



**KENTUCKY VOLLEYBALL COACHES ASSOCIATION**

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**KVCA Announces its 2010 Region Recognitions**

LEXINGTON, Ky. (October 20, 2010) – The Kentucky Volleyball Coaches Association (KVCA) announced its fourth-annual Region Players and Region Coaches of the Year today. All recipients will be honored at the 2010 KHSAA State Tournament at Bellarmine University, in ceremonies directly preceding the State Championship match on Oct. 30.

Dale Grupe of Henry Clay High School is the only coach who received a second consecutive Region Coach of the Year award in 2010; he has now won the Region 11 award three out of four years. Sue Stone of Caldwell County High School won the award for the third time, having also been honored in 2007 & 2008. Becky Houston of Holy Cross High School in Covington and Tim Whitis of Lone Oak High School were both honored for the second time, having won the award in 2007 and 2008, respectively.

Two players, Madi Parker of Lone Oak and Erika Burchett of South Laurel High School are receiving Region Player of the Year honors for the second consecutive season. Recognitions were voted on by KVCA member coaches.

**2010 KVCA Region Players and Coaches of the Year**

Region	Player of the Year	School	Coach of the Year	School
Region 1	Madi Parker	Lone Oak	Tim Whitis	Lone Oak
Region 2	Casey Stone	Caldwell County	Sue Stone	Caldwell County
Region 3	Sarah Sterling	Owensboro Catholic	Brian Hardison	Owensboro Catholic
Region 4	Courtney Smith	Greenwood	Pam Ostertag	Clinton County
Region 5	Brea Huhn	Larue County	Wendy Boeglen	Central Hardin
Region 6	Lynsey Hazelwood	Holy Cross (Louisville)	Matt Thomerson	Holy Cross (Louisville)
Region 7	Jeni Houser	Assumption	Ron Kordes	Assumption
Region 8	Morgen Clayton	South Oldham	Abbey Buchert	Collins
Region 9	Lauren Tibbs	Scott	Becky Houston	Holy Cross (Covington)
Region 10	Taylor Snyder	Newport Central Catholic	Dr. Bill Faulkner	Harrison County
Region 11	Kate Stromberg	Henry Clay	Dale Grupe	Henry Clay
Region 12	Kelsie Adams	Southwestern	Skip Cottrell	Southwestern
Region 13	Erika Burchett	South Laurel	Lindsey Gasperic	Jackson County
Region 14	Lisa Frazier	Letcher County Central	Dianna Muncy	Hazard
Region 15	Ashley Castle	South Floyd	Jackie Crisp	Prestonsburg
Region 16	Katie Massie	Raceland	Lyndsey Thacker	Rose Hill Christian