

#### 2019 Nebraska Volleyball (2-0, 0-0 Big Ten)

Opponent Time / Result TV / Internet Date Husker Invitational 8/30 #18 Creighton W, 3-1 (25-19, 24-26, 25-17, 25-21) **UCLA** 8/31 W, 3-0 (25-12, 25-16, 25-19)

SDSU/USD Invitational (San Diego, Calif.)

9/6	vs. Arizona	6 p.m. (CT)	FloVolleyball
9/7	at #25 San Diego	9 p.m. (CT)	WCC Network

#### Ameritas Players Challenge

9/13	High Point	Noon	BTN+
9/13	Denver	7:30 p.m.	BTN+
9/14	Loyola Marymount	1 p.m.	BTN+

9/18	#1 Stanford	7 p.m.	BTN / FoxSports*
9/21	Wichita State	TBA	NET / BTN+

#### Big Ten Schedule

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9/27	at #5 Illinois	7:30 p.m.	<b>BTN</b> / FoxSports
9/28	at Northwestern	7 p.m.	
10/2	at Rutgers	6 p.m. CT	
10/5	#4 Wisconsin	7 p.m.	<b>BTN</b> / FoxSports
10/11	Michigan State	8 p.m.	<b>BTN</b> / FoxSports
10/13	#14 Michigan	1 p.m.	<b>ESPN2 /</b> WatchESPN*
10/16	#18 Purdue	8 p.m.	<b>ESPNU  </b> WatchESPN
10/19	at Maryland	6 p.m. CT	*
10/25	at Indiana	7 p.m. CT	<b>BTN</b> / FoxSports
10/26	at #18 Purdue	7 p.m. CT	<b>BTN</b> / FoxSports
11/1	Rutgers	7 p.m.	<b>NET /</b> BTN+
11/2	#6 Penn State	7:30 p.m.	<b>BTN</b> / FoxSports
11/6	Northwestern	8 p.m.	<b>BTN</b> / FoxSports

#### at #8 Minnesota 11/24 at #4 Wisconsin 1:30 p.m. 11/20 Maryland TBA

at Michigan State

at Iowa

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11/30	Ohio State	7 p.m.	<b>NET /</b> BTN+

7 p.m.

**TBA** 

8 p.m.

6 p.m. CT

#### NCAA Tournament

11/9

11/13

11/16

11/22

12/6	First Round	TBA
12/7	Second Round	TBA
12/13	Regional Semifinals	TBA
12/14	Regional Finals	TBA
12/19	NCAA Semifinals	TBA
12/21	NCAA Final	TBA

NCAA Semifinals and Final played at PPG Paints Arena in Pittsburgh, Pa.

\*Indicates match will air on AM 590 in Omaha and 107.3 FM in Lincoln. All other matches will be on 105.9 FM in Omaha and 107.3 FM in Lincoln. All matches can be heard on Huskers.com and the Huskers app. -Matches televised on BTN will also be streamed on the Fox Sports app and FoxSports.com. -BTN+ is a web stream that requires a fee to view. Subscriptions start at \$9.95 per month.



**#2 Nebraska Huskers** 2-0 (0-0 Big Ten)



Arizona Wildcats 2-1 (0-0 Pac-12)

Friday, Sept. 6 / 6 p.m. CT / San Diego, Calif. / Jenny Craig Pavilion (5,100)

TV: None / Stream: FloVolleyball (\$)

Listen: HSN, Huskers.com, Huskers App / Live Stats: Huskers.com



#2 Nebraska Huskers 2-0 (0-0 Big Ten)



**#25 San Diego Toreros** 1-2 (0-0 West Coast)

Saturday, Sept. 7 / 9 p.m. CT / San Diego, Calif. / Jenny Craig Pavilion (5,100)

TV: None / Stream: WCC Network

Listen: HSN, Huskers.com, Huskers App / Live Stats: Huskers.com

#### **Huskers Head to SDSU/USD Invitational**

- The second-ranked Nebraska volleyball team hits the road for the first time this season with a pair of matches in San Diego, California this weekend. The Huskers will battle Arizona on Friday at 6 p.m. (CT) at San Diego's Jenny Craig Pavilion. Then on Saturday night, NU will take on No. 25 San Diego at 9 p.m. (CT) at Jenny Craig Pavilion. The match against Arizona will be live streamed on FloVolleyball with a subscription. Saturday's match against San Diego will be live streamed for free on the WCC Network at wccsports.com.
- Arkansas, West Virginia and San Diego State are also part of the SDSU/USD Invitational this weekend, with other matches being played at SDSU's Peterson Gym.
- Both Husker matches will be broadcast on Husker Sports Network radio affiliates, including 107.3 FM in Lincoln and 105.9 FM in Omaha. A live audio stream will be provided at Huskers.com and also on the official Huskers app. John Baylor is in his 26th season doing play-by-play for the Husker volleyball program. Lauren (Cook) West, a former All-America setter for the Huskers, will provide color commentary.

#### Coaches

BTN+

NET / BTN+

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**BTN** / FoxSports

- John Cook, Nebraska: 20th year at Nebraska (562-76); 27th year overall (723-149)
- Dave Rubio, Arizona: 28th year at Arizona (514-321)
- Jennifer Petrie, San Diego: 19th year at San Diego (390-146)

#### **Series History**

- Nebraska is 5-1 all-time against Arizona. The last matchup was a 3-1 Husker victory in 2002. The Wildcats' lone win came in 1983, the first-ever meeting between the schools.
- Nebraska is 5-0 all-time against San Diego. The last meeting was a Nebraska sweep on Dec. 13, 2013 in an NCAA regional semifinal in Lincoln. All five Husker wins in the series have been sweeps.

#### **About the Huskers**

- Nebraska won a pair of matches over the weekend at home, beating No. 18 Creighton 3-1 and UCLA 3-0 at the Husker Invitational. The wins put the Huskers at 2-0 to start a season for the first time since 2016.
- Libero Kenzie Knuckles was named the Big Ten Freshman of the Week and was a Husker Invitational All-Tournament Team selection after averaging 5.86 digs per set in her first two collegiate matches.
- Lauren Stivrins also made the all-tournament team after averaging 2.50 kills per set on .393 hitting.
- Nebraska was very balanced offensively in the first two matches of the season. Five different players had double-digit kills, led by Lexi Sun's 25 (3.57 per set). Capri Davis added 18 kills (2.57 per set).
- The Huskers were stout defensively on opening weekend. NU held Creighton to .067 hitting and UCLA to .083 for an average of .074. That mark ranks second in the Big Ten so far this season.
- The trip to San Diego is a return to his roots for Nebraska head coach John Cook, who was born in Chula Vista and graduated from the University of San Diego in 1979 with a degree in history. He also received a Master's from San Diego State in 1991.

#### **Scouting Arizona**

- Arizona was ranked No. 24 in the AVCA Preseason Coaches Poll but dropped out after losing to Samford, 3-2. The Wildcats did pick up sweeps over Appalachian State and Loyola Marymount over the weekend.
- Paige Whipple leads the Wildcats with 3.09 kills per set. Katie Smoot adds 2.91 kills per set.
- Middle blocker Devyn Cross and setter Julia Patterson were honorable-mention All-Pac-12 honorees last year. Cross did not play in the Wildcats' three matches last weekend but averaged 2.06 kills on .361 hitting with 1.03 blocks per set last season.

#### **Scouting San Diego**

- The 25th-ranked Toreros went 1-2 last weekend with a 3-2 loss to No. 20 Hawaii and a 3-1 loss to No. 16 Washington. San Diego did pick up a 3-0 win over St. John's.
- Thana Fayad had 43 kills (3.58 per set) on opening weekend to go with 2.33 digs per set. Megan Jacobsen had 35 kills (3.50 per set) along with 12 blocks.
- San Diego reached the regional semifinals of the 2018 NCAA Tournament before falling to Wisconsin, 3-0.

#### Three Huskers Named to Preseason All-Big Ten Team

- Nicklin Hames, Lauren Stivrins and Lexi Sun were all voted to the 14-player preseason team by the conference's head coaches. Additionally, the Huskers were picked second in the preseason poll behind Wisconsin. Minnesota was third.
- Stivrins, a Scottsdale, Arizona native, had a breakout sophomore season to earn first-team All-Big Ten and first-team AVCA All-America honors in 2018. The Huskers' co-captain averaged 2.36 kills per set and had a hitting percentage of .421, the third-highest mark in school history and the No. 3 mark in the nation last season. Stivrins was selected to the NCAA Championship All-Tournament Team after a career-high 19 kills on .615 hitting in the championship match against No. 1 Stanford.
- Hames, a sophomore from Maryville, Tennessee, set the Huskers to the NCAA Championship match as a true freshman. The Huskers' co-captain finished the season with 10.49 assists per set and 3.32 digs per set, along with 40 service aces, second-most on the team. Hames had 25 double-doubles during the 2018 season, which broke Jordan Larson's school record for double-doubles. She tallied a career-best 62 assists in the NCAA final against Stanford with 12 digs.
- Sun, a junior from Encinitas, California, is Nebraska's top returning kills leader. She averaged 3.11 kills per set and 2.69 digs per set in 2018, her first season as a Husker. Sun was one of NU's top servers with 30 aces on the season, and she played a big role for the Huskers down the stretch with 19 kills and 12 digs in the NCAA Semifinal win over Illinois.

#### "29,029" and "To Be Continued..."

- The 2019 Nebraska volleyball team has two slogans for the season: 29,029 and To Be Continued...
- 29,029 is the elevation in feet of Mount Everest. The Huskers, who nearly reached the peak of college volleyball in 2018 before coming up three points short against Stanford, are using the memory of that defeat to motivate them in 2019. The Huskers will play 29 regular-season matches, and Head Coach John Cook said the hardest part of climbing Mount Everest is the final 29 feet. "Many people say the elevation is 29,000 feet, forgetting the final 29 feet. We got to that 29,000 (in 2018). We didn't get that last 29 feet. All the bad things happen in the last 29 feet. People mentally let go, they're exhausted, they get stuck. Our whole theme is we've got to figure out how to get the last 29 feet."
- The Huskers also have a team slogan of "To Be Continued..." in 2019. The slogan references the Huskers continuing what they couldn't quite finish in 2018 winning an NCAA Championship. It also means carrying on the recent success of the program (four straight NCAA Semifinals appearances) and preparing to bring back the entire team for the 2020 season, as the Huskers have no seniors on their roster for the first time in program history. The ellipsis signifies the three points that separated the Huskers from a national championship in 2018.

#### **AVCA Coaches Poll**

Rk.	Team	Points	Record	Prev
1	Stanford (63)	1599	2-0	1
2	Nebraska (1)	1505	2-0	2
3	Texas	1441	2-0	4
4	Wisconsin	1431	2-0	5
5	Illinois	1310	2-0	6
6	Penn State	1258	3-0	8
7	Florida	1145	2-0	10
8	Minnesota	1045	1-1	3
9	Oregon	992	2-0	11
10	Pittsburgh	955	3-0	12
11	Marquette	916	3-0	16
12	Kentucky	860	2-1	7
13	BYU	793	2-1	9
14	Michigan	692	3-0	15
15	Southern California	658	1-1	14
16	Washington	649	2-1	13
17	Baylor	636	2-0	20
18	Purdue	560	1-0	17
19	Utah	499	3-0	NR
20	Hawai'i	363	3-0	NR
21	Tennessee	342	0-2	19
22	Florida State	335	1-1	NR
23	Creighton	209	0-2	18
24	Louisville	158	2-1	25
25	San Diego	81	1-2	21
Othe	ers Receiving Votes: Wash	ington State 7	3: Missouri	63: TCL

Others Receiving Votes: Washington State 73; Missouri 63; TCU 37; California 28; Rice 24; Iowa 21; Arizona 19; Cal Poly 18; Colorado 18; Northern Iowa 16; Colorado State 14; Maryland 14; Cincinnati 10; UCF 6

Nebraska's Weekly Ranking	Rank
Preseason	2
Sept. 2	2
Sept. 9	
Sept. 16	
Sept. 23	
Sept. 30	
Oct. 7	
Oct. 14	
Oct. 21	
Oct. 28	
Nov. 4	
Nov. 11	
Nov. 18	
Nov. 25	
Dec. 2	

B1G Standings	Conf.	Pct.	Overall	Pct.	Home	Away	Neutral	Last 10	Streak
Iowa	0-0	.000	3-0	1.000	0-0	1-0	2-0	3-0	W3
Maryland	0-0	.000	3-0	1.000	1-0	0-0	2-0	3-0	W3
Michigan	0-0	.000	3-0	1.000	3-0	0-0	0-0	3-0	W3
Northwestern	0-0	.000	3-0	1.000	0-0	1-0	2-0	3-0	W3
Penn State	0-0	.000	3-0	1.000	3-0	0-0	0-0	3-0	W3
Illinois	0-0	.000	2-0	1.000	1-0	1-0	0-0	2-0	W2
Michigan State	0-0	.000	2-0	1.000	0-0	1-0	1-0	2-0	W2
Nebraska	0-0	.000	2-0	1.000	2-0	0-0	0-0	2-0	W2
Purdue	0-0	.000	2-0	1.000	1-0	0-0	1-0	2-0	W2
Wisconsin	0-0	.000	2-0	1.000	0-0	1-0	1-0	2-0	W2
Indiana	0-0	.000	3-1	.750	3-1	0-0	0-0	3-1	L1
Ohio State	0-0	.000	2-1	.667	2-1	0-0	0-0	2-1	W1
Minnesota	0-0	.000	1-1	.500	0-0	1-0	0-1	1-1	L1
Rutgers	0-0	.000	0-3	.000	0-0	0-1	0-2	0-3	L3

#### Foecke and Maloney Leave Big Shoes to Fill

- This year, the Huskers will be without two players who led the program to four straight final fours from 2015-18 in Mikaela Foecke and Kenzie Maloney. The All-Americans both graduated, leaving big production to replace at outside hitter and libero. Foecke and Maloney won two NCAA titles, two Big Ten titles and won more postseason matches than any other player in Husker history.
- Stivrins, Hames and Sweet are among 10 returning players who will be counted on to step up for the Huskers. Jazz Sweet also returns to lead the Huskers on the right side, and sophomore Callie Schwarzenbach is back after breaking the Nebraska freshman record for blocks last season with 177. Sophomore hitter Capri Davis played a big role last year coming off the bench, and sophomore Megan Miller and Hayley junior Densberger both have a plethora of experience in the back row.
- A group of six freshmen will help offset the loss of the most decorated senior class in school history. Three of the six newcomers - outside hitter Madi Kubik, middle blocker Riley Zuhn, libero Kenzie Knuckles - were PrepVolleyball.com All-Americans and ranked among the top 40 prospects in the 2019 class. The Huskers' incoming class was ranked No. 2 by PrepVolleyball.com.

#### **Huskers Visit Asia in Summer of 2019**

- The Nebraska volleyball team took a 17-day trip to Japan and China over the summer. The Huskers took on top professional teams from the two countries during the trip, winning about half of the sets they played. Head Coach John Cook called it "by far the best" of the five trips his teams have taken to Asia in his 20 years at Nebraska.
- In addition to the highly competitive matches, the Huskers also toured numerous sites in Asia, including the Forbidden City, Tiananmen Square and the Great Wall of China. With six newcomers and no seniors on the roster for the 2019 season, the trip was a great opportunity for the team to bond on and off the court, a team that will spend the next two years playing together.
- The NCAA allows a team to take a foreign trip every four years, and Cook has made it a habit to take his team to Asia. Previous trips have usually paid off with successful seasons. In the last four seasons following a Cook-led foreign trip, Nebraska has responded by winning three conference titles and two national championships.
  - Cook took his first team to Asia prior to the 2000 season, his first as Nebraska's head coach. The Huskers responded with a 34-0 season and the program's second national championship.
  - In 2006, Cook took his team back to Asia and the results were the same: another national championship. The Huskers went 33-1 following their international trip and capped the national title with a 3-1 victory over Stanford in front of 17,209 fans at the Qwest Center in Omaha.
  - Nebraska went back to Asia in 2010. Although NU did not win the national title that year, it did put together a 29-3 season that included a Big Ten title. Nebraska took a No. 3 ranking into the NCAA Tournament but was upset in a four-set loss at No. 11 Washington in the NCAA Regional Semifinal.
  - The Huskers' last Asia trip in 2014 with only one senior was followed by a 23-10 season. But the following year saw that young group go on to win the program's fourth national title.

#### **Nebraska Fans Continue Record-Setting Consecutive Sellout Streak**

- Nebraska volleyball holds an NCAA women's record 255 consecutive regular-season sellouts.
- Nebraska led the nation in attendance in 2018 for the sixth straight year since moving into the Bob Devaney Sports Center in 2013, averaging 8,205 fans per match.
- Nebraska has ranked in the top three nationally in attendance every season since 1990 (28 straight seasons).

#### **Huskers Ranked No. 2 in AVCA Preseason Coaches Poll**

- Nebraska is ranked No. 2 in the AVCA Coaches Poll this week for the second week in a row.
- The Huskers have been ranked No. 1 in 99 all-time polls, the most in NCAA history.
- The Huskers have been ranked in the top 10 a total of 488 times, which is also the most in NCAA history.
- Nebraska has appeared in all 543 AVCA Coaches Polls since it was established in 1982. Nebraska and Stanford are the only two programs to be ranked in every poll all-time.

#### AVCA Hall of Fame Head Coach John Cook in 20th Season at Nebraska

- Nebraska head coach John Cook is in his 20th season as the Nebraska volleyball head coach in 2019. He has led the Huskers to four national championships, nine final fours, 12 conference championships and 17 top-10 final rankings since 2000.
- Cook has 723 career wins and is one of the all-time winningest coaches in NCAA history. Since taking over the program in 2000, Cook has led the Huskers to a nation-leading .881 win percentage in that time (562-76).
- Under Cook, the Huskers have achieved 55 AVCA All-Americans and 19 CoSIDA Academic All-Americans, both among the best in the nation. He is a two-time AVCA National Coach of the Year, earning the prestigious honor in 2000 and 2005, and a seven-time conference coach of the year, including Big Ten Coach of the Year in 2016 and 2017, his first and second Big Ten honors with the Huskers in their Big Ten era (2011-present).
- Cook is one of only four active coaches and one of six all-time to be a two-time AVCA National Coach of the Year and was honored in 2008 by USA Volleyball, receiving its All-Time Great Coach Award.
- Cook was inducted into the AVCA Hall of Fame in 2017, joining former Husker volleyball coach Terry Pettit in
- Cook became the ninth active Division I head coach to reach 700 career wins in 2018.

#### 2019 All-Big Ten Preseason Team

#### Name, School

Jacqueline Quade, SR., OH, Illinois Erika Pritchard, Jr., OH, Maryland Alexis Hart, Sr., OH, Minnesota Taylor Morgan, Sr., MB, Minnesota Stephanie Samedy, Jr., OPP, Minnesota

#### Nicklin Hames, So., S. Nebraska Lauren Stivrins, Jr., MB, Nebraska Lexi Sun, Jr., OH, Nebraska

Kaitlyn Hord, So., MB, Penn State Jonni Parker, So., RS, Penn State Kendall White, Sr., DS, Penn State Blake Mohler, Sr., MB, Purdue Sydney Hilley, Jr., S, Wisconsin Dana Rettke, Jr., MB, Wisconsin

#### **2019 Big Ten Weekly Honors**

Date Player Honor Kenzie Knuckles Freshman of the Week

#### 2019 Miscellaneous Honors

Date	Player	Honor
8/31	Lauren Stivrins	Husker Invite All-Tourney
8/31	Kenzie Knuckles	Husker Invite All-Tourney

#### **Nebraska Career Hitting Percentage**

1.	.401	Virginia Stahr	1986-89
2.	.396	Amber Holmquist	1999-02
3.	.386	Karen Dahlgren	1983-86
4.	.375	Tracy Stalls	2004-07
5.	.368	Kori Cooper	2006-09
6.	.367	Lauren Stivrins	2016-pres.
<b>6.</b> 7.	<b>.367</b> .366	<b>Lauren Stivrins</b> Cathy Noth	<b>2016-pres.</b> 1981-84
7.	.366	Cathy Noth	1981-84

Ne	braska	Career Blocks Per Set	
1.	1.90	Amber Holmquist	1999-2002
2.	1.74	Melissa Elmer	2001-05
3.	1.62	Stephanie Thater	1989-92
4.	1.52	Jenny Kropp	1998-2001
5.	1.50	Megan Korver	1996-98
6.	1.44	Tonia Tauke	1996-99
7.	1.44	Jen McFadden	1993-95
8.	1.43	Tracy Stalls	2004-07
9.	1.31	Callie Schwarzenbach	2018-pres.
10.	1.26	Karen Dahlgren	1983-86

#### **Quick Facts**

General	Information
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Location		Lincoln, Neb.
Population		280,369
Founded		1869
Enrollment		25,897
Nickname		Cornhuskers, Huskers
Colors		Scarlet & Cream
Conference		Big Ten
Facility (cap.)	Bob Devane	ey Sports Center (7,907)
Athletic Director		Bill Moos
Senior Woman Admini	strator	Pat Logsdon

#### **Nebraska Volleyball History**

First Year of Volleyball	1975
Overall All-Time Record	1,339-245-12 (.843)
Conference All-Time Record	591-57 (.912)
NCAA Tournament Record	113-32 (.779)
NCAA Semifinal Appearances	15 (Last, 2018)
NCAA Final Appearances	9 (Last, 2018)
National Championships 5 (1995)	, 2000, 2006, 2015, 2017)
Conference Titles	34 (Last, 2017)

#### **Team Information**

2018 Overall Record	29-7
2018 Big Ten Record, Finish	15-5, t3rd
2018 NCAA Tournament	NCAA Runner-Up
Final AVCA Ranking	2nd
2018 AVCA All-Americans Returning/Lost	1/2
Starters Returning/Lost	5/1+Libero

#### **Husker IMG Sports Network Volleyball Affiliates**

Nebraska volley ball matches do not always air on the following affiliate stations. However, all matches can be streamed for free online at Huskers.com or on the official Huskers app.

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City	Affiliate	Station
Ainsworth	KBRB-AM*	1400 AM
Ainsworth	KBRB-FM*	92.7 FM
Alliance	KCOW*	1400 AM
Beatrice	KWBE*	1450 AM
Broken Bow	KBBN*	95.3 FM
Columbus	KLIR*	101.1 FM
Fairbury	KUTT*	99.5 FM
Fairbury	KGMT*	1310 AM
Falls City	KTNC*	1230 AM
Fremont	KHUB*	1340 AM
Grand Island	KRGI*	1430 AM
Hastings	KHAS*	1230 AM
Hastings	KLIQ*	94.5 FM
Kearney	KGFW*	1340 AM
Lexington	KRVN*	880 AM
Lincoln	KBBK	107.3 FM
McCook	KSWN	93.9 FM
Nebraska City	KNCY*	1600 AM
North Platte	KHAQ	98.5 FM
Ogallala	KZTL*	93.5 FM
Omaha	KXSP*	590 AM
Omaha	KKCD	105.9 FM
Scottsbluff	KNEB*	960 AM
Sidney	KSID-AM*	1340 AM
Sidney	KSID-FM*	98.7 FM
Superior	KRFS	1600 AM
Valentine	KVSH*	940 AM
West Point	KTIC*	840 AM
*Affiliates that only car	ry selected broadcasts	

#### 2019 Nebraska Volleyball Roster

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Yr.	Hometown (Previous School)
1	Nicklin Hames	S	5-10	So.	Maryville, Tenn. (Webb School)
2	Kenzie Knuckles	DS/L	5-8	Fr.	Yorktown, Ind. (Yorktown)
3	Megan Miller	DS/L	5-6	So.	Alexandria, Ind. (Alexandria-Monroe)
5	Anezka Szabo	OH	6-3	RSo.	Sioux Falls, S.D. (Lincoln)
6	Chen Abramovich	DS/L	5-6	So.	Kfar Saba, Israel (Galili)
8	Emma Gabel	DS/L	5-7	Fr.	Lincoln, Neb. (Pius X)
9	Capri Davis	OH	6-1	So.	Mansfield, Texas (Lake Ridge)
10	Madi Kubik	OH	6-3	Fr.	West Des Moines, Iowa (Valley)
11	Lexi Sun	OH	6-2	Jr.	Encinitas, Calif. (Santa Fe Christian/Texas)
12	Jazz Sweet	OH	6-3	Jr.	Topeka, Kan. (Shawnee Heights)
14	Nicole Drewnick	S	6-1	Fr.	Dallas, Texas (Hebron)
15	Fallon Stutheit	MB	6-2	Fr.	Johnson, Neb. (Johnson-Brock)
16	Riley Zuhn	MB/OH	6-5	Fr.	Fort Collins, Colo. (Fossil Ridge)
25	Callie Schwarzenbach	MB	6-5	So.	Kearney, Mo. (Kearney)
26	Lauren Stivrins	MB	6-4	Jr.	Scottsdale, Ariz. (Chaparral)
43	Hayley Densberger	DS/L	5-9	Jr.	Malcolm, Neb. (Malcolm)

#### **Coaching Staff**

Head Coach: John Cook (20th year; San Diego, 1979) Assistant Coach: Kayla Banwarth (3rd year; Nebraska, 2012) Assistant Coach: Jaylen Reyes (2nd year; BYU, 2015)

Director of Operations: Lindsay Peterson (14th year; Nebraska, 2003)

Video Coordinator/Assistant Director of Operations: Beau Lawler (1st year; Utah, 2018)

Volunteer Assistant: Andrew Sato (2nd year; Long Beach State, 2017) Graduate Managers: Kelly Hunter, John La Rusch, Dane LeClair, Joby Ramos

#### **Roster Highlights**

#### **Returning 2018 Award Winners**

Lauren Stivrins, Jr., MB, Scottsdale, Ariz.

- 2018 AVCA All-America First Team
- 2018 All-Big Ten First Team

#### Nicklin Hames, So., S, Maryville, Tenn.

- 2018 AVCA All-America Honorable Mention
- 2018 All-Big Ten Freshman Team

#### Callie Schwarzenbach, So., MB, Kearney, Mo.

• 2018 All-Big Ten Freshman Team

#### **Newcomers**

#### Nicole Drewnick, Fr., S, Dallas, Texas

- Won two state championships with Hebron HS in Texas 6A as a freshman and sophomore
- Spent most of her junior year playing for the Brazilian youth national team, helping them qualify for the 2019 FIVB World Championships

#### Emma Gabel, Fr., DS/L, Lincoln, Neb.

- Helped Pius X reach the Class A state championship match as a senior
- Was a Lincoln Journal Star second-team all-state selection

#### Kenzie Knuckles, Fr., DS/L, Yorktown, Ind.

- Was an Under Armour First-Team All-American at Yorktown HS
- Ranked No. 3 libero recruit by PrepVolleyball.com

#### Madi Kubik, Fr., OH, West Des Moines, Iowa

- Was an Under Armour First-Team All-American at Valley HS
- Ranked No. 4 overall prospect by PrepVolleyball.com

#### Fallon Stutheit, Fr., MB, Johnson, Neb.

- Won three Nebraska Class D1 state titles at Johnson-Brock HS
- Was a three-time Super-State and All-Nebraska first-team selection

#### Riley Zuhn, Fr., MB/OH, Fort Collins, Colo.

- Was an Under Armour First-Team All-American at Fossil Ridge HS
- Ranked No. 32 overall prospect by PrepVolleyball.com

#### **Pronunciation Guide**

Chen Abramovich	uh-BROM-oh-vitch
Capri Davis	cuh-PREE
Nicklin Hames	Hayms
Madi Kubik	CUE-bik
Lauren Stivrins	STIV-rins
Fallon Stutheit	STUD-ite
Anezka Szabo	uh-NESH-kuh ZAY-bo
Riley 7uhn	ZOON

#### **Media Information**

#### **Player Interviews**

All media requests for interviews with Nebraska volleyball players should be directed to Nate Pohlen in the Nebraska Athletic Communications Office (npohlen@huskers.com), at least 24 hours in advance. The best time for in-season interviews is after practice. Nebraska is tentatively scheduled to practice from 3 to 5:30 p.m. during the season.

#### **Coach Cook Interviews**

The best time to reach Head Coach John Cook during the season is at his weekly Monday press conference at 11 a.m. on the sixth floor of Memorial Stadium, and at a media session following practice once per week.

#### Head Coach John Cook (20th season at Nebraska/27th overall; San Diego, 1979)

#### At Nebraska

- Head Coach (2000-present)
- Associate Head Coach (1999)
- Assistant Coach (1988-91)

## Other Coaching Experience • Head Coach, Wisconsin (1992-98)

- Assistant Coach, U.S. Men's National Team (1992)
- San Diego VB Club (1986-88)
- UC-San Diego (1983-84)
- Francis Parker High School (1981-88)

#### **Education**

- University of San Diego (1979)
   Bachelor's Degree, History
- San Diego State University (1991)
   Master's Degree, Teaching and Coaching Effectiveness

#### **NCAA Winningest Programs Since 2000**

No.	Team	Record	Pct.
1.	Nebraska	562-76	.881
2.	Florida	548-77	.877
3.	Penn State	584-85	.873
4.	Hawaii	533-84	.864
5.	Stanford	536-100	.843

#### NCAA Winningest Active Coaches (entering week)

No.	Team	Record	Pct.
1.	Russ Rose, Penn State	1,275-206	.861
2.	Mary Wise, Florida	933-171	.845
3.	John Cook, Nebraska	723-149	.829
4.	Jerritt Elliott, Texas	508-113	.818
5.	Hugh McCutcheon, Minnesota	190-48	.798
(reco	ord at four-year colleges only)		

#### NCAA All-Time Winningest Coaches (entering week)

No.	Team	Record	Pct
1.	Don Shaw, Stanford	440-70	.863
2.	*Russ Rose, Penn State	1,275-206	.861
3.	Dave Shoji, Hawaii	1,202-204-1	.855
4.	*Mary Wise, Florida	933-171	.845
<b>5</b> .	*John Cook, Nebraska	723-149	.829
6.	John Dunning, Pacific/Stanford	888-185	.828
7.	Terry Pettit, Nebraska	694-148-12	.820
8.	*Jerritt Elliott, Texas	508-113	.818
9.	Elaine Michaelis, BYU	886-219-5	.800
10.	*Hugh McCutcheon, Minnesota	190-48	.798
*-ac	tive		

#### **Career Achievements**

- 4 National Championships (2000, 2006, 2015, 2017)
- 6 NCAA Finals
- 9 NCAA Semifinals
- 18 NCAA Regional Finals (16 at NU)
- 21 NCAA Regional Appearances (18 at NU)
- 13 Conference Championships (12 at NU)

#### **Coaching Honors**

- AVCA Hall of Fame Inductee (2017)
- USA Volleyball All-Time Great Coach Award (2008)
- AVCA Division I National Coach of the Year (2000, 2005)
- Volleyball Magazine National Coach of the Year (2008, 2018)
- AVCA Division I Region Coach of the Year (2000, 2005, 2008, 2016)
- Big Ten Coach of the Year (1997, 2016, 2017)
- Big 12 Coach of the Year (2001, 2005, 2008, 2010)
- NACDA/USOC Collegiate Coaches Award (1997)

AVCA Hall of Fame Inductee

- Two-time AVCA National Coach of the Year
- USA Volleyball All-Time Great Coach Award
- Seven-time Conference Coach of the Year
- 55 AVCA All-Americans at NU (25 first team)
- 19 CoSIDA Academic All-Americans at NU (13 first team)
- Nation's best win percentage while at NU

#### **Collegiate Record**

Overall: 723-149 (.829) At NU: 562-76 (.881) Big Ten at NU: 131-29 (.819) Big Ten Overall: 220-80 (.733)

Year-by-Year Record

Year-by-Year Record								
Year	Overall	Pct.	Conf. Record	Pct.	Conf. Plac	e District Rk.	Postseason Finish	AVCA Rk.
1992 (UW)	14-17	.452	9-11	.450	7th			NR
1993 (UW)	19-13	.593	11-9	.550	5th	t12th	NCAA Second Round	NR
1994 (UW)	21-12	.636	11-9	.550	5th	8th	NCAA First Round	NR
1995 (UW)	22-15	.595	9-11	.450	7th		NIVC Champions	NR
1996 (UW)	25-8	.758	13-7	.650	5th	4th	Regional Semifinals	15th
1997 (UW)	30-3	.909	19-1	.950	t1st	2nd	Regional Finals	5th
1998 (UW)	30-5	.857	17-3	.850	2nd	3rd	Regional Finals	7th
2000 (NU)	34-0	1.000	20-0	1.000	1st	1st	National Champions	1st
2001 (NU)	31-2	.940	20-0	1.000	1st	1st	NCAA Semifinals	3rd
2002 (NU)	31-2	.940	20-0	1.000	1st	1st	Regional Finals	5th
2003 (NU)	28-5	.850	17-3	.850	2nd	2nd	Regional Semifinals	13th
2004 (NU)	30-2	.938	20-0	1.000	1st	1st	Regional Finals	5th
2005 (NU)	33-2	.943	19-1	.950	1st	1st	NCAA Finals	2nd
2006 (NU)	33-1	.971	19-1	.950	1st	1st	National Champions	1st
2007 (NU)	30-2	.938	19-1	.950	1st	1st	Regional Finals	5th
2008 (NU)	31-3	.912	18-2	.900	1st	1st	NCAA Semifinals	3rd
2009 (NU)	26-7	.788	16-4	.800	3rd	3rd	Regional Finals	5th
2010 (NU)	29-3	.906	19-1	.950	1st	2nd	Regional Semifinals	7th
2011 (NU)*	25-5	.833	17-3	.850	1st	2nd	NCAA Second Round	12th
2012 (NU)	26-7	.788	15-5	.750	t2nd	2nd	Regional Finals	7th
2013 (NU)	26-7	.788	16-4	.800	2nd	2nd	Regional Finals	7th
2014 (NU)	23-10	.697	14-6	.700	4th	2nd	Regional Finals	8th
2015 (NU)	32-4	.889	17-3	.850	2nd	1st	National Champions	1st
2016 (NU)	31-3	.939	18-2	.900	1st	1st	NCAA Semifinals	4th
2017 (NU)	32-4	.889	19-1	.950	t1st	1st	National Champions	1st
2018 (NU)	29-7	.806	15-5	.750	t3rd	1st	NCAA Finals	2nd
2019 (NU)	2-0	1.000	0-0	.000				
Totals	723-149	.829	427-93	.821				

\*Nebraska's first year in the Big Ten

#### **Major Player Honors Under Cook**

Honda-Broderick Cup Winner Sarah Pavan (2006)

<u>Olympians</u>

Kayla Banwarth (2016)
Kelsey Robinson (2016)
Sarah Pavan (2016, beach volleyball)
Jordan Larson (2012, 2016)
Nancy Metcalf (Meendering) (2004)

U.S. National Team
Greichaly Cepero (2002-03)
Nancy Metcalf (Meendering) (2002-13)
Tracy Stalls (2007-11)
Jordan Larson (2009-present)
Kayla Banwarth (2011-16)
Kelsey Robinson (2014-present)
Amber Rolfzen (2017-present)
Justine Wong-Orantes (2017-present)
Kadie Rolfzen (2018-present)
Mikaela Foecke (2019-present)

Canadian National Team
Sarah Pavan (2010-14)
Sarah Pavan (Beach, 2014-present)

AVCA National Player of the Year Greichaly Cepero (2000) Christina Houghtelling (2005) Sarah Pavan (2006)

Honda Sport Award Winners Greichaly Cepero (2000) Sarah Pavan (2006)

#### **CAREER AND SEASON HIGHS**

#### **#1 NICKLIN HAMES**

Season

Kills: 1 vs. Creighton (8/30) Hit Pct.: -.091 vs. Creighton (8/30) Assists: 35 vs. Creighton (8/30) Aces: 4 vs. Creighton (8/30)

Digs: 15 vs. Creighton (8/30) Blocks: 1 two times

**#2 KENZIE KNUCKLES** 

Season Assists: 6 vs. Creighton (8/30) 1 vs. UCLA (8/31) 22 vs. Creighton (8/30)

**#3 MEGAN MILLER** 

Season Assists: 0 Aces:

4 vs. UCLA (8/31) 14 vs. Creighton (8/30)

**#5 ANEZKA SZABO** 

Season Kills: 0 Hit Pct.: .000 Blocks: 0

**#6 CHEN ABRAMOVICH** 

Season Assists: Aces: Digs:

**#8 EMMA GABEL** 

Season

**#9 CAPRI DAVIS** 

Season Kills: 10 vs. Creighton (8/30) Hit Pct.: .350 vs. UCLA (8/31)

Digs: 5 vs. UCLA (8/31) Blocks: 3 vs. Creighton (8/30)

**#10 MADI KUBIK** 

Season Kills: 6 vs. Creighton (8/30) Hit Pct.: .294 vs. Creighton (8/30) Aces: 0

9 vs. UCLA (8/31) Digs: Blocks: 0

Career

5 two times .400 vs. Santa Clara (2018) 62 vs. Stanford (2018)

4 two times 23 vs. Illinois (2018) 4 two times

Career

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Career

4 vs. Santa Clara (2018)

23 at Michigan (2018)

Career

10 vs. Saint Mary's (2017) .400 vs. Saint Mary's (2017) 2 vs. New Mexico (2018)

Career

Assists: Aces: Digs:

Career

Career

18 at Creighton (2018) .375 vs. Santa Clara (2018)

5 two times 3 two times

Career

same same same same same **#11 LEXI SUN** 

Season Kills: 13 vs. Creighton (8/30) Hit Pct.: .321 vs. UCLA (8/31)

Aces: 1 two times Digs: 7 vs. UCLA (8/31) Blocks: 1 two times

Career

21 two times .700 vs. Oklahoma (2017) 3 vs. Iowa (2018) 20 vs. Illinois (2018) 7 at Kansas (2017)

**#12 JAZZ SWEET** Season

Kills: 7 two times Hit Pct.: .412 vs. UCLA (8/31)

Digs: 4 vs. Creighton (8/30) Blocks: 3 vs. Creighton (8/30) Career

16 at Florida (2017)

.600 vs. Central Michigan (2018)

5 two times 5 eight times

Career

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same

**#14 NICOLE DREWNICK** 

Season Kills: 0 Hit Pct.: .000 Assists: 0

Aces: 0 Digs: 0 Blocks: 0

**#15 FALLON STUTHEIT** 

Season Career

Kills: Hit Pct.: Blocks:

**#16 RILEY ZUHN** 

Season Career

Kills: Hit Pct.: Blocks:

**#25 CALLIE SCHWARZENBACH** 

Season

Kills: 4 vs. UCLA (8/31) Hit Pct.: .250 vs. UCLA (8/31) Blocks: 5 vs. Creighton (8/30)

**#26 LAUREN STIVRINS** 

Season

Kills: 9 vs. Creighton (8/30) Hit Pct.: .500 vs. Creighton (8/30) Aces: 1 vs. UCLA (8/31)

Blocks: 2 two times

**#43 HAYLEY DENSBERGER** 

Season

Assists: 0 Aces:

Digs: 1 vs. Creighton (8/30) Career

Career

Career

9 at Illinois (2018)

.818 at Illinois (2018)

19 vs. Stanford (2018)

10 vs. Penn State (2018)

4 vs. Ohio (2018)

1.000 at Northwestern (2018)

13 vs. New Mexico (2018)

2 two times 3 two times

11 at Penn State (2018)

## NICKLIN **HAMES**



## Setter

## Sophomore

5-10

Maryville, Tenn. Webb School



#### **Career Honors & Awards**

- AVCA All-America Honorable Mention (2018)
- AVCA All-Region Honorable Mention (2018)
- All-Big Ten Freshman Team (2018)
- Big Ten Freshman of the Week (Sept. 24, 2018, Nov. 12, 2018)
- Minneapolis Regional All-Tournament Team (2018)
- Husker Invitational All-Tournament Team (2018)
- Nebraska Outstanding Female Newcomer (All Sports, 2018-19)
- Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll (Fall 2018)
- Tom Osborne Citizenship Team (2019)

#### 2019 (Sophomore)

• Posted 35 assists and 15 digs in the season-opening 3-1 win against No. 18 Creighton

#### **Previous Seasons**

- Selected to the All-Big Ten Freshman Team and received AVCA All-America honorable mention and AVCA All-North Region honorable mention as a freshman in 2018
- Finished the season with 10.49 assists per set and 3.32 digs per set, along with 40 service aces, second-most on the team
- Broke Jordan Larson's school record for double-doubles with
   25 during the season
- Attended Webb School in Knoxville, Tennessee
- Ranked the No. 4 overall prospect and the top setter recruit in the nation by PrepVolleyball.com
- Was an Under Armour first-team All-American in 2017
- Led Webb School coached by her mother, Chris to five Division II-A state championships in her career, as she played on the varsity squad as an eighth grader
- Was named to the All-USA Volleyball first team after her junior season in 2016
- Began her prep career by earning PrepVolleyball.com's National Freshman of the Year

- Born Jan. 18, 2000
- Parents are Jason and Christine
- Major is pre-health

Date	Opponent	SP	K	Е	TA	PCT	AST	SA	SE	RE	DIG	BS	BA	BE	TB	BHE
8/30	Creighton	4	1	2	11	091	35	4	3	0	15	0	1	0	1	0
8/31	UCLĂ	3	0	1	5	200	32	0	1	0	6	1	0	1	1	0

## KENZIE KNUCKLES



## DS/Libero

Freshman

5-8

Yorktown, Ind. Yorktown

#### **Career Honors & Awards**

- Big Ten Freshman of the Week (Sept. 3, 2019)
- Husker Invitational All-Tournament Team (2019)

#### 2019 (Freshman)

- Named to the Husker Invitational All-Tournament Team and was the Big Ten Freshman of the Week on Sept. 3 after averaging 5.86 digs per set at the season-opening tournament
- Began her collegiate career with 22 digs in a four-set win over No. 18 Creighton
- Followed with 19 digs in a sweep of UCLA

#### **Previous Seasons**

- Played outside hitter at Yorktown High School in Indiana but will be a defensive specialist/libero for the Huskers
- Was named an Under Armour First-Team All-American in 2018
- Ranked the No. 37 overall prospect and the No. 3 libero by PrepVolleyball.com
- Was one of 10 seniors named to the MaxPreps 2018 Midseason Player of the Year Watch List
- Was an all-state performer each year of her high school career, leading Yorktown to a perfect 34-0 record as a senior with 4.2 kills per set and 3.9 digs per set
- Led Yorktown to the Indiana Class 4A state title in 2018, posting 14 kills and 10 digs in the state championship match
- Also won a Class 3A state title with Yorktown as a sophomore in 2016, recording 30 kills and 18 digs in the championship match
- Named Indiana's Gatorade Player of the Year in 2018
- Played beach volleyball instead of club volleyball in 2018 to improve her ball-handling and defensive skills

- Born March 19, 2001
- Parents are Crystal Lampkin and the late Michael Knuckles
- Major is business

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Date	Opponent	SP	K	E	TA	PCT	AST	SA	SE	RE	DIG	BS	BA	BE	TB	BHE
	Creighton															
8/31	UCLA	3	0	0	0	.000	4	1	1	0	19	0	0	0	0	0



# MILLER



DS/Libero

## Sophomore

5-6

## Alexandria, Ind. Alexandria-Monroe



#### **Career Honors & Awards**

- Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll (Spring 2019)
- Tom Osborne Citizenship Team (2019)

#### 2019 (Sophomore)

- Opened the season with 14 digs in a win over No. 18 UCLA
- Served a career-high four aces against UCLA

#### **Previous Seasons**

- Played in 29 matches and made nine starts as a freshman in 2018, averaging 2.01 digs per set with 20 aces on the season
- Starred at Alexandria-Monroe High School in Indiana, where she played outside hitter and led the school to sectional championships as a junior and senior
- Ranked the No. 55 overall prospect by PrepVolleyball.com and was the fourth-ranked recruit at the libero position
- As a senior, guided the Tigers to the Class 2A state semifinals and was twice named The Herald Bulletin's Indiana Player of the Year
- Selected The Herald Bulletin's Girls Athlete of the Year in 2017-18
- Played club for Munciana Samurai, which won the AAU U18 national championship in 2017 and earned PrepVolleyball. com's No. 1 club team ranking in the nation

- Born Feb. 11, 2000
- Parents are Jeff and Deanna
- Major is pre-health

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Date	Opponent	SP	K	E	TA	PCT	AST	SA	SE	RE	DIG	BS	BA	BE	TB	BHE
	Creighton															
8/31	UCLA	3	0	0	0	.000	0	4	1	2	4	0	0	0	0	0



## ANEZKA SZABO



## **Outside Hitter**

## Redshirt Sophomore

6-3

Sioux Falls, S.D. Lincoln



#### **Career Honors & Awards**

- Academic All-Big Ten (2018; Beach-2019)
- Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll (Fall 2017; Spring 2019)
- Sam Foltz Hero 27 Leadership Award (2019)
- Tom Osborne Citizenship Team (2018, 2019)

#### 2019 (Junior)

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#### **Previous Seasons**

- Appeared in nine matches as a sophomore in 2018 before suffering a season-ending injury
- Played in 14 matches and had 15 kills and three blocks in
- Played both middle blocker and opposite hitter for Lincoln High School in Sioux Falls, South Dakota
- Received Under Armour All-America honorable mention in 2016
- Ranked the No. 34 overall prospect by PrepVolleyball.com
- Was a South Dakota first-team all-state selection as a senior after amassing 513 kills, 32 blocks, 56 aces and 347 digs
- Led the Patriots to a seventh-place finish at the 2016 state tournament
- Played club volleyball for Kairos Elite

#### Personal

- Born July 1, 1999
- Parents are Brett and Stacy
- Major is communication studies
- Pronounced "ah-NESH-kah ZAY-bo"
- Father, Brett Szabo, played for the Boston Celtics in 1996-97

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Date	Opponent	SP	K	E	TA	PCT	AST	SA	SE	RE	DIG	BS	BA	BE	TB	BHE
8/30	Creighton	1	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
8/31	UCLA	1	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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## CHEN ABRAMOVICH



DS/Libero

Sophomore

5-6

Kfar Saba, Israel Galili



#### **Career Honors & Awards**

- Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll (Fall 2018; Spring 2019)
- Tom Osborne Citizenship Team (2019)

#### 2019 (Sophomore)

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#### **Previous Seasons**

- Made her collegiate debut in a sweep of Wake Forest on Aug. 31, 2018
- Joined the Huskers from Kfar Saba, Israel, where she attended Galili High School
- Won Israel's high school championship every year of her career
- Qualified with Galili for the International School Federation (ISF) World Schools Championship in 2014 and 2016, where they competed against the top high school team from each nation
- Played club volleyball for Hapoel Kfar Saba, leading her team to the ISR National Championship in 2017
- Took first in the U17 Israeli League in 2013 and 2014 and won the U20 title in 2017
- Qualified for the second round of the CEV Champions League and finished 16th in the CEV Volleyball Cup

#### Personal

- Born April 21, 1998
- Parents are Gerry and Ofra
- Major is psychology

**Career Honors & Awards** 

2019 (Freshman)

## EMMA **GABEL**



DS/Libero

Freshman

5-7

Lincoln, Neb. Pius X

## **Previous Seasons**

- Attended Pius X High School in Lincoln, Nebraska, helping the Thunderbolts reach the Class A state championship match as a senior in 2018
- Had 596 digs (5.7 per set), 24 service aces and 52 set assists as a senior
- Received second-team all-state honors from both the Lincoln Journal Star and Omaha World-Herald as a senior
- Played club volleyball for VCNebraska, which finished fifth in the AAU National Championships 16 Open Division in 2017
- Was named to the AAU National Championships All-Tournament Team in 2017 and was a PrepVolleyball.com Club All-American in 2018
- Also competed in track and field for the Thunderbolts

- Born July 20, 2001
- Parents are Rodney and Christine
- Major is undeclared

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## CAPRI **DAVIS**



## **Outside Hitter**

## Sophomore

6-1

## Mansfield, Texas Lake Ridge



#### **Career Honors & Awards**

• Tom Osborne Citizenship Team (2019)

#### 2019 (Sophomore)

- Posted 10 kills and three blocks in the season opener against No. 18 Creighton
- Had eight kills on .350 hitting with five digs in a win over UCLA

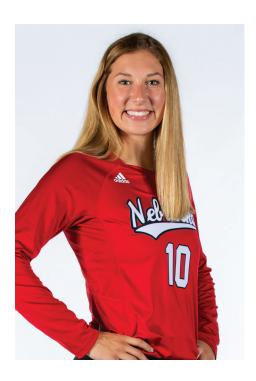
#### **Previous Seasons**

- Played in 26 matches and made three starts as a freshman in 2018
- Provided 79 kills (1.14 per set), 16 digs and seven blocks
- Attended Lake Ridge High School in Mansfield, Texas
- Was named an Under Armour first-team All-American
- Ranked the No. 21 overall prospect by PrepVolleyball.com
- As a senior, averaged 4.6 kills per set and 3.1 digs per set with a .308 hitting percentage, and served 55 aces and had 85 blocks in 107 sets played
- Led the Eagles to the Texas 5A regional quarterfinals with a 35-10 overall record
- In her high school career, totaled 1,371 kills and 512 blocks with 136 aces
- Played both middle blocker and outside hitter in high school
- Played club volleyball for Texas Image and Drive Nation

- Born March 29, 2000
- Parents are Warren and Terri
- Major is sociology

2019	2019 Match-by-Match Date Opponent SP K E TA PCT AST SA SE RE DIG BS BA BE TB BHE															
Date	Opponent	SP	K	Е	TA	PCT	AST	SA	SE	RE	DIG	BS	BA	BE	TB	BHE
8/30	Creighton	4	10	5	26	.192	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	3	0
8/31	UCLA	3	8	1	20	.350	0	0	0	0	5	1	1	0	2	0

## MADI **KUBIK**



## Outside Hitter

Freshman

6-3

West Des Moines, Iowa Valley

#### **Career Honors & Awards**

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#### 2019 (Freshman)

• Had six kills and six digs in her collegiate debut against No. 18 Creighton

#### **Previous Seasons**

- Led Valley High school in West Des Moines, lowa to a 41-4 record and the Class 5A state semifinals as a senior in 2018 with 5.16 kills per set on .382 hitting
- Competed on the U.S. Junior National Team, winning the gold medal at the 2018 NORCECA Women's U20 Continental Championship while recording nine kills and two blocks in the championship match against the Dominican Republic
- Was named an Under Armour First-Team All-American in 2018
- Ranked the No. 4 overall prospect by PrepVolleyball.com
- Averaged 5.5 kills per set as a junior in 2017, leading the Tigers to the lowa Class 5A state championship match
- Named to the Des Moines Register's All-Iowa Elite team
- Helped her club team, Iowa PowerPlex, finish 19th at the Open qualifiers in 2018
- Named the Iowa Gatorade Player of the Year and the Iowa Class 5A Player of the Year twice

- Born Jan. 8, 2001
- Parents are Brad and Renae
- Major is business administration

2019	9 Match-by	-Mat	ch													
Date	Opponent	SP	K	E	TA	PCT	AST	SA	SE	RE	DIG	BS	BA	BE	TB	BHE
8/30	Creighton	4	6	1	17	.294	0	0	2	3	6	0	0	0	0	0
8/31	UCLA	3	4	2	8	.250	1	0	1	1	9	0	0	0	0	0

## LEXI SUN



#### **Career Honors & Awards**

- AVCA All-America Honorable Mention (2017)
- All-Big 12 First Team (2017)
- AVCA All-Southwest Region (2017)
- Big 12 All-Freshman Team (2017)
- Big 12 Freshman of the Week (three times)
- USD Tournament MVP (2017)
- American Campus Classic All-Tournament Team (2017)
- VERT Challenge All-Tournament Team (2017)
- Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll (Fall 2018; Spring 2019

#### 2019 (Junior)

Opened the season with 13 kills and six digs against No.
 18 Creighton and followed up with 12 kills and seven digs on .321 hitting against UCLA

#### **Previous Seasons**

- As a sophomore in 2018, finished second on the team in kills with 3.11 per set and added 2.69 digs per set and 30 service aces in her first season as a Husker
- Played one season at Texas and was a unanimous first-team All-Big 12 selection after averaging 3.27 kills per set with a total of 337 kills to rank second on the team
- Received AVCA All-America honorable mention and AVCA All-Southwest Region honors
- Was a Big 12 All-Freshman Team member and Big 12 Freshman of the Week three times
- At Santa Fe Christian School, was the PrepVolleyball.com National Player of the Year, the Gatorade Player of the Year and All-USA Volleyball Player of the Year
- Was the most valuable player at the Under Armour All-America game in 2016
- Ranked No. 1 on PrepVolleyball's top seniors in 2016-17 and was an Under Armour High School First-Team All-American

#### Personal

- Born Alexis Dawn Sun on Sept. 19, 1998
- Parents are Conrad and Beth
- Major is communication studies

## **Outside Hitter**

Junior

6-2

## Encinitas, Calif. Santa Fe Christian/Texas



2019	2019 Match-by-Match Date Opponent SP K E TA PCT AST SA SE RE DIG BS BA BE TB BHE															
Date	Opponent	SP	K	Ε	TA	PCT	AST	SA	SE	RE	DIG	BS	BA	BE	TB	BHE
8/30	Creighton	4	13	6	47	.149	0	1	1	2	6	0	1	0	1	0
8/31	UCLA	3	12	3	28	.321	1	1	1	0	7	0	1	0	1	0

## JAZZ SWEET



## Outside Hitter

Junior

6-3

Topeka, Kan. Shawnee Heights



#### **Career Honors & Awards**

- PrepVolleyball.com All-America Honorable Mention (2017)
- All-Big Ten Freshman Team (2017)
- Nebraska Outstanding Female Newcomer (2017-18, All Sports)
- Academic All-Big Ten (2018; Beach-2019)
- Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll (Fall 2018, Spring 2018)
- Tom Osborne Citizenship Team (2018, 2019)

#### 2019 (Junior)

• Had seven kills, four digs and three blocks in the seasonopening win over No. 18 Creighton

#### **Previous Seasons**

- Averaged 2.24 kills and 0.78 blocks per set for the Huskers in 2018 while hitting .205 on the season
- Named to the All-Big Ten Freshman team and received PrepVolleyball.com All-America honorable mention in 2017
- Played in all 125 sets and had 2.22 kills per set in her first year as a Husker in 2017
- Earned Under Armour first-team All-America honors in 2016 as a senior at Shawnee Heights High School
- Ranked the No. 12 overall prospect in the nation by PrepVolleyball.com
- Led Shawnee Heights to the Kansas 5A state title as a senior
   the program's first in 16 years after finishing third in 2014
   and 2015
- Received Kansas Volleyball Association Class 5A first-team all-state honors three times in her career and was a three-time Topeka Capital-Journal city player of the year

#### Personal

- Born May 19, 1999
- Parents are Harvey and Nicole
- Major is management
- Full first name is Jzanasia (ja-NAY-shuh)

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Date	Opponent	SP	K	Ε	TA	PCT	AST	SA	SE	RE	DIG	BS	BA	BE	TB	BHE
	Creighton															
8/31	UCLA	3	7	0	17	.412	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	0	1	0

## NICOLE DREWNICK



Setter

Freshman

6-1

Dallas, Texas Hebron

#### **Career Honors & Awards**

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#### 2019 (Freshman)

• Made her collegiate debut as a serving sub on Aug. 30 against Creighton

#### **Previous Seasons**

- A versatile 6-1 athlete from Dallas, Texas, was originally committed to the Huskers for 2020 but reclassified to join the Huskers in the summer of 2019
- Won two state championships with Hebron High School in Texas 6A as a freshman and sophomore
- Spent most of her junior year playing for the Brazilian youth national team, helping them qualify for the 2019 FIVB World Championships
- Played both hitter and setter for her club volleyball team Texas Instinct, which is directed by her parents, Eduardo and Cilene
- Finished third with her club team in the USA Division at the USAV Junior National Championships in 2016

#### Personal

- Born Sept. 8, 2001
- Parents are Eduardo and Cilene
- Mother, Cilene, played volleyball for Brazil in the 1992 Olympics
- Father, Eduardo, played college basketball at Lamar, Southern Idaho and Houston and was on the Brazilian National Team
- Major is business administration

Date	Opponent	SP	K	E	TA	PCT	AST	SA	SE	RE	DIG	BS	BA	BE	TB	BHE
8/30	Creighton	1	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

**Career Honors & Awards** 

2019 (Freshman)

## FALLON STUTHEIT



Middle Blocker

Freshman

6-2

Johnson, Neb. Johnson-Brock

#### **Previous Seasons**

- Led Johnson-Brock High School coached by her mother, Tera - to three Nebraska Class D1 state titles in her high school
- As a senior in 2018, recorded 475 kills (5.1 per set) with a .415 hitting percentage
- Averaged 5.9 kills per set on .433 hitting as a junior in 2017
  Posted 19 kills and 16 digs in the Class D1 state championship match as a junior
- Set a Nebraska Class D1 state record with 539 kills in a season as a sophomore in 2016
- Was a three-time Lincoln Journal Star Super-State and Omaha World-Herald All-Nebraska first-team selection
- Played club volleyball for Nebraska One
- Also played basketball for the Eagles

#### Personal

- Born Nov. 28, 2000
- Parents are Jeremy and Tera
- Major is undeclared

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RILEY **ZUHN** 



Middle Blocker/ Outside Hitter

Freshman

6-5

Fort Collins, Colo. Fossil Ridge

#### **Career Honors & Awards**

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#### 2019 (Freshman)

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#### **Previous Seasons**

- Attended Fossil Ridge High School in Fort Collins, Colorado, helping the SaberCats reach the quarterfinals of the Colorado 5A state tournament
- Ranked the No. 32 overall prospect by PrepVolleyball.com and was named an Under Armour First-Team All-American in 2018
- Averaged 3.7 kills per set with a .421 hitting percentage as a senior
- Led Fossil Ridge to a Class 5A state title in 2016 as a sophomore with 3.5 kills per set on .381 hitting, earning MaxPreps Sophomore All-America honors
- Was a Colorado 5A all-state selection
- Played club volleyball for NORCO and became the first player from the NORCO program to compete on the U.S. Youth National Team

#### Personal

- Born May 22, 2001
- Parents are Jimmy and Karen
- Major is finance

## CALLIE SCHWARZENBACH



## Middle Blocker

## Sophomore

6-5

Kearney, Mo. Kearney



#### **Career Honors & Awards**

- All-Big Ten Freshman Team (2018)
- Big Ten Defensive Player of the Week (Sept. 17, 2018)
- Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll (Fall 2018; Spring 2019)
- Tom Osborne Citizenship Team (2019)

#### 2019 (Sophomore)

• Posted five blocks in the season-opening win against No. 18 Creighton

#### **Previous Seasons**

- Was an All-Big Ten Freshman Team selection in 2018 after leading the Huskers with 1.33 blocks per set to go with 1.09 kills per set on .291 hitting
- Set a Nebraska freshman record with 177 blocks, the eighthhighest total by a Husker in the rally-scoring era
- Attended Kearney High School in Kearney, Missouri
- Was the No. 10 overall high school prospect according to PrepVolleyball.com
- As a senior at Kearney High School, averaged 4.2 kills per set and 1.3 blocks per set while hitting .383
- Was a Missouri Class 4 all-state selection
- Led the Bulldogs to a runner-up finish in their district in 2017 with a 19-10-3 record
- Played club volleyball for KC Power, which won the USA Volleyball U18 national championship in April of 2017 and was ranked as the No. 2 club team in the nation by PrepVolleyball.com
- Was also a standout in basketball and track and field at Kearney High School

- Born Aug. 25, 1999
- Parents are Dave and Lynn
- Major is pre-health

	2019	Match-by	y-Match
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Date	Opponent	SP	K	Е	TA	PCT	AST	SA	SE	RE	DIG	BS	BA	BE	TB	BHE
8/30	Creighton	4	2	2	6	.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	5	0
8/31	UCLĂ	3	4	2	8	.250	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	0

## LAUREN STIVRINS



#### **Career Honors & Awards**

- AVCA All-America First Team (2018)
- AVCA All-Region First Team (2018)
- NCAA Championship All-Tournament Team (2018)
- PrepVolleyball.com All-America Honorable Mention (2017)
- All-Big Ten Team (2018)
- Big Ten Co-Player of the Week (Oct. 1, 2018)
- B1G Defensive Player of the Week (Nov. 5, 2018, Nov. 26, 2018)
- All-Big Ten Freshman Team (2017)
- Minneapolis Regional All-Tournament Team (2018)
- Ameritas Players Challenge All-Tournament Team (2018)
- Husker Invitational All-Tournament Team (2018, 2019)
- Omaha Challenge All-Tournament Team (2017)
- Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll (Fall 2016, Spring 2018, 2019)
- Tom Osborne Citizenship Team (2017, 2019)

#### 2019 (Junior)

 Named to the Husker Invitational All-Tournament Team after nine kills and two blocks on .500 hitting against No. 18 Creighton

#### **Previous Seasons**

- Earned AVCA first-team All-America and All-Big Ten honors with 2.36 kills per set and 1.17 blocks per set while serving 25 aces in 2018
- Hit .421 during the season, the third-highest mark in school history and second during the rally-scoring era
- Selected to the NCAA Championship All-Tournament Team after a career-high 19 kills on .615 hitting in the championship match against No. 1 Stanford
- As a redshirt freshman in 2017, was named to the All-Big Ten Freshman team and received PrepVolleyball.com All-America honorable mention
- Joined the Huskers from Chaparral High School in Scottsdale, Arizona
- Ranked the No. 9 prospect in 2016 by PrepVolleyball.com and No. 3 middle blocker
- Played club volleyball for AZ Storm, which won the 16 open division at the USA Volleyball Junior Championships in 2014

#### Personal

- Born May 26, 1998
- Parents are Alex and Claire Stivrins
- Father, Alex, was a member of Lincoln East's 1978 Class A state championship basketball team and former player at Creighton and Colorado
- Major is communication studies

## Middle Blocker

Junior

6-4

Scottsdale, Ariz. Chaparral



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l	Date	Opponent	SP	K	Ε	TA	PCT	AST	SA	SE	RE	DIG	BS	BA	BE	TB	BHE
		Creighton															
l	8/31	UCLA	3	5	2	12	.250	0	1	0	0	1	1	1	0	2	0

## HAYLEY **DENSBERGER**



## DS/Libero

Junior

5-9

Malcolm, Neb. Malcolm



#### **Career Honors & Awards**

- Big Ten Distinguished Scholar (2018)
- Academic All-Big Ten (2018; Beach-2019)
- Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll (Fall 2017, 2018; Spring 2019)
- Tom Osborne Citizenship Team (2018, 2019)

#### 2019 (Junior)

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#### **Previous Seasons**

- Played in 32 matches as a sophomore in 2018 and had 124 digs, 16 service aces and 11 set assists
- As a serving specialist, recorded 10 aces and 38 digs in 30 matches played in 2017
- Served a pair of aces and had a career-high seven digs in the NCAA Tournament first-round win over Stony Brook on Dec. 1
- Helped Malcolm to a 34-1 record and a berth in the Class C1 state championship match as a senior in 2016
- Earned Class C1 second-team all-state honors following her senior season
- $\bullet$  As a senior, totaled 316 kills, 262 digs and 61 aces while hitting .324
- Played club volleyball for VCNebraska and was named an All-American at the AAU national tournament in June of 2016 after leading her team to a runner-up finish in the Premier Division

- Born Aug. 10, 1999
- Parents are Donald and Becky
- Major is psychology

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Date	Opponent	SP	K	Ε	TA	PCT	AST	SA	SE	RE	DIG	BS	BA	BE	TB	BHE
	Creighton															

#### NCAA TOURNAMENT HISTORY

Overall	Record:
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113-32 (.779)

#### By Site:

Home: 75-7 (Coliseum 55-5/Devaney Center 20-2) Away/Neutral Sites: 38-25

#### By Round:

First: 32-1 (Nebraska received a bye from 1994-97) Second: 24-2 (Second round began in 1993)

Regional Semifinal: 28-6 Regional Final: 15-13 National Semifinal: 9-6 National Final: 5-4

#### Best NCAA Tournament Winning Percentage

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1	1.	Stanford	125-31 (.801
2	2.	Nebraska	113-32 (.779)
3	3.	Penn State	101-31 (.765
4	1.	Texas	95-33 (.742
5	5.	UCLA	90-32 (.738

#### **Most NCAA Tournament Wins**

1.	Stanford	125
2.	Nebraska	113
3.	Penn State	101
4.	Texas	95
5.	UCLA	90

#### **Most Tournament Appearances**

1.	Penn State	38
	Stanford	38
3.	Nebraska	37
	Hawaii	37
5.	Southern California	36

#### **Most NCAA Semifinals Appearances**

1.	Stanford	
2.	. Nebraska	
3.	Penn State	
4.	Texas	
	UCLA	

## Most NCAA Championships 1. Stanford

2.	Penn State
3.	Nebraska
4.	UCLA
5.	Hawaii
	Long Beach State
	Southern California

Note: NCAA Tournament action 1981-current

#### 1982 (1-1)

First Round at L	incoln, Neb.	
Penn State	W, 3-0	15-13, 15-5, 15-13
Mideast Region		

Purdue L, 2-3 15-12, 15-12, 4-15, 12-15, 5-15

#### 1983 (0-1)

First Round at Kalamazoo, Mich.

Western Michigan L, 1-3 15-9, 12-15, 12-15, 8-15

#### 1984 (2-1)

First Round at Lincoln, Neb.
Pittsburgh W, 3-0 15-6, 15-5, 15-13

Mideast Regional at Kalamazoo, Mich.

W. Michigan W, 3-1 15-12, 15-10, 8-15, 15-7
Pacific L, 1-3 8-15, 10-15, 15-13, 15-3

#### 1985 (2-1)

First Round at Lincoln, Neb.
Penn State W, 3-0 15-8, 15-7, 15-12
Mideast Regional at Lincoln, Neb.
Purdue W, 3-1 15-1, 16-14, 12-15, 15-11
USC L, 1-3 15-5, 11-15, 12-15, 7-15

#### 1986 (4-1) - NCAA Runner-Up

First Round at Lincoln, Neb. (Devaney Center) Pittsburgh W, 3-1 11-15, 15-5, 15-10, 15-7 Mideast Regional at Lincoln, Neb. (Devaney Center) 7-15, 15-4, 16-14, 16-18, 15-9 Penn State W. 3-2 W, 3-0 15-9, 15-8, 15-3 Illinois Championships at Stockton, Calif. Stanford W, 3-1 7-15, 15-2, 15-10, 15-10 Pacific L, 0-3 12-15, 4-15, 4-15

#### 1987 (2-1)

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 W, 3-0
 15-9, 15-1, 15-3

 Mideast Regional at Champaign, III.
 15-8, 15-12, 15-3

 Purdue
 W, 3-0
 15-8, 15-12, 15-3

 Illinois
 L, 0-3
 11-15, 12-15, 5-15

#### 1988 (1-1)

Illinois State

First Round at Lincoln, Neb.

First Round at Lincoln, Neb.

Weber State W, 3-2 15-10, 15-4, 14-16, 8-15, 15-8 Mideast Regional at Champaign, Ill.

Oklahoma L, 2-3 12-15, 9-15, 15-8, 15-11, 10-15

#### 1989 (4-1) - NCAA Runner-Up First Round at Lincoln, Neb.

W, 3-0

 Mideast Regional at Lincoln, Neb.

 Minnesota
 W, 3-1
 15-10, 11-15, 15-13, 15-12

 Illinois
 W, 3-0
 17-15, 15-5, 15-8

 Championships at Honolulu, Hawaii
 UCLA
 W, 3-0
 15-13, 15-11, 15-6

 Long Beach State
 L, 0-3
 12-15, 0-15, 6-15

15-7, 15-11, 15-12

#### 1990 (3-1) - NCAA Semifinalist

 First Round at Lincoln, Neb.

 Miami (Ohio)
 W, 3-0
 15-3, 15-9, 15-9

 Mideast Regional at Lincoln, Neb.

 Pittsburgh
 W, 3-0
 15-7, 15-11, 15-7

 Penn State
 W, 3-0
 15-12, 16-14, 10-15, 15-5

 Championships at College Park, Md.

 Pacific
 L, 1-3
 13-15, 15-11, 9-15, 12-15

#### 1991 (2-1)

 First Round at Lincoln, Neb. (Devaney Center)

 Illinois
 W, 3-0
 15-5, 15-8, 15-12

 Mideast Regional at Lincoln, Neb. (Devaney Center)

 Wisconsin
 W, 3-0
 15-9, 15-10, 15-10

 Ohio State
 L, 1-3
 15-9, 9-15, 16-17, 7-15

#### 1992 (1-1)

 First Round at Lincoln, Neb.

 Colorado
 W, 3-1
 15-11, 15-8, 8-15, 19-17

 Mideast Regional at Champaign, III.

 Illinois
 L, 0-3
 10-15, 7-15, 10-15

#### 1993 (1-1)

First Round at Lincoln, Neb.

Cornell W, 3-0 15-7, 15-4, 15-1

Second Round at South Bend, Ind.

Notre Dame L, 0-3 11-15, 10-15, 8-15

#### 1994 (2-1)

 First Round - Bye

 Second Round at Lincoln, Neb.

 George Wash.
 W, 3-0
 17-15, 15-9, 15-8

 Mideast Regional at Lincoln, Neb.

 Colorado
 W, 3-0
 15-11, 15-7, 15-5

 Penn State
 L, 1-3
 15-12, 11-15, 9-15, 8-15

#### 1995 (5-0) - NCAA Champion

First Round - Bve Second Round at Lincoln, Neb. George Mason W, 3-0 15-2, 15-5, 16-14 Central Regional at Lincoln, Neb. Penn State W, 3-1 15-7, 15-6, 14-16, 15-2 UCLA W. 3-0 15-9, 15-7, 16-14 Championships at Amherst, Mass. Michigan State W, 3-2 10-15, 15-8, 15-8, 9-15, 15-8 W, 3-1 11-15, 15-2, 15-7, 16-14 Texas

#### 1996 (3-1) - NCAA Semifinalist

First Round - Bye Second Round at Lincoln, Neb.

Stanford

Arkansas W, 3-1 15-8, 12-15, 15-7, 15-7

East Regional at Lincoln, Neb.
Louisville W, 3-0 15-6, 15-7, 15-4

Penn State W, 3-0 15-12, 8-15, 15-13, 9-15, 20-18 Championships at Cleveland, Ohio

15-9, 7-15, 9-15, 8-15

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#### NCAA TOURNAMENT HISTORY

1997	(2-1)	
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First Round - Bye

Second Round at Lincoln, Neb.

Michigan State W, 3-0 15-7, 15-12, 15-4

Pacific Regional at Long Beach, Calif.

W, 3-2 15-13, 12-15, 14-16, 15-7, 15-12 LISC Long Beach State L, 0-3 9-15, 9-15, 3-15

#### 1998 (4-1) - NCAA Semifinalist

First and Second Rounds at Lincoln, Neb.

Morgan State W. 3-0 15-1, 15-2, 15-0 W. 3-1 Utah 14-16, 15-4, 15-8, 15-9

Pacific Regional at Lincoln, Neb.

Pepperdine W, 3-2 16-14, 10-15, 14-16, 15-1, 15-12 Wisconsin W, 3-2 12-15, 18-16, 9-15, 15-10, 15-10

Championships at Madison, Wis.

Penn State 1.1-3 11-15, 8-15, 15-8, 11-15

#### 1999 (2-1)

First and Second Rounds at Lincoln, Neb.

W. 3-0 15-3, 15-5, 15-3 Davidson San Diego W, 3-0 15-12, 15-8, 15-9

Pacific Regional at Stanford, Calif.

UC Santa Barbara L, 1-3 5-15, 15-7, 8-15, 3-15

#### 2000 (6-0) - NCAA Champion

First and Second Rounds at Lincoln, Neb.

15-9, 15-2, 15-7 Princeton W. 3-0 South Carolina W, 3-2 15-11, 9-15, 13-15, 15-12, 15-13

Midwest Regional at Lincoln, Neb.

Ohio State W. 3-0 15-9, 15-6, 15-5 W. 3-0 15-7, 17-15, 15-11 Arizona

Championships at Richmond, Va.

W. 3-1 15-3, 15-12, 9-15, 15-10 Hawaii 15-9, 9-15, 7-15, 15-2, 15-9 Wisconsin W, 3-2

#### 2001 (4-1) - NCAA Semifinalist

First and Second Rounds at Manhattan, Kan.

Oral Roberts W. 3-0 30-8, 30-15, 30-23 Kansas State W, 3-1 30-25, 28-30, 30-26, 30-19

Midwest Regional at Lincoln, Neb.

Colorado State W 3-1 29-31, 30-21, 30-26, 36-34 W, 3-2 30-18, 30-24, 28-30, 25-30, 15-13 Florida

Championships at San Diego, Calif.

Stanford 1 0-3 29-31, 28-30, 21-30

#### 2002 (3-1)

First and Second Rounds at Lincoln, Neb.

**UT Martin** W, 3-0 30-12, 30-17, 30-14 Arizona State W, 3-0 30-22, 30-21, 30-17

Midwest Regional at Lincoln, Neb.

Miami W, 3-0 30-18, 30-17, 30-21 Hawaii I 1-3 25-30, 30-25, 27-30, 21-30

#### 2003 (2-1)

First and Second Rounds at East Lansing, Mich.

W. 3-0 30-19, 30-22, 30-21 Valparaiso W, 3-0 Dayton 30-19, 30-14, 30-25

Midwest Regional at Lincoln, Neb.

UCLA 30-20, 27-30, 21-30, 23-30 L. 1-3

#### 2004 (3-1)

First and Second Rounds at Lincoln, Neb.

W 3-0 30-15, 30-12, 30-19 lona Wichita State W, 3-0 30-22, 30-20, 30-21

Midwest Regional at Louisville, Ky.

Louisville W. 3-0 30-22, 32-30, 30-19 L, 2-3 35-33, 27-30, 21-30, 36-34, 12-15 USC

#### 2005 (5-1) - NCAA Runner-Up

First and Second Rounds at Lincoln, Neb.

Alabama A&M W. 3-0 30-15, 30-7, 30-15 W, 3-0 Duke 30-19, 30-19, 30-20 Midwest Regional at Omaha, Neb. 30-28, 30-23, 30-16 UCLA W. 3-0 30-26, 30-24, 30-16 Florida W. 3-0 Championships at San Antonio, Texas W. 3-0 Santa Clara 30-24, 30-19, 30-21 L. 0-3 26-30, 25-30, 26-30

#### 2006 (6-0) - NCAA Champion

First and Second Rounds at Lincoln, Neb.

American W 3-1 30-16, 30-23, 28-30, 30-16 Northern Iowa W. 3-0 30-16, 30-16, 30-14 East Regional at Gainesville, Fla. W. 3-0 30-21, 30-20, 30-15

San Diego W, 3-2 25-30, 22-30, 30-20, 30-25, 15-9 Minnesota Championships at Omaha, Neb.

UCLA W 3-1 23-30, 30-28, 30-23, 30-28 Stanford W. 3-1 27-30, 30-26, 30-28, 30-27

#### 2007 (3-1)

Washington

First and Second Rounds at Lincoln, Neb.

South Dakota St. W, 3-0 30-13, 30-14, 30-13 Wichita State W. 3-0 30-22, 30-19, 30-19

Midwest Regional at Madison, Wis.

Michigan State W, 3-2 25-30, 28-30, 30-17, 30-28, 15-9 California L, 0-3 28-30, 29-31, 26-30

#### 2008 (4-1) - NCAA Semifinalist

First and Second Rounds at Lincoln, Neb.

Liberty W, 3-1 25-11, 21-25, 25-16, 25-19 25-14, 25-15, 25-12 UAB W, 3-0

Pacific Regional at Seattle, Wash.

25-13, 25-16, 25-18 W. 3-0 Michigan Washington W, 3-2 14-25, 23-25, 25-17, 26-24, 15-13

Championships at Omaha, Neb.

Penn State L, 2-3 17-25, 18-25, 25-15, 25-22, 11-15

#### 2009 (3-1)

First and Second Rounds at Lincoln, Neb.

Coastal Carolina W, 3-0 25-18, 25-13, 25-15 Northern Iowa W. 3-0 25-14, 25-17, 25-21 Midwest Regional at Omaha, Neb. 25-11, 25-19, 25-22 Iowa State W, 3-0

L, 1-3 Texas 25-21, 18-25, 16-25, 17-25

#### 2010 (2-1)

First and Second Rounds at Lincoln, Neb.

Sacred Heart W. 3-0 25-12, 25-22, 25-11 Auburn W, 3-0 25-10, 25-17, 25-15

Pacific Regional at Seattle, Wash.

Washington I 1-3 16-25, 25-20, 21-25, 27-29

#### 2011 (1-1)

First and Second Rounds at Lincoln, Neb.

Jackson State W 3-0 25-10, 25-16, 25-13 Kansas State L, 2-3 22-25, 25-22, 29-31, 25-22, 11-15

#### 2012 (3-1)

First and Second Rounds at Lincoln, Neb.

UMES W, 3-0 25-14, 25-10, 25-18 Northern Iowa W, 3-0 25-21, 25-16, 25-21 Omaha Regional Washington W. 3-0 25-14, 25-21, 25-23 Oregon L. 1-3 25-15, 22-25, 18-25, 17-25

#### 2013 (3-1)

First and Second Rounds at Lincoln, Neb.

Fairfield W, 3-0 25-15, 25-9, 25-17 Oregon W, 3-0 25-22, 25-19, 25-22 Lincoln Regional W. 3-0 25-20, 25-23, 25-22 San Diego Texas L, 0-3 19-25, 22-25, 23-25

#### 2014 (3-1)

First and Second Rounds at Lincoln, Neb.

Hofstra W. 3-0 27-25, 25-23, 25-16 Utah W, 3-2 25-23, 25-22, 23-25, 17-25, 15-11 Seattle Regional Washington 20-25, 25-20, 25-22, 29-27 W. 3-1 L, 0-3 BYU 21-25, 20-25, 21-25

#### 2015 (6-0) - NCAA Champion

First and Second Rounds at Lincoln, Neb.

Harvard W, 3-1 22-25, 25-15, 25-17, 25-19 Wichita State W, 3-0 25-19, 25-19, 25-14 Lexington (Ky.) Regional BYU W. 3-0 26-24, 25-17, 25-23 Washington W. 3-1 25-17, 21-25, 25-20, 25-21 Championships at Omaha, Neb. W, 3-1 25-20, 25-21, 20-25, 25-16 Kansas Texas W. 3-0 25-23, 25-23, 25-21

#### 2016 (4-1) - NCAA Semifinalist

First and Second Rounds at Lincoln, Neb.

New Hampshire W, 3-0 25-9, 25-23, 25-18 TCU W. 3-0 25-22, 25-12, 25-16 Lincoln Regional Penn State W, 3-2 23-25, 23-25, 26-24, 25-19, 15-6 Washington W. 3-0 25-16, 25-10, 25-21 Championships at Columbus, Ohio 1.0-318-25, 23-25, 21-25 Texas

#### 2017 (6-0) - NCAA Champion

First and Second Rounds at Lincoln, Neb.

Stony Brook W, 3-0 25-10, 25-14, 25-12 Washington State W, 3-0 25-13, 25-13, 25-18 Lexington (Ky.) Regional Colorado W. 3-0 25-19, 25-11, 25-21 Kentucky W, 3-1 25-19, 25-22, 25-27, 25-22 Championships at Kansas City, Mo. Penn State W, 3-2 25-18, 23-25, 24-26, 28-26, 15-11 Florida W, 3-1 25-22, 25-17, 18-25, 25-16

#### 2018 (5-1) - NCAA Runner-Up

Stanford

First and Second Rounds at Lincoln, Neb.

Hofstra W, 3-0 25-19, 25-12, 25-16 Missouri W, 3-0 25-14, 25-22, 25-18 Minneapolis Regional Kentucky W, 3-0 25-17, 25-20, 25-23 Oregon W, 3-0 25-22, 25-23, 25-17 Championships at Minneapolis, Minn. Illinois W, 3-2 22-25, 16-25, 25-23, 25-20, 15-11

L, 2-3 26-28, 25-22, 16-25, 25-15, 12-15

## **MATCH-BY-MATCH COMPARISON**

#### 2019 Nebraska Volleyball Nebraska Team Match-by-Match Comparison (as of Sep 02, 2019) All matches

Date	Opponent	Score	Kills	Errors	TA	Hit%	Assists	SA	SE	RE	Digs	Blocks	BS	BA	BE	BHE
08/30/19	CREIGHTON	3-1	48 / 44	21 / 33	149 / 163	.181 / .067	43 / 37	5/5	11 / 10	5/5	68 / 65	8.0 / 4.0	1/0	14 / 8	3/4	0/0
Aug 31, 2019	UCLA	3-0	40 / 28	11 / 19	98 / 108	.296 / .083	38 / 27	7/3	5/6	3/7	54 / 42	6.0 / 6.0	3/2	6/8	1/6	0/1

Note: Match totals are displayed in the format TEAM/OPPONENT for each category

## **MISCELLANEOUS STATS**

#### **Double-Doubles**

Player	2019/Career
Nicklin Hames	1/26
Creighton (8/30)	
Lexi Sun	0/14
Lauren Stivrins	0/1

#### The Last Time a Husker

The East Time a Hasker	
Had 20+ Kills	٥١
Mikaela Foecke vs. Stanford (27)	Н
Had 30+ KillsNov. 3, 2007	Αv
Sarah Pavan at Kansas State (31)	Ne
Had 10+ BlocksNov. 2, 2018	Ag
Lauren Stivrins vs. Penn State (10)	Hi
Had 30+ DigsOct. 23, 2016	Н
Justine Wong-Orantes vs. Minnesota (35)	Le
Had a Triple-Double Sept. 9, 2005 vs. Pepperdine	Tra
Sarah Pavan (11 kills, 11 blocks, 10 digs)	Le
Had a Triple-Double (OH) Sept. 9, 2005 vs. Pepperdine	Tra
Sarah Pavan (11 kills, 11 blocks, 10 digs)	Le
Had a Triple-Double (Setter) Sept. 25, 2002 vs. Texas Tech	Tra
Greichaly Cepero (10 kills, 38 assists, 12 digs)	Le
Had Two Players with 20+ KillsNov. 16, 2013	Tra
Kelsey Robinson (21)/Kadie Rolfzen (20) vs. Michigan	Le
Hit 1.000 (min. 10 Kills)Sept. 28, 2018	Tra
Lauren Stivrins, 1.000 at Northwestern (10-0-10)	W

#### **Nebraska's Record When**

Overall	2-0
Home	2-0
Away	0-0
Neutral	0-0
Against Ranked Opponents	1-0
Hitting .300 or Better	
Holding Opponents Under .200 Hitting	2-0
Leading in Kills	2-0
Trailing in Kills	0-0
Leading in Aces	1-0
Trailing in Aces	0-0
Leading in Digs	2-0
Trailing in Digs	0-0
Leading in Blocks	1-0
Trailing in Blocks	0-0
Leading in Hitting Percentage	2-0
Trailing in Hitting Percentage	0-0
Winning First Set	
Losing First Set	0-0
In Three Sets	
In Four Sets	1-0
In Five Sets	0-0

## **OVERALL STATISTICS**

#### 2019 Nebraska Volleyball Nebraska Combined Team Statistics (as of Sep 02, 2019) All matches

RECORD:	OVERALL	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL
ALL GAMES	2-0	2-0	0-0	0-0
CONFERENCE	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	2-0	2-0	0-0	0-0

				А	ttack			S	et .		Serve			D	ig ,		В	locking				
##	Player	sp	k	k/s	е	ta	pct	а	a/s	sa	se	sa/s	re	dig	dig/s	bs	ba	total	blk/s	be	bhe	points
11	Sun,Lexi	7	25	3.57	9	75	.213	1	0.14	2	2	0.29	2	13	1.86	0	2	2	0.29	0	0	28.0
9	Davis,Capri	7	18	2.57	6	46	.261	0	0.00	0	0	0.00	0	5	0.71	2	3	5	0.71	0	0	21.5
26	Stivrins,Lauren	7	14	2.00	3	28	.393	0	0.00	1	0	0.14	0	1	0.14	1	3	4	0.57	2	0	17.5
12	Sweet, Jazz	7	14	2.00	4	42	.238	2	0.29	0	0	0.00	0	7	1.00	0	4	4	0.57	1	0	16.0
10	Kubik,Madi	7	10	1.43	3	25	.280	1	0.14	0	3	0.00	4	15	2.14	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	10.0
25	Schwarzenbach, Callie	7	6	0.86	4	14	.143	0	0.00	0	0	0.00	0	0	0.00	0	7	7	1.00	0	0	9.5
1	Hames, Nicklin	7	1	0.14	3	16	125	67	9.57	4	4	0.57	0	21	3.00	1	1	2	0.29	1	0	6.5
5	Szabo,Anezka	2	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
14	Drewnick, Nicole	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
3	Miller, Megan	7	0	0.00	0	0	.000	0	0.00	4	2	0.57	2	18	2.57	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	4.0
2	Knuckles, Kenzie	7	0	0.00	0	1	.000	10	1.43	1	3	0.14	0	41	5.86	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	1.0
43	Densberger, Hayley	4	0	0.00	0	0	.000	0	0.00	0	2	0.00	0	1	0.25	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	0.0
	#TM	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	NEBRASKA	7	88	12.57	32	247	.227	81	11.57	12	16	1.71	8	122	17.43	4	20	14.0	2.00	4	0	114.0
	Opponents	7	72	10.29	52	271	.074	64	9.14	8	16	1.14	12	107	15.29	2	16	10.0	1.43	10	1	90.0

Team Statistics	NEB	OPP
ATTACK		
Kills	88	72
Errors	32	52
Total Attacks	247	271
Attack Pct	.227	.074
Kills/Set	12.6	10.3
SET		
Assists	81	64
Assists/Set	11.6	9.1
SERVE		
Aces	12	8
Errors	16	16
Aces/Set	1.7	1.1
SERVE RECEPTIONS		
Errors	8	12
Errors/Set	1.1	1.7
Attempts	74	87
Reception Pct	.892	.862
DEFENSE		
Digs	122	107
Digs/Set	17.4	15.3
BLOCKING		
Block Solo	4	2
Block Assist	20	16
Total Blocks	14.0	10.0
Blocks/Set	2.0	1.4
Block Errors	4	10
Ball handling errors	0	1
ATTENDANCE		
Total	16687	0
Dates/Avg Per Date	2/8344	0/0
Neutral site #/Avg	0/0	
Current win streak	2	-
Home win streak	2	-

Date	Opponent	Score	Score by set	Att.
н08/30/19	#18 CREIGHTON	w 3-1	25-19,24-26,25-17,25-21	8450
!Aug 31	UCLA	w 3-0	25-12,25-16,25-19	8237

Record in 3-set matches: 1-0 Record in 4-set matches: 1-0 Record in 5-set matches: 0-0



**#1 Nicklin Hames** So. • S • Maryville, Tenn.



**#2 Kenzie Knuckles** Fr. • DS/L • Yorktown, Ind.



#3 Megan Miller So. • DS/L • Alexandria, Ind.



#5 Anezka Szabo RSo. • OH • Sioux Falls, S.D.



**#6 Chen Abramovich** So. • DS/L • Kfar Saba, Israel



#8 Emma Gabel
Fr. • DS/L • Lincoln, Neb.



**#9 Capri Davis**So. • OH • Mansfield, Texas



#10 Madi Kubik
Fr. • OH • West Des Moines, Iowa



#11 Lexi Sun

Jr. • OH • Encinitas, Calif.



#12 Jazz Sweet
Jr. • OH • Topeka, Kan.



#14 Nicole Drewnick
Fr. • S • Dallas, Texas



#15 Fallon Stutheit
Fr. • MB • Johnson, Neb.



#16 Riley Zuhn
Fr. • MB/OH • Fort Collins, Colo.



**#25 Callie Schwarzenbach** So. • MB • Kearney, Mo.



**#26 Lauren Stivrins**Jr. • MB • Scottsdale, Ariz.



#43 Hayley Densberger
Jr. • DS/L • Malcolm, Neb.



John Cook Head Coach



Kayla Banwarth
Assistant Coach



Jaylen Reyes Assistant Coach



Lindsay Peterson
Director of Operations



Beau Lawler
Video Coordinator/
Assistant Director of Operations