced the best two-season win totals in the last 13 years of the program with 16 in 2015 and 18 in 2013. She has also changed the academic culture of the program with nine semesters of a team grade point average of 3.0 or better.

Tough competition has brought out great performances by Cougar players. In 2015, there were 16 player records written into the WSU Single Season Top Ten, Career Top Ten and the Match Top Five lists. Kate Sommer, the first recruit signed by Greeny, claimed the school digs record with 1,954 digs. Holt enters her senior season with 1,293 career kills and 91 aces. Holt, the 2013 AVCA Pacific North Region Freshman of the Year as well as an All-Pac-12 Honorable Mention and Pac-12 All-Freshman First Team selection, was a member of the 2016 summer Pac-12 All-Star squad that competed in China. Woodford and Casey Schoenlein played, and Greeny was an assistant coach, on the 2016 USA Volleyball's U.S. Collegiate National Team - Europe Tour that won the 12th Annual Global Challenge tournament in Croatia. Tani Stephens, a senior defensive specialist, found great success in summer sand volleyball tournaments including playing in the AVP Seattle Open. Stephens plans to pursue her graduate degree and play collegiate beach volleyball next spring.

Greeny became the 12th coach in the history of the WSU volleyball program in March 2011. She has compiled a five-year record of 69-92 at WSU and has a nine-year career record of 181-116. As a player, she became the seventh player in WSU history with 1,000 career kills. A three-time All-Pacific-10 selection, Greeny's statistics are still prominent in WSU's all-time career lists ranking fourth in block assists (360) and in total blocks (419), and sixth in solo blocks (59). She trained with the 1997 U.S. National volleyball team. She was WSU's Athlete of the Year in 1998-99, a CoSIDA District VIII Academic All-America first-team and second-team selection her final two years and was a Pac-10 Volleyball All-Academic selection three times. She received her bachelor's degree in education from WSU in 1999.

Under Greeny's mentoring in 2011, Megan Ganzer became the fourth All-America player in WSU history, the first since 1996. Greeny, and her assistant coach Burdette Greeny, have coached eight All-Americans and several players who have had successful professional careers including Ganzer (Puerto Rico, Romania, and Germany), Camryn Irwin (Austria and Sweden), Chelsie Bettinson (Sweden) and Anile Clemente, a three-time All-American at Lewis-Clark State (Denmark).

As the head volleyball coach at Lewis-Clark State College (Lewiston, Idaho) from 2007-10, Greeny accumulating an impressive 112-24 record (.824) while turning the Warriors' program into one of the premier NAIA teams with four consecutive Frontier Conference regular season titles and four consecutive berths to the NAIA National Tournament. The Warriors finished in the top 13 each year and ended the 2010 season at 31-3 (.912), the best mark in the program's history. Greeny was a four-time Frontier Conference Coach of the Year and the American Volleyball Coaches' Association's Northwest Region Coach of the Year.

Greeny spent four and one-half years on WSU Head Coach Cindy Fredrick's volleyball staff and had been involved in six of the 10 seasons Cougar volleyball qualified for postseason action: three as a player and three as an assistant coach. During her playing career, WSU was ranked as high as fifth in the country and made the Elite Eight of the NCAA Championships. Greeny was instrumental in WSU's second and only other NCAA Elite Eight appearance as an assistant coach in 2002.

Greeny and her husband, Burdette Greeny, a former standout pitcher at WSU and an assistant volleyball coach at WSU, have two daughters, Lauren and Leah. She is a member of the Pullman Regional Hospital Foundation. The Greenys were honored with a City of Pullman Chamber of Commerce Walk of Fame plaque in 2015.



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COUGAR VOLLEYBALL ALL-TIME STATISTICAL HIGHLIGHTS

WSU Career Top 10s:

Kills -	
2. Kyra Holt, 2013-16	1,569
Attack Attempts -	
1. Kyra Holt, 2013-16	4,476
Assists -	
5. Haley MacDonald, 2013-16	3,136
Aces -	
7. Kyra Holt, 2013-16	111
Digs -	
10. Kyra Holt, 2013-16	1,059
Points -	
1. Kyra Holt, 2013-16	1,809.5

WSU Single Season Top 10s:

Kills -	
5. Kyra Holt, 2013	479
Total Attacks -	
3. Kyra Holt, 2013	1,316
8. Kya Holt, 2015	1,250
Assists -	
9. Haley MacDonald, 2014	1,348
Points -	
2. Kyra Holt, 2013	557.5
5. Kyra Holt, 2015	487.0



COUGAR VOLLEYBALL ON THE PAC-12 TV NETWORKS

The Pac-12 TV Networks will broadcast 11 WSU volleyball matches in 2016, beginning with WSU's opening Pac-12 match against cross-state rival Washington Sept. 23 from Seattle.. other WSU Pac-12 TV contests broadcast live this year for the Cougars include Arizona, Arizona State, Oregon, Oregon State, Stanford and Utah.

PAC-12 LEADERS FROM OVERALL MATCHES (as of 10/3)

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS (TOP 10):

Rank in conference, WSU player (conf. leader)
 Kills - **6th Kyra Holt 3.68 kps** (Adora Anae, Utah 4.64 kps)
 Hitting Pct. - **9th Taylor Mims .353** (Elise Ruddins, USC .470)
 Assists - No WSU player (Bailey Tanner, Washington 10.63 aps)
 Service Aces - **7th Kyra Holt 0.27 saps** (Chrissy Jones, Washington 0.40 saps)
 Digs - **7th Alexis Dirige 3.89 dps** (Amanda Benson, Oregon 5.10 dps)
 Blocks - **1st Claire Martin 1.58 bps & 3rd Taylor Mims 1.48 bps**
 Points - **5th Kyra Holt 4.31 pps** (Adora Anae, Utah 5.29 pps)

TEAM STATISTICS:

Rank in Overall Matches (Leader)
 Kills - WSU is 11th at 12.77 kps (Oregon 14.43 kps)
 Hitting Percentage - WSU is 9th at .235 (Oregon .285)
 Opponent Hitting Pct - **WSU is 1st at .148**
 Assists - WSU is 11th at 11.80 aps (Oregon 13.53 aps)
 Service Aces - WSU is 4th at 1.20 saps (Washington 1.58 saps)
 Digs - WSU is 12th at 12.81 dps (UCLA 18.38 dps)
 Blocks - WSU is 2nd at 3.35 bps (Stanford 3.42 bps)

PAC-12 LEADERS FROM PAC-12 CONFERENCE ONLY MATCHES

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS (TOP 10):

Rank in conference, WSU player (conf. leader)
 Kills - **6th Kyra Holt 3.71 kps** (Adora Anae, Utah 4.52 kps)
 Hitting Pct. - **9th Taylor Mims .310** (Elise Ruddins, USC .456)
 Assists - **10th Haley MacDonald 5.71 aps** (Penina Snuka, Arizona 10.82 aps)
 Service Aces - **9th Kyra Holt 0.24 saps** (Kalei Mau, Arizona 0.38 saps)
 Digs - **7th Alexis Dirige 4.03 dps** (Taylor Whittingham, USC 5.57 dps)
 Blocks - **1st Claire Martin 1.64 bps & 3rd Taylor Mims 1.44 bps**
 Points - **6th Kyra Holt 4.26 pps** (Adora Anae, Utah 5.03 pps)

TEAM STATISTICS:

Rank in Overall Matches (Leader)
 Kills - WSU is 11th at 12.00 kps (USC 14.63 kps)
 Hitting Percentage - WSU is 10th at .183 (Washington .265)
 Opponent Hitting Pct - WSU is 4th at .193 (Stanford .186)
 Assists - WSU is 10th at 11.29 aps (Oregon 13.90 aps)
 Service Aces - WSU is 3rd at 1.09 saps (Washington 1.66 saps)
 Digs - WSU is 12th at 12.38 dps (UCLA 17.84 dps)
 Blocks - WSU is 2nd at 3.32 bps (Stanford 3.39 bps)

WSU IN NCAA NATIONAL STATISTICS (thru 10/16):

> WSU is 2nd in Team blocks per set at 3.35 bps
 > WSU is 3rd in Team total blocks at 251.5
 > WSU is 9th in Opponent Hitting percentage at .148
 > WSU is 40th in Win/Loss percentage at .750 (15-5)
 > WSU is 88th in Team hitting percentage at .235

INDIVIDUALS

> Claire Martin is 4th in blocks per set at 1.58 bps
 > Taylor Mims is 10th in total blocks at 111 blocks
 > Taylor Mims is 12th in blocks per set at 1.48 bps
 > Claire Martin is 15th in total blocks at 103 blocks
 > Taylor Mims is 78th in hitting percentage at .353
 > Kyra Holt is 73rd in total points at 323.0 points
 > Kyra Holt is 76th in points per set at 4.31 pps
 > Kyra Holt is 85th in total kills at 276 kills
 > Kyra Holt is 90th in kills per set at 3.68 kps



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Washington State's record when...

Playing at home: 5-2
 Playing on the road: 4-3
 Playing at a neutral site: 6-0
 Longest winning streak: 9
 Longest losing streak: 3
 Playing 3 sets: 9-1
 Playing 4 sets: 4-1
 Playing 5 sets: 2-3
 WSU wins first set: 13-0
 Opponent wins first set: 2-5
 Winning first 2 sets: 12-0
 Losing first 2 sets: 0-2
 Splitting first 2 sets: 3-3
 Hitting .250 or better: 11-1
 Hitting below .250: 4-4
 Out-hit opponents: 14-2
 Out-hit by opponents: 1-3
 Vs. ranked opponents: 4-3
 Vs. unranked opponents: 11-2
 In the Pac-12: 5-3
 Outside the conference: 10-2
 Last 5 matches: 2-3
 Last 10 matches: 6-4
 Televised matches: 3-1
 In August: 2-1
 In September: 11-1
 In October: 2-3
 In November: 0-0
 In December: 0-0

THE LAST TIME WASHINGTON STATE...

Won a match.....at Oregon State, 10/7/16
 Lost a match..... vs. No. 21 Utah, 10/16/16
 Won at home.....vs. California, 10/2/16
 Lost at home..... vs. No. 21 Utah, 10/16/16
 Won on the road*..... at Oregon State, 10/7/16
 Lost on the road*..... at No. 20 Oregon, 10/9/16
 Won 3-0 vs. California, 10/2/16
 Lost 3-0 at No. 20 Oregon, 10/9/16
 Won 3-0 at home..... vs. California, 10/2/16
 Lost 3-0 at home..... vs. Colorado, 10/24/14
 Won 3-0 on the road*..... vs. Virginia, 9/17/16
 Lost 3-0 on the road*..... at No. 20 Oregon, 10/9/16
 Won in four sets..... at Oregon State, 10/7/16
 Lost in four sets..... at No. 20 Purdue, 8/26/16
 Won in five sets..... vs. No. 9 Stanford, 9/30/16
 Lost in five sets..... vs. No. 21 Utah, 10/16/16
 Beat a Pac-12 opponent..... at Oregon State, 10/7/16
 Lost to a Pac-12 opponent..... vs. No. 21 Utah, 10/16/16
 Beat a ranked opponent.....vs. No. 9 Stanford, 9/30/16
 Lost to an unranked opponent..... at Baylor, 9/17/16
 (* road matches include neutral sites)

SINGING THE '16 SUPERLATIVES

> Pac-12 All-Star China Tour / Preseason All-Pac-12 First Team - Kyra Holt
> US Collegiate National Team- Europe - 12th Annual Global Challenge Champions
 Players McKenna Woodford, Casey Schoenlein, Jen Greeny, Asst. Coach
> Purdue Mortar Board Premier Champions - 3-0 win over No. 24 Kentucky
 Kyra Holt, MVP; All-Tournament Team: Hailey Bethune and Taylor Mims
> LBSU Mizuno Invitational - WSU Undefeated
> 16 Team Blocks in 3-0 win over Northeastern - **t-5th-best in WSU 3-set records**
> WSU wins Cougar Challenge with trio of 3-0 matches
 Hailey Bethune, MVP; All-Tournament Team: Kyra Holt, McKenna Woodford
> Baylor Classic: Kyra Holt - Best Attacker; Claire Martin - Best Blocker
> Pac-12 Players of the Week: Sept. 19-25 - Kyra Holt (Offensive), Claire Martin (Defensive); Sept. 26-Oct. 2 - Taylor Mims (Offensive)

2016 WSU VOLLEYBALL PROMOTIONAL CALENDAR

DATE OPPONENT, TIME, GIVEAWAYS & PROMOTIONS

Nov. 4 Oregon State* 7 p.m. - First 300 fans receive a Cougar Volleyball Mason Jar
 Nov. 6 Oregon* 11 a.m. - ZZU CRU 'Sunday Funday' 300 Long Sleeve Shirts/ Biscuits & Gravy, French Toast Bar/Postgame Autographs
 Nov. 11 Arizona State* 7 p.m. - Salute to Veteran's - All Veteran's receive complimentary admission
 Nov. 13 Arizona* 11 a.m. - Little Spikers Day
 Nov. 23 USC* 7 p.m. - Canned Food Drive: Bring two cans of food and purchase a ticket for \$2

All times, dates and promotions are subject to change

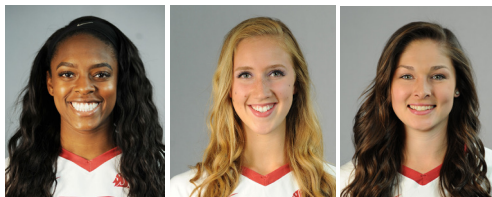


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2016 WSU VOLLEYBALL TEAM CAPTAINS



The WSU tri-captains for the 2016 team are (pictured left to right): senior outside hitter Kyra Holt, junior outside hitter Casey Schoenlein, and senior defensive specialist Tani Stephens...Holt and Stephens were also tri-captains in 2015...the captain selection is by the WSU volleyball coaching staff and current players using the volleyball program's five pillars of **Passion, Humility, Unity, Servanthood and Thankfulness**.

MEET THE 2016 COUGARS

#20 Hailey Bethune (6-0, Sr., OH, Stockton, Calif.) - Had great start at right side in 2016 season...**named MVP of Cougar Challenge** after landing 28 kills, hit .545, and had 11 blocks in trio of WSU sweeps...equaled career-high 12 kills but hit career-high .688 in win over Maryland Eastern Shore...tallied 21 kills, hit .357 at LBSU Mizuno Invite...**named to Purdue Mortar Board Premier All-Tournament team**...six kills no errors 14 attacks plus five blocks in sweep of No. 24 Kentucky...10 kills no errors in 16 attacks in 3-1 loss to No. 20 Purdue...career-high 6 digs at Baylor...season-best six blocks at Oregon State...in current team rankings: 0.87 bps is fourth, 1.56 kps and 2.03 pps are fifth-best...named to 2013 Pac-12 All-Freshman honorable mention team...named to 2015 Pac-12 All-Academic honorable mention team...last name pronounce Beth-oon.

Bethune's Season [Career] Bests:

Kills: 12 vs. Maryland Eastern Shore 9/9/16 [also 12 in 2013]

H.Pct: .688 vs. Maryland Eastern Shore 9/9/16

Digs: 6 @Baylor 9/17/16

Total Blocks: 6 @Oregon State 10/7/16 [7 in 2015]

Points: 15.0 vs. Maryland Eastern Shore 9/9/16

#13 Olivia Coale (5-6, So., DS, Vancouver, Wash.) - Seen action in eight sets in 2016...landed an ace in 3-0 win over Virginia 9/17...in 2015 played in 89 of team's 114 sets.

Coale's Season [Career] Bests:

Sets played: 8

Aces: 1 vs. Virginia 9/17/16 [4 - 2x in 2015]

Digs: 0 [3 in 2015]

Points: 1.0 vs. Virginia 9/17/16 [4.0 - 2x in 2015]

#2 Julia Cubbedge (5-8, So., OH, Murrieta, Calif.) - Transferred to WSU in January 2016 and played spring with WSU...southpaw...seen action in five sets...1 kill vs. Northeastern and 1 kill vs. Idaho...1 block assist vs. No. 21 Utah...2015 season was freshman at Colorado State, played in 31 sets for CSU in 2015 26-4 season...tallied 27 kills, hit .247, nine assists, six digs and 19 blocks.

Cubbedge's Season Bests:

Sets played: 5

Blocks: 1 vs. No. 21 Utah 10/16/16

Kills: 1 vs. Northeastern 9/2/16 & Idaho 9/10/16

Points: 1.0 vs. Northeastern 9/2/16 & vs. Idaho 9/10/16

#4 Alexis Dirige (5-2, Fr., DS/L, San Francisco, Calif.) - Filling the void of graduated WSU digs recordholder Kate Sommer...3.89 digs per set is seventh-best in Pac-12...in Pac-12 ONLY stats is also seventh with 4.03 dps...had high 24 digs in 3-1 win at No. 4 Washington and at Baylor in 3-2 loss...19 digs in 3-2 win at No. 9 UCLA...career-high 26 digs in 3-2 win over No. 9 Stanford...tallied double-digit digs in 17 of 19 matches played...name pronounced durr-ee-ghee.

Dirige's Season Bests:

Sets played: 74

Kills: 1 - 2x in 2016

Aces: 2 @No. 4 Washington 9/21/16 & vs. Colorado 10/14/16

Digs: 26 vs. No. 9 Stanford 9/30/16

#1 Trey Freitas (5-4, Fr., DS/L, Makawao, Hawai'i) - One of two freshmen in WSU program...seen action in two sets in 2016 with a service ace in 3-0 win over Maryland Eastern Shore...brings a 36-inch vertical jump to the court...selected to the 2015-16 Under Armour All-American honorable mention team...played on the Hawaiian Style Volleyball Club...name pronounced tray fray-tass.

Freitas' Season Bests:

Sets played: 2

Aces: 1 vs. Maryland Eastern Shore 9/9/16

Points: 1.0 vs. Maryland Eastern Shore 9/9/16



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#22 Kyra Holt (6-1, Sr., OH, Hercules, Calif.) - **Named Best Attacker at Baylor Classic...MVP of Purdue Mortar Board Premier and Cougar Challenge All-Tournament team...2016 Preseason All-Pac-12 selection...played on Pac-12 All-Star team that toured China summer 2016...second year as team Tri-Captain...started out 2016 season by leading team to Purdue Mortar Board Premier title...tallied 48 kills, hitting .309 with 26 digs, three aces and nine blocks...at LBSU Mizuno Invite led team with 29 kills, 26 digs and nine blocks...20 kills, hit .311 with five blocks in 3-1 loss at No. 20 Purdue...led team in trio of sweeps at Cougar Challenge with 33 kills, hit .355, 16 digs, five blocks...landed 40 kills, 35 digs, six aces and five blocks at Baylor Classic...equaled career-high aces with four vs. Virginia...**Named Pac-12 Offensive Player of Week and espnW Player of the Week** (Sept. 19-25) after opened Pac-12 season with team-high 39 kills, 21 digs in upset wins at No. 4 Washington and No. 9 UCLA...2016 season kills per set average of 3.68 kps is sixth-best in Pac-12 and 90th-best in NCAA...4.31 points per set is fifth-best in Pac-12 and 76th-best in NCAA...0.27 service aces per set is seventh-best in Pac-12...in Pac-12 ONLY stats: 3.71 kps is sixth, 4.26 pps is sixth and 0.24 aces per set is ninth...PAST HONORS: named to 2015 All-Pac-12 First Team...in 2013 named AVCA Pacific North Region Freshman of the Year, All-Pac-12 Honorable Mention, Pac-12 All-Freshman First Team...Pac-12 Freshman Player of the Week three times...CAREER STATS: **the fifth Cougar in school history to reach 1,000 kills and 1,000 digs in a career:** 1,569 kills (2nd), 4,476 attack attempts (1st), 111 aces (7th), 1,809.5 points (1st), 1,059 digs (10th), 213 block assists (20th), 236 total blocks (21st)...first name pronounced kai-rah.**

WSU CAREER RECORDS: KILLS

1. Sarah Silvernail (.301), 1993-96	1,848
2. Kyra Holt (.199), 2013-16	1,569
3. Carrie Couturier (.271), 1988-91	1,547
4. Meagan Ganzer (.226), 2008-11	1,531
5. LaToya Harris (.246), 1999-02	1,459
6. Kristen Hovde (.226), 1989-92	1,395

WSU CAREER RECORDS: ATTACK ATTEMPTS

1. Kyra Holt, 2013-16	4,476
2. Sarah Silvernail, 1993-96	4,083
3. Meagan Ganzer, 2008-11	3,941

WSU CAREER RECORDS: SERVICE ACES

1. LaToya Harris, 1999-03	143
5. Cindy Baker, 1985-88	123
6. Keren Oigman, 1994-97	115
7. Kyra Holt, 2013-16	111

WSU CAREER RECORDS: POINTS (SINCE 2001)

1 Kyra Holt, 2013-16	1809.5
2. Meagan Ganzer, 2008-11	1707.5
3. Kelly Rosin, 2003-06	1358.0
4. Jaicee Harris, 2011-14	1342.5
5. Brittany Johnson, 2005-08	1327.0

WSU CAREER RECORDS: DIGS

1. Kate Sommer, 2012-15	1,954
8. Beth Welch, 1987-89	1,111
9. Keren Oigman, 1994-97	1,070
10. Kyra Holt, 2013-16	1,059

Holt's Season [Career] Bests:

Kills: 21 @No. 4 Washington 9/21/16 & vs. No. 21 Utah 10/16/16 [28 in 2013]

H.Pct: .476 vs. Virginia 9/17/16 [.515 in 2013]

Aces: 4 vs. Virginia 9/17/16 [4 in 2013 & 2015]

Digs: 17 @Baylor 9/17/16 [21 in 2014]

Total Blocks: 6 vs. Colorado 10/14/16 [6 - 3x in 2013 & 1x in 2015]

Points: 25.5 vs. No. 21 Utah 10/16/16 [30.0 in 2013]

WSU SINGLE SEASON RECORDS: KILLS

1. Sarah Silvernail (.405), 1996	649
2. Meagan Ganzer (.251), 2011	595
3. Becky Howlett (.287), 1993	524
4. Sarah Silvernail (.329), 1995	483
5. Kyra Holt (.223), 2013	479
6. Sarah Silvernail (.262), 1994	474
7. Laurie Van Diest (.231), 1987	473
8. Kelly Hankins (.262), 1991	471
9. Meagan Ganzer (.217), 2010	467
10. Kelly Hankins (.218), 1990	459

WSU SINGLE SEASON RECORDS: ATTACK ATTEMPTS

1. Meagan Ganzer, 2011	1,457
2. Jaicee Harris, 2012	1,386
3. Kyra Holt, 2013	1,316
4. Brittany Johnson, 2006	1,285
5. Meagan Ganzer, 2010	1,268
6. Becky Howlett, 1993	1,257
7. Carla Reyes, 1989	1,256
8. Kyra Holt, 2015	1,250
9. Sarah Silvernail, 1996	1,243
10. Kelly Rosin, 2004	1,228

WSU SINGLE SEASON RECORDS: POINTS (SINCE 2001)

1. Meagan Ganzer, 2011	656.6
2. Kyra Holt, 2013	557.5
3. Meagan Ganzer, 2010	526.0
4. Jaicee Harris, 2012	493.0
5. Kyra Holt, 2015	487.0
6. Jennifer Todd, 2004	481.0
7. Kelly Rosin, 2004	474.5
8. Adrian Hankoff, 2002	464.5
9. LaToya Harris, 2002	455.9
10. Brittany Johnson, 2006	452.0



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#18 Ella Lajos (6-3, So., MB, San Jose, Calif.) - Seen action in 17 sets in 2016...three kills and five blocks in sweep of No. 24 Kentucky...two kills no errors in five attacks in 3-1 loss at No. 20 Purdue...five kills, 0 errors, 10 attacks (.500) and three blocks in 2 sets of 3-0 win over Maryland Eastern Shore...at No. 20 Oregon had three kills, hit.500 with one block...two kills in three attacks and two blocks vs. Colorado...came on strong in last half of 2015 season.

Lajos' Season [Career] Bests:

Sets played: 17

Kills: 5 vs. Maryland Eastern Shore 9/9/16 [9 - 2x in 2015]

H.Pct: .500 vs. No. 24 Kentucky 8/26/16 & vs. Maryland Eastern Shore 9/9/16 [.700 in 2015]

Total Blocks: 5 vs. No. 24 Kentucky 8/26/16 [8 in 2015]

Points: 6.5 vs. Maryland Eastern Shore 9/9/16 [12.0 in 2015]

#14 Haley MacDonald (5-11, Sr., S, Bothell, Wash.) - Southpaw...fourth year as starting setter...after three years running 5-1, new role in 2016 as part of 6-2 offense, sharing with Nicole Rigoni...tallied 29 assists and eight digs in 3-1 loss at No. 20 Purdue...33 assists in 3-2 win over No. 9 Stanford...double-doubles four times this season...averaging 5.49 assists per set/ 5.71 aps in Pac-12 ONLY stats is 10th-best...3,136 career assists is fifth-best in WSU all-time...named to 2014 and 2015 Pac-12 All-Academic honorable mention teams.

MacDonald's Season [Career] Bests:

Kills: 0 [3 - 4x in 2014 & 3x in 2013]

Aces: 2 vs. Colorado 10/14/16 & vs. No.21 Utah 10/16/16 [2 - 4x in 2014]

Assists: 33 vs. No. 9 Stanford 9/30/16 [57 in 2014]

Digs: 11 @Baylor 9/17/16 & @Oregon State 10/7/16 [13 in 2014 & in 2013]

Total Blocks: 0 [7 in 2014]

Points: 2.0 - vs. Colorado 10/14/16 & vs. No.21 Utah 10/16/16 [7.5 in 2014]

WSU CAREER RECORDS: ASSISTS

1. Keri Killebrew, 1990-92	4,553
2. Beth Welch, 1987-89	4,218
3. Stephanie Papke, 1994-97	3,839
4. Camryn Irwin, 2011-13	3,390
5. Haley MacDonald, 2013-16	3,136
6. Krista Beightol, 1990, 1992-94	2,717
7. Kali Surplus, 2000-01	2,540
8. Renee Bordelon, 2008-09	2,093
9. Brenn Larson, 2002-03	2,072
10. Maureen Perez 2005-07	1,980

WSU SINGLE SEASON RECORDS: ASSISTS

1. Keri Killebrew, 1992	1,726
2. Beth Welch, 1988	1,611
3. Keri Killebrew, 1991	1,588
4. Stephanie Papke, 1996	1,476
5. Beth Welch, 1987	1,443
6. Krista Beightol, 1993	1,431
7. Brenn Larson, 2002	1,383
8. Kali Surplus, 2000	1,357
9. Haley MacDonald, 2014	1,348
10. Rene Bordelon, 2009	1,273

#12 Claire Martin (6-4, So., MB, Bremerton, Wash.) - One of great blocking crew this season...**named Best Blocker at Baylor Classic...**@Baylor had career-high 13 blocks (11 assists/2 solos) which tied school record for blocks in a five-set match... **Named Pac-12 Defensive Player of Week** (Sept. 19-25) after match-high nine blocks in 3-2 win at No. 9 UCLA, just two days after tallying seven blocks in 3-1 upset at No. 4 Washington...tallied five kills no errors in nine attacks (.556) with three blocks in 3-1 win over Wyoming...eight kills in 3-1 win over UC Irvine...six blocks in 3-0 win at Long Beach State...career-high 13.0 points came in 5-set loss to No. 21 Utah...has .311 hitting percentage with 1.15 kps...1.58 blocks per set LEADS THE Pac-12, fourth-best in NCAA...total blocks of 103 is 15th-best in NCAA...in Pac-12 ONLY stats 1.64 bps LEADS THE Pac-12...in 2015 started 28 of 31 matches played and played in 99 of team's 114 sets...1.31 blocks per set average led team, was third-best in Pac-12 and ranked 32nd-best nationally...mechanical engineer major.

Martin's Season [Career] Bests:

Kills: 9 @No. 9 UCLA 9/23/16

H.Pct: .545 vs. UC Irvine 9/3/16

Digs: 2 @Long Beach State 9/3/16 & @No. 4 Washington 9/21/16 [3 in 2015]

Total Blocks: 13 @Baylor 9/17/16

Points: 13.0 vs. No. 21 Utah 10/16/16



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#10 Taylor Mims (6-3, So., MB, Billings, Mont.) - **Named Pac-12 Offensive Player of the Week** (Sept. 26-Oct. 2) after 21 kills, .425 hpct., 13 blocks in upset win over No. 9 Stanford and sweep of Cal...in upset wins @No. 4 UW and @No. 9 UCLA tallied 21 kills, hit .319 with 11 digs and 11 blocks...career-high eight digs @No. 9 UCLA...against Baylor had career-high 13 kills and added six blocks...eight blocks in 3-0 win over Northeastern, part of team's 16 blocks, tied for fifth-best in WSU all-time match records...career-high 11 blocks at OSU, tied Claire Martin at 4th for blocks in a four-set match...**named to Purdue Mortar Board Premier All-Tournament team**...tallied 19 kills, hit .302 with three aces and 15 blocks in tournament...1.48 blocks per set average is second-best on team, third-best in Pac-12, and 12th-best in NCAA...her .353 hpct leads team, ninth in Pac-12 and 78th-best in NCAA...111 total blocks is 10th-best in NCAA...in Pac-12 only stats, .310 hpct is leads team, ninth in conference while 1.44 bps is third-best in conference...second on team in points at 2.99 pps.

Mims' Season [Career] Bests:

Kills: 13 @Baylor 9/17/16 & @No. 9 UCLA 9/23/16

H.Pct: .600 vs. Col. of Charleston 9/16/16

Aces: 2 vs. Wyoming 8/27/16 [1 - 4x in 2015]

Digs: 8 @No. 9 UCLA 9/23/16

Total Blocks: 11 @Oregon State 10/7/16

Points: 17.0 @Baylor 9/17/16

#3 Nicole Rigoni (5-8, Jr., S, Beaverton, Ore.) - Setting in WSU's 6-2 scheme this season with four-year starter Haley MacDonald...has 4.88 assists per set...career-high 13 digs and 29 assists @Baylor...served three aces in 3-1 win over UC Irvine...10 digs in sweep of Long Beach State...had 24 assists two aces and four digs in 3-1 win over Wyoming...0.20 aces per set is second-best on team...1.65 dps average...four double-doubles this year...transferred from Eastern Washington after two seasons in January 2016...played with Cougars during spring season.

Rigoni's Season Bests:

Assists: 29 @Baylor 9/17/16

Digs: 13 @Baylor 9/17/16

Aces: 3 vs. UC Irvine 9/3/16

Points: 3.0 @Long Beach State 9/3/16

#21 Casey Schoenlein (6-5, Jr., OH, Bellevue, Wash.) - Along with Cougar teammate McKenna Woodford, among 12 chosen for the U.S. Collegiate National Team - Europe Tour that won the 12th Annual Global Challenge Tournament in Pula, Croatia...WSU Head Coach Jen Greeny was part of coaching staff....in 2016 tallied 21 kills and five blocks at Purdue Mortar Board Premier tournament...had 12 blocks and 15 kills in trio of wins at Long Beach State Mizuno tournament...in upset wins @No. 4 Washington and @No. 9 UCLA had 17 kills, hit .412 and 12 blocks...equalled career-high 11 kills (.333) @No. 9 UCLA...career-high 12 kills, hit .304, in win over No. 9 Stanford...in team stats, 1.65 kps and 2.20 pps are fourth-best, and 0.97 bps is third-best...in 2015 played in 62 sets/18 matches...last name pronounced Shane-line...named to 2015 Pac-12 All-Academic First Team...older brother Grant was a practice player at WSU and now a volunteer coach at Idaho.

Schoenlein's Season [Career] Bests:

Kills: 12 vs. No. 9 Stanford 9/30/16

H.Pct: .611 @No. 9 UCLA 9/23/16

Digs: 5 @Baylor 9/17/16 & @No. 9 UCLA 9/23/16

Total Blocks: 7 @Baylor 9/17/16 & @No. 4 Washington 9/21/16 [8 - 2x in 2015]

Points: 13.5 @No. 9 UCLA 9/23/16 [15.0 in 2015]

#17 Tani Stephens (5-7, Sr., DS, Albany, Ore.) - 2016 WSU tri-captain...seen action in 54 sets this season...career-high 18 digs in 3-1 win over Wyoming...averages 1.02 digs per set...served two aces in 3-1 win over UC Irvine.....summer 2016 played beach volleyball...won North Pacific Beach Volleyball Assn. 2s Tournament in Portland...runner-up in Chemeketa Tournament in Salem, Ore...partnered with Lauren Sieckmann for the AVP Seattle Open, June 2-5, at Lake Sammamish State Park...working toward early completion of undergraduate degree to pursue a collegiate beach volleyball career after her indoor career concludes at WSU this fall...in Pac-12 only matches, fourth-best with 0.18 aces per set...595 career digs (33rd in WSU records) and 64 career aces (t-22nd-best at WSU) in 394 sets (21st-best at WSU) in 114 matches (t-22nd at WSU)...name pronounced Tawny...2014 and 2015 Pac-12 All-Academic honorable mention teams...active leader of Student-Athlete Advisory Committee (SAAC), Reading Buddies and Cougar Pals.

Stephens' Season [Career] Bests:

Aces: 2 - 3x in 2016 [3 - 2x in 2013/, 1x in 2015]

Points: 2.0 - 3x in 2016 [3.0 - 2x in 2013 & 2x in 2015]

Digs: 18 vs. Wyoming 8/27/16



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#6 Jocelyn Urias (6-3, So., MB, Tijuana, Mexico) - Redshirt for 2016 season...in 2015 made Cougar debut vs. Utah Valley landing one kill in two attacks...three-year member of the Mexican Junior National team...selected to the Mexican National Team for competition at the 2015 FIVB (Federation Internationale de Volleyball) World Grand Prix...last name pronounced oo-ree-us.

Urias' Career Bests:

Sets Played: 4 in 2015
Total Blocks: 1 in 2015

Kills: 1 in 2015
Points: 1.0 in 2015

H.Pct: .500 in 2015

#7 Katleyn Vander Tuig (5-10, So., S, Tulare, Calif.) - Played in one set and tallied three assists vs. Maryland Eastern Shore.....in 2015 made collegiate debut versus Northwestern State with four assist attempts...saw action in two sets...younger sister of former Cougar MB Ashley Vander Tuig who recently retired due injury.

Vander Tuig's Season Bests:

Sets played: 1

Assists: 3 vs. Maryland Eastern Shore 9/9/16
Points: 0

Aces: 0

Digs: 0

#5 McKenna Woodford (6-4, So., OH, Chandler, Ariz.) - **Named to Cougar Challenge All-Tournament team** after tallying 23 kills, hit .333, two aces, 14 digs and three blocks as WSU had trio of sweeps...also stellar stats line in 3-1 win vs. UC Irvine with 17 kills, hit .467, one ace, eight digs and two blocks...tallied 28 kills, 14 digs, two aces and three blocks in winning the Purdue Mortar Board Premier tournament...at Baylor Classic, 33 kills, 18 digs, nine blocks...in Pac-12 opening matches tallied 20 kills, 10 digs and nine blocks in upsets at No. 4 Washington and No. 9 UCLA...career-high seven blocks @No. 9 UCLA...career-high two aces in win over No. 9 Stanford...2.56 kills per set and 2.97 points per set are second-best on team...along with Cougar teammate Casey Schoenlein, among 12 chosen for the U.S. Collegiate National Team - Europe Tour team that won the 12th Annual Global Challenge Tournament in Pula, Croatia...WSU Head Coach Jen Greeny was part of coaching staff...2015 Pac-12 All-Freshman First Team...two-time Pac-12 Freshman of the Week.

Woodford's Season [Career] Bests:

Kills: 17 vs. UC Irvine 9/3/16 & vs. Colorado 10/14/16 [22 in 2015]

H.Pct: .529 vs. George Washington 9/9/16 [.538 in 2015]

Aces: 2 vs. No. 9 Stanford 9/30/16 [4 in 2015]

Digs: 9 vs. Idaho 9/10/16 & Col. of Charleston 9/16/16 [17 in 2015]

Total Blocks: 7 @No. 9 UCLA 9/23/16

Points: 19.5 vs. UC Irvine 9/3/16 [23.5 in 2015]

WSU TEAM HIGHS IN 2016

Kills: 62 (@No. 9 UCLA 9/23/16)

Hitting Pct.: .402 (vs. Maryland East. Shore 9/9/16)

Assists: 59 (vs. No. 9 Stanford 9/30/16)

Aces: 8 - 4 times in 2016

Digs: 88 (@Baylor 9/17/16)

Total Blocks: 19.5 (@Baylor 9/17/16)

Points: 85.0 (vs. No. 9 Stanford 9/30/16)

OPPONENT TEAM HIGHS IN 2016

Kills: 79 No. 9 UCLA (9/23/16)

Hitting Pct.: .386 No. 20 Oregon (10/9/16)

Assists: 70 No. 9 UCLA (9/23/16)

Aces: 6 UC Irvine (9/3/16)

Digs: 90 Baylor (9/17/16)

Total Blocks: 17.0 No. 9 Stanford (9/30/16)

Points: 86 No. 9 UCLA (9/23/16)

COUGAR LITTLE SPIKERS PROGRAM

The Cougar Volleyball program will conduct a series of four Little Spikers volleyball one-hour clinics for girls and boys ages 5 through 10 years...the clinics run from 10 to 11 a.m. in Bohler Gym on the following Saturdays: Oct. 1, Oct. 15, Nov. 5, and Nov. 12...Little Spikers will demonstrate their skills between sets two and three of the Washington State versus Arizona volleyball match at 11 a.m. Sun., Nov. 13, at Bohler Gym...a fun atmosphere is provided for learning the basics of volleyball including passing, setting and hitting using a special lightweight ball...with the \$40 registration fee the Little Spikers receive four clinics, a T-shirt, participant prizes, and a membership card that allows Little Spikers free admission into all WSU Pac-12 home matches...for more information, contact the WSU Volleyball Office (volleyball.camp@wsu.edu) at 509-335-7169.