

2025

AVCA Thirty Under 30 High School



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Head of Volleyball Program and Varsity High School Coach

Career Accomplishments to Date:

- District Champions 2023 High School
- District Champions 2024 High School
- Charter School Conference League Runner ups 2024 High School
- Coach of the Year Charter School Conference 2024 High School
- East Champions 2025 Middle School
- City Runner Ups 2025 Middle School

Coaching Roles:

- Lincoln King Academy 2019-2022 Varsity Assistant Volleyball Coach
- Detroit Edison Public School Academy 2023- Current Head of Volleyball Program; Varsity Head Coach High School and Middle School

What made you decide to get into coaching volleyball?

I have always loved sports and have a specific passion for volleyball. To see the sport growing I shifted my focus from playing to wanting to be a part of building the competitiveness in my city. In high school most teams could not compete and we had games where we kept our competition under 5 but when we stepped outside of Detroit we noticed how further developed the skills of our competitors were. I want to close the skill level gap.



What are your career goals in the sport?

I actually was sought out by a junior college and I hadn't even considered coaching higher than high school level because I didn't know if I was good enough. My most important career goals are to continue to be a part of girls in Detroit being introduced to volleyball at a younger age and developing skills at a higher level until we see an increase in collegiate level and scholarship opportunities.

Which coaches have influenced you the most?

My high school coach is my biggest mentor and influence in volleyball. Louis

Mitchell has been recognized and honored for so many contributions he has made to the sport and he has a name that holds weight! He has been the coach of many great teams and amazing players. He helps a lot of girls get opportunity outside of high school so I am trying to stay under his wing as long as I can. I have always looked up to him and I know that he has had a big impact on who I am as a coach.

What do you enjoy most about your coaching job?

The thing I enjoy most about coaching is building the culture for my program. Giving my team something to look forward to like our annual team bonding at my house, making games memorable with themes, and seeing the players reach their potential and challenge themselves to be better.