

2024

AVCA Thirty Under 30 High School



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Head Coach

Career Accomplishments to Date:

I have made the state tournament in Basketball and Football as an assistant. In volleyball in the 3 years as a head coach we have been a 2 seed in 6A regionals all three years. We have placed 3 athletes in college programs and we were the state academic champions in 2022 for 6A volleyball.

Coaching Roles:

I have been the head Coach at Stillwater High School for 3 years 2022-2024. I was a Varsity assistant in the same program in 2020 and 2021. Before that I coached Football and basketball as an assistant from 2013-2018.

What made you decide to get into coaching volleyball?

In 2019 I took a year off from coaching and when I came back volleyball had an opening. I played 2 years in HS and thought it would be a new and exciting experience. In my time as a head coach, I have had an amazing opportunity to impact a new sport, and I've loved every second.

What are your career goals in the sport?

My ultimate goal would be to continue to develop high quality humans and not focus so much on wins and losses. We have a goals program that we are ready to win a state championship. Each year we strive to make an impact in our community through different service projects and we hope for that to be our legacy.

Which coaches have influenced you the most?

I'm appreciative to Coach Liechti of Talledega University for giving me an opportunity at Stillwater high school. The most influential coaches that I have had have been Coach Cawood and Coach Johnson of Stillwater high school football. My time as a football coach, they taught me an abundance of things about building culture in the little details that go into being a successful program.

What do you enjoy most about your coaching job?

I would say the most enjoyable part is building up the teams collaboration, and watching the relationships that get to be built in the four years in our program.



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