



MATCH NOTES

CLEMSON VOLLEYBALL

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Matches 4-6: Clemson Invitational vs. Jacksonville State, The Citadel & Gardner-Webb
September 2-3, 2022 • Jervey Gym • Clemson, S.C.

2022 SCHEDULE & RESULTS

Date	Opponent	WATCH	Time/Result
Fri., Aug. 26	# Austin Peay	ACCNX	W, 3-1
Sat., Aug. 27	# Louisiana Tech	ACCNX	W, 3-0
Sat., Aug. 27	# Presbyterian	ACCNX	W, 3-0
Fri., Sept. 2	^ Jacksonville State	ACCNX	7 p.m.
Sat., Sept. 3	^ The Citadel	ACCNX	1:30 p.m.
Sat., Sept. 3	^ Gardner-Webb	ACCNX	7 p.m.
Tue., Sept. 6	South Carolina	ACCNX	7 p.m.
Fri., Sept. 9	\$ USC Upstate	N/A	2 p.m.
Fri., Sept. 9	\$ ETSU	ESPN+	7 p.m.
Sat., Sept. 10	\$ Georgia State	N/A	11 a.m.
Fri., Sept. 16	% Samford	N/A	7 p.m.
Sat., Sept. 17	% Murray State	N/A	2 p.m.
Fri., Sept. 23	* Virginia Tech	ACCNX	7 p.m.
Sun., Sept. 25	* Wake Forest	ACCNX	1 p.m.
Fri., Sept. 30	* Louisville		7 p.m.
Sun., Oct. 2	* Notre Dame		1 p.m.
Fri., Oct. 7	* Pittsburgh	ACCNX	7 p.m.
Sun., Oct. 9	* Virginia	ACCNX	1 p.m.
Wed., Oct. 12	* Georgia Tech	ACCN	8 p.m.
Sun., Oct. 16	* Duke		1 p.m.
Fri., Oct. 21	* Syracuse	ACCNX	7 p.m.
Sun., Oct. 23	* Boston College	ACCNX	1 p.m.
Fri., Oct. 28	* NC State		7 p.m.
Sun., Oct. 30	* North Carolina	ACCNX	1 p.m.
Fri., Nov. 4	* Florida State	ACCN	8 p.m.
Sun., Nov. 6	* Miami	ACCNX	1 p.m.
Fri., Nov. 11	* Miami	ACCNX	7 p.m.
Sun., Nov. 13	* NC State	ACCNX	1 p.m.
Fri., Nov. 18	* Georgia Tech	ACCNX	7 p.m.
Fri., Nov. 25	* Wake Forest	ACCNX	7 p.m.

Bold indicates home match at Jervey Gym

- Big Orange Bash, ^ - Clemson Invitational, \$ - Buccaneer Classic (Johnson City, Tenn.), % - Samford Invitational (Birmingham, Ala.), * - ACC match.

PROGRAM FACTS

Clemson University

Nickname	Tigers
Location	Clemson, S.C.
Colors	Clemson Orange & Regalia
Founded	1889
Enrollment	27,341
President	Dr. James P. Clements (Maryland-Baltimore County '85)
Director of Athletics	Graham Neff (Georgia Tech '06)
Facility/Capacity	Jervey Gym (2,000)

2021 REVIEW

OVERALL RECORD	12-18
ACC RECORD/FINISH	3-15 / T-13
HOME RECORDS	8-9
AWAY RECORD	4-8
NEUTRAL SITE RECORD	0-1
POSTSEASON RECORD	N/A

PROGRAM HISTORY

First Year of Volleyball	1977
All-Time Record (through 2021)	880-666
All-Time Record in Jervey Gym	415-207 (.667)
All-Time ACC Record (34 Years)	281-312 (.474)
Last NCAA Tournament Appearance	2009
NCAA Tournament Appearances	8
ACC Regular-Season Championships	2 (1997,2007)
ACC Tournament Championships	1 (1997)

CLEMSON

Record:	3-0
Home:	3-0
Away:	0-0
Neutral:	0-0
Non-Conf.:	3-0
ACC:	0-0

Head Coach: Jackie Simpson Kirr || 2nd season

at Clemson:	15-18
at George Mason	17-39
Total (4th season)	32-57

Assoc. HC: Taylor Unroe || 2nd season

Asst. Coach: Dan O'Keefe || 1st season

Current Streak: W3

THE SERIES

vs. Jacksonville State	N/A
vs. The Citadel	1-0 (2004)
vs. Gardner-Webb	2-0 (2021)

WEEKEND SCHEDULE

Friday, Sept. 2:	
10:30 a.m.:	The Citadel vs. JSU
4:30 p.m.:	Gardner-Webb vs. The Citadel
7 p.m.:	Clemson vs. JSU
Saturday, Sept. 3:	
11:30 a.m.:	Gardner-Webb vs. JSU
1:30 p.m.:	Clemson vs. The Citadel
7 p.m.:	Clemson vs. Gardner-Webb

JACKSONVILLE STATE

Record:	3-0
Head Coach:	Todd Garvey
5th Season	

THE CITADEL

Record:	0-3
Head Coach:	Dave Zelenock
5th Season	

GARDNER-WEBB

Record:	1-2
Head Coach:	Eric Plunkett
2nd Season	

NEED TO KNOW

Cam Can

- **Junior Camryn Hannah** opened the 2022 season with a bang clocking 50 kills in 10 sets across the three games of the B.O.B.
- Hannah sits second in the conference for total kills (50), kills per set (5.00), points (56) and points per set (5.60)
- She surpassed the 600 career kill mark last weekend after tallying double-digit kills in every match

Consistent Clark

- **Senior Ani Clark** has appeared in over 70+ matches and 240+ sets during her collegiate campaign
- Last weekend at the B.O.B., Clark recorded 31 kills over three matches while maintaining a .605 hitting percentage
- She sits second in the NCAA for hitting percentage (.605) amongst Division I players, while leading the ACC
- At the net, Clark has tallied 42 solo blocks and 136 block assists during her career

Mia McGrath Mania

- **Freshman Mia McGrath** made a splash in the Clemson volleyball scene during her collegiate debut at the Big Orange Bash
- She finished the weekend with 28 kills, 23 digs, 33.5 points and three blocks sitting third on the team in kills and digs
- The freshman tabbed her first double-double against Louisiana Tech (10 kills, 11 digs) and had two solo blocks

Digging Devan

- **Sophomore Devan Taylor** started as Clemson's libero in all-three matches at the Big Orange Bash
- In the opening match of the 2022 season, Taylor set a career-high for digs with 27 against Austin Peay surpassing her previous mark of 24 set against Virginia last season
- She leads the team with 53 digs (5.30 digs per set) and contributed 17 assists over the 10 sets
- Taylor also leads the team with seven aces, including four against Louisiana Tech

Seven Newcomers

- Head coach Jackie Simpson Kirr brought in her inaugural signing class as head coach at Clemson with seven freshmen
- The newcomers include: **Sophie Catalano, Brooklyn Conner, Mia McGrath, Becca Michelle, Mia Moore, Maggie Patterson and Caroline Sele**

AVCA Academic Award

- The volleyball team earned the **2021-22 USMC/AVCA Team Academic Award** after finishing with a 3.36 team GPA
- Last spring, every member of the program carried a 3.0 GPA or higher to boast a program-high 3.5 GPA for the semester

MILESTONES/TRENDS

- Mckenna Slavik holds 2,876 assists on her career to sit seventh in Clemson history while averaging 9.65 assists per set for fifth-best
- Devan Taylor is averaging 3.65 digs/set during her career. She finished her freshman campaign with 348 digs to lead the team and mark the most digs by a freshman since 2017.
- Camryn Hannah is averaging 3.61 kills per set on her career. She has 617 total kills through the Big Orange Bash.

Upcoming Milestones

	Has	Needs
Ani Clark 200 career blocks	178	22
Ani Clark 450 career kills	410	40
Colleen Finney 200 career kills	190	10
Camryn Hannah 700 career kills	617	83
Camryn Hannah 700 career points	676.5	23.5
Cate Long 75 service aces	64	11
Cate Long 400 career kills	388	12
Mckenna Slavik 3,000 career assists	2,876	124
Devan Taylor 500 career digs	401	99

STATISTICAL LEADERS

CATEGORY	NAMES	No.
Points	Camryn Hannah	56.0
Attacks	Camryn Hannah	118
Kills	Camryn Hannah	50
Kills per Set	Camryn Hannah	5.00
Hitting Percentage	Ani Clark	.605
Assists	Mckenna Slavik	115
Assists Per Set	Mckenna Slavik	11.50
Service Aces	Devan Taylor	7
Service Aces Per Set	Devan Taylor	0.70
Digs	Devan Taylor	53
Digs Per Set	Devan Taylor	5.30
Blocks	Brooklyn Conner	7.0
Blocks Per Set	Brooklyn Conner	1.40

Starters Last Match

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JACYN BAMIS (JASS-in BAM-iss)

R-Fr. • MB • 6-1 • Spokane, Wash. • Gonzaga Preparatory HS

	SP	Kills	K/S	Blocks	Blk/Set	PTS
2022	6	10	1.67	2	0.42	11.5
Career	6	10	1.67	2	0.42	11.5

Season Highs: 6 kills, 1 block (2x), 7 points

- ACC Honor Roll selection
- Redshirted the 2021 season
- Appeared in two matches at the Big Orange Bash
- Tallied six kills and one solo block against Presbyterian
- Tabbed four kills and one block against Louisiana Tech
- Totaled 148 kills whiling hitting .300 in 111 sets played at Gonzaga Preparatory School

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COLLEEN FINNEY

So. • MB/RS • 6-1 • Blythewood, S.C. • Blythewood HS

	SP	Kills	K/S	Digs	Blocks	PTS
2022	6	13	2.17	0	4	15.5
Career	108	190	1.76	53	67	234.5

Season Highs: 7 kills, 3 blocks, 7 points

- 2021 ACC Honor Roll selection
- Member of inaugural POWER at Clemson
- Appeared in all three matches during the Big Orange Bash
- Tallied seven kills against Presbyterian
- Recorded three blocks against Austin Peay
- Tallied a season-high 11 kills at Boston College (Oct. 22, 2021)
- Finished 2021 with 106 points, 89 kills, 27 blocks, 16 digs and two aces

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DEVAN TAYLOR

So. • DS/L • 5-9 • Spring, Texas • Klein HS

	SP	Digs	D/S	Assists	Aces	PTS
2022	10	53	5.30	17	7	7
Career	110	401	3.65	101	24	29

Season Highs: 27 digs, 8 assists, 4 aces

- Two-time ACC Honor Roll member
- Started all three matches at the Big Orange Bash at libero
- Had a career-best 27 digs against Austin Peay
- Tallied four aces against Louisiana Tech
- Leads the team with 53 digs
- Finished with 17 aces last season, including three against UNC Asheville (Sept. 17, 2021)

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MCKENNA SLAVIK (SLAH-vik)

Sr. • S • 6-1 • Saint Charles, Ill. • Saint Charles East HS

	SP	Assists	A/S	Kills	Digs	PTS
2022	10	115	11.50	7	31	12.0
Career	298	2,876	9.65	202	633	325.5

Season Highs: 52 assists, 3 kills (2x), 15 digs, 5 points (2x)

- Named to the USA Volleyball Collegiate National Team
- All-ACC Academic Team selection and three-time ACC Honor Roll member
- Started all three matches of the Big Orange Bash
- Tied her single-match record with 52 assists against Austin Peay
- Finished with two double-doubles at the B.O.B. vs. APSU (52 assists, 11 digs) and Presbyterian (31 assists, 15 digs)
- Seventh in Clemson history with 2,876 career assists

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MIA McGRATH

Fr. • OH • 5-11 • Deerfield, Ill. • Loyola Academy

	SP	Kills	K/S	Blocks	Blk/Set	PTS
2022	10	31	3.10	4	0.45	33.5
Career	10	31	3.10	4	0.45	33.5

Season Highs: 12 kills, 11 digs, 3 blocks, 15 points

- Started in two matches at the Big Orange Bash
- Tallied double-digit kills against Austin Peay and Louisiana Tech
- Posted a double-double against Louisiana Tech with 12 kills and 11 digs
- AVCA All-American Second Team in high school (2021)
- Set Loyola Academy's record with 45 aces and 306 kills as a senior
- AVCA Best and Brightest Second Team member
- AVCA Phenom in 2020

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CAMRYN HANNAH

Jr. • RS/OH • 6-2 • Lansing, Ill. • Marist HS

	SP	Kills	K/S	Digs	Blocks	PTS
2022	10	50	5.00	7	4	56
Career	171	617	3.61	342	58	676.5

Season Highs: 26 kills, 1 ace (3x), 4 digs, 3 blocks, 27.7 points

- Started all three matches at the Big Orange Bash
- Opened the 2022 season with 26 kills against Austin Peay
- Tallied double-digit kills in all three matches at the B.O.B.
- Had double-digit kills in 11 matches last season
- Second on the team in 2021 with 261 kills and 3.11 kills per set
- Registered a season-best 20 kills and hit .471 with nine digs at Wake Forest (Sept. 26, 2021)

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ANI CLARK (AH-nee)

Sr. • MB • 6-3 • Wheaton, Ill. • Wheaton North HS

	SP	Kills	K/S	Blocks	Blk/Set	PTS
2022	10	31	3.10	4	0.45	33.5
Career	243	410	1.69	178	0.61	551

Season Highs: 12 kills (2x), 2 blocks, 13.5 points

- Three-time ACC Honor Roll selection
- Started all three matches at the Big Orange Bash
- Led the team at the B.O.B. with a .605 hitting percentage
- Tallied 12 kills against Austin Peay and Presbyterian (2022)
- Second on the team in 2021 for blocks (75) and aces (24)
- Registered at least one block in 27-of-30 matches in 2021
- Finished 2021 with 266.5 points, 197 kills, 38 digs and a .317 hitting percentage

Reserves Last Match

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KYLA SOLIS (soh-LEES)

So. • MB • 6-3 • Castroville, Texas • Medina Valley HS

	SP	Kills	K/S	Blocks	Blk/Set	PTS
2022						
Career	3	1	.333	0	0	1

Season Highs:

- ACC Honor Roll selection
- Appeared in two matches in 2021
- Talled her first career kill at Clemson against UNC Asheville (Sept. 17, 2021)
- Played club for San Antonio MAGIC
- 2020 All-Vype San Antonio Preseason Team
- 2020 Vype Preseason Middle Blocker of the Year
- 2020 San Antonio Express News Players to Watch List

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MAGGIE PATTERSON

Fr. • DS/L • 5-7 • Gaffney, S.C. • St. Joseph's Catholic School

	SP	Digs	D/S	Assists	Aces	PTS
2022	1	0	0.00	0	0	0
Career	1	0	0.00	0	0	0

Season Highs:

- Appeared in one match during the Big Orange Bash
- Two-time All-Region selection
- All-State selection in 2021
- Helped St. Joseph's Catholic School to become three-time State Champions
- Finished her high school career with 1,000 digs
- Played club volleyball for Upward Volleyball and Axis Elite Volleyball
- AAU National Championship Runner-Up in 2021 with the Axis Elite Volleyball club

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ANNA RENWICK

Jr. • DS/L • 5-6 • Spartanburg, S.C. • Dorman HS

	SP	Digs	D/S	Assists	Aces	PTS
2022	4	13	3.25	2	0	0
Career	107	261	2.44	47	15	16

Season Highs: 13 digs, 2 assists

- Two-time ACC Honor Roll selection
- Appeared in one match during the Big Orange Bash
- Talled 13 digs against Austin Peay
- Recorded 220 digs last season
- Registered her 100th-career dig vs. Pittsburgh (Oct. 8, 2021)
- Finished with eight or more digs in 13 matches, including double-digit digs in nine matches last season

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AZYAH DAILEY (Asia)

So. • OH • 6-2 • Port Charlotte, Fla. • Port Charlotte HS

	SP	Kills	K/S	Digs	Blocks	PTS
2022	4	3	0.75	2	1	3.5
Career	32	51	1.59	12	14	58.5

Season Highs: 2 kills, 1 dig (2x), 1 block, 2.5 points

- ACC Honor Roll selection
- Appeared in two matches during the Big Orange Bash
- Tabled two kills and one block vs. Austin Peay
- Had a season-high 15 kills off 30 attacks with three block assists against North Carolina (Oct. 31, 2021)
- Finished the season with 13 blocks, including a solo block vs NC State (Oct. 29, 2021)

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BECCA MICELLE (mih-CELL-ee)

Fr. • DS/L • 5-3 • Naples, Fla. • Community School of Naples

	SP	Digs	D/S	Assists	Aces	PTS
2022	10	13	1.30	5	1	1
Career	10	13	1.30	5	1	1

Season Highs: 1 ace, 6 digs, 1 point

- Appeared in all three games at the Big Orange Bash
- Talled an ace vs. Presbyterian
- Recorded six digs against Louisiana Tech
- Helped Community School of Naples become three-time District Champs
- Also helped them advance to Regional Semifinals during her junior and senior campaigns
- Holds the school record at CSN for digs and digs per game

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CATE LONG

Jr. • OH • 6-1 • Clearwater, Fla • Calvary Christian

	SP	Kills	K/S	Digs	Blocks	PTS
2022	7	5	0.71	12	1	5.5
Career	197	388	1.97	393	44	478

Season Highs: 2 kills (2x), 5 digs, 1 block, 2.5 points

- Two-time ACC Honor Roll selection
- Appeared in all three matches of the Big Orange Bash
- Talled two kills against Louisiana Tech and Presbyterian
- Finished with five digs against Austin Peay
- Finished with double-digit kills in seven matches in 2021
- Led Clemson in service aces (26) in 2021

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JENNA MOORE

Jr. • S • 5-10 • Greenville, S.C. • Mauldin HS

	SP	Assists	A/S	Kills	Digs	PTS
2022	1	3	3.00	0	3	0.00
Career	17	125	7.35	6	29	13.5

Season Highs: 3 assist, 3 digs

- Two-time ACC Honor Roll selection
- Appeared in one match at the Big Orange Bash
- Tabled three assists and three digs against Presbyterian
- Finished with a career-high 50 assists vs. NC A&T (Aug. 28, 2021)
- Picked up 122 assists, 26 digs, 13.5 points and six kills last season
- Recorded three kills, three aces and four block assists in the season opener vs. Samford (Aug. 28, 2021)

Reserves Last Match

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CAROLINE SELE (SEE-lee)

Fr. • S/RS • 6-2 • San Juan Capistrano, Calif. • St. Margaret's Episcopal School

	SP	Assist	A/S	Kills	Digs	PTS
2022	1	0	0.00	0	0	0
Career	1	0	0.00	0	0	0

Season Highs:

- Appeared in one match during the Big Orange Bash
- Helped lead St. Margaret's Episcopal School to become 2021 League Champions
- Named the San Joaquin League Player of the Year in 2021
- Played club ball for the T-Street Volleyball Club and A4 Volleyball Club
- Served as the captain of the T-Street Volleyball Club as a freshman and sophomore
- Father, Aaron Sele, played baseball at Washington State

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BROOKLYN CONNER

Fr. • MB • 6-3 • Ada, Mich. • Forest Hills Central HS

	SP	Kills	K/S	Block	B/S	PTS
2022	5	6	1.20	7	0.80	2.00
Career	5	6	1.20	7	0.80	2.00

Season Highs: 6 kills, 6 blocks, 9.5 points

- Started against Austin Peay and Louisiana Tech
- Tallied six kills and six blocks in her collegiate debut vs. Austin Peay
- Second Team All-State selection as a senior
- Third Team All-State selection during her junior campaign
- All-State honorable Mention as a sophomore
- Three-time All-Region selection
- Named an AVCA Third Team All-American

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SOPHIE CATALANO

Fr. • OPP • 5-10 • Pittsburgh, Pa. • Pine-Richland HS

	SP	Kills	K/S	Digs	Blocks	PTS
2022	6	0	0.00	3	0	1
Career	6	0	0.00	3	0	1

Season Highs: 1 attack, 1 ace, 3 digs, 1 point

- Appeared in two matches at the Big Orange Bash
- Tallied a service ace and three digs against Louisiana Tech
- Had her first collegiate attack against Presbyterian
- Four-time First Team All-WPIAL selection
- Selected to Pennsylvania's Big 56 Team in 2019, 2020 and 2021
- First Team All-State selection in 2020 and 2021

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MIA MOORE

Fr. • RS • 6-0 • Frisco, Texas • Frisco Heritage HS

	SP	Kills	K/S	Digs	Blocks	PTS
2022						
Career						

Season Highs:

- Four-time First Team All-District selection
- Second Team AVCA All-American in 2021
- 2020 AVCA All-Region selection
- AVCA Phenom List in 2020
- Holds the Heritage HS record for 1,425 kills while also recording 829 digs
- Dallas-Fort Worth Player of the Week in 2020
- Ranked No. 13 in Texas by Prep-Dig

GRATITUDE • GRACE • GRIT

GRATITUDE requires a present mindset. When we enter a moment with gratitude, we acknowledge that there is an opportunity for future success in every result, every interaction and every decision. Through the lens of gratitude, challenges become opportunities.

GRIT is powerful. It is one of the best indicators of an individual's success in life. Enthusiasm is common, but endurance is rare. Grit is a catalyst for endurance. We engage in a moment with grit when we align our actions and passion with our purpose.

Failure cannot exist where there is **GRACE**. When we evaluate a moment with grace, we are able to see something for what it is rather than what we wanted it to be. Volleyball is a game of errors; life is a series of lessons. Grace allows us to respond rather than react to a moment.

Quick Facts

MEDIA SERVICES

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CREDENTIALS

Members of the working press can request media credentials on a match-by-match, basis. All requests must be sent to **Valerie Johnson** via email. Those interested in a single-match credential must communicate the request at least one day prior to the match.

INTERVIEW

Interviews are available by request with select players and **Head Coach Jackie Simpson Kirr**. Contact **Valerie Johnson** via phone or email to coordinate all interview requests. Players are available at the discretion of the women's volleyball staff upon request.

MORE INFORMATION



ACC STANDINGS

SCHOOL	CONF	CPCT.	OVERALL	PCT.	STREAK
Boston College	0-0	.000	3-0	1.000	W3
Clemson	0-0	.000	3-0	1.000	W3
Louisville	0-0	.000	3-0	1.000	W3
Miami	0-0	.000	3-0	1.000	W3
Georgia Tech	0-0	.000	2-0	1.000	W2
Florida State	0-0	.000	2-1	.667	L1
NC State	0-0	.000	2-1	.667	W1
Pitt	0-0	.000	2-1	.667	W2
Syracuse	0-0	.000	2-1	.667	L1
Virginia	0-0	.000	2-1	.667	L1
Wake Forest	0-0	.000	2-1	.667	W1
Duke	0-0	.000	1-2	.333	W1
North Carolina	0-0	.000	1-2	.333	L1
Notre Dame	0-0	.000	1-2	.333	W1
Virginia Tech	0-0	.000	1-2	.333	L2

Double-Doubles

Name	Date	Kills	Digs	Assists
Mckenna Slavik	8/26/22	-	11	52
Mia McGrath	8/27/22	10	11	-
Mckenna Slavik	8/27/22	-	15	31

CLEMSON ON PAPER

Statistics: As of 8/29/22

	National Rank	Conference Rank	Value
Aces Per Set (320 ranked)	91	5	1.80
Assists Per Set (320 ranked)	4	1	14.70
Blocks Per Set (320 ranked)	171	9	1.90
Digs Per Set (320 ranked)	40	3	16.30
Hitting Percentage (320 ranked)	96	8	0.245
Kills Per Set (320 ranked)	6	1	15.30
Match W-L Pctg. (247 ranked)	1	1	1.000
Opp Hitting Percentage (320 ranked)	74	6	0.154
Team Assists (320 ranked)	43	1	147
Team Attacks Per Set (320 ranked)	12	1	38.70
Team Digs (320 ranked)	97	5	163
Team Kills (320 ranked)	64	4	153
Team Service Aces (320 ranked)	106	6	18
Team Total Attacks (320 ranked)	119	6	387
Team Total Blocks (318 ranked)	179	9	19.0

CLEMSON'S RECORD WHEN...

	Overall	ACC
LOCATION		
Home	3-0	0-0
Away	0-0	0-0
Neutral	0-0	0-0
RANKING		
vs. Ranked Opponent	0-0	0-0
MATCH LENGTH		
3-Set Matches	2-0	0-0
4-Set Matches	1-0	0-0
5-Set Matches	0-0	0-0
STATISTICAL LEADERS		
CU hits .250 or better	1-0	0-0
CU hits below .250	2-0	0-0
Opp. hits .250 or better	0-0	0-0
Opp. hits below .250	3-0	0-0
CU has higher attack %	3-0	0-0
CU has lower attack %	0-0	0-0
Teams have same attack %	0-0	0-0
CU has more kills	3-0	0-0
CU has fewer kills	0-0	0-0
Same number of kills	0-0	0-0
3 players with 10+ kills	1-0	0-0
3 players hit .300+ (min. 10 attempts)	0-0	0-0
CU hits 30+ kills	3-0	0-0
CU allows 30+ kills	3-0	0-0
CU has more aces	3-0	0-0
CU has fewer aces	0-0	0-0
Same number of aces	0-0	0-0
CU has more digs	3-0	0-0
CU has fewer digs	0-0	0-0
Same number of digs	0-0	0-0
CU has more blocks	1-0	0-0
CU has fewer blocks	2-0	0-0
Same number of blocks	0-0	0-0

Head Coach Jackie Simpson Kirr



Jackie Simpson Kirr, a two-time All-American setter at the University of Wisconsin-Madison, completed her first season at the helm of the Clemson Volleyball program in 2021 after serving as the Associate Head Coach and the team's offensive and recruiting coordinator for four seasons. Simpson Kirr joined the staff on April 24, 2017 and was promoted to head coach on May 6, 2021.

Since arriving at Clemson, Simpson Kirr has helped guide the Tigers to their first postseason appearance since 2009 with an appearance in the National Invitational Volleyball Championship (NIVC) in 2018 and has mentored five different players that earned All-ACC accolades on seven occasions. Simpson Kirr has also raised the bar when it comes to recruiting. After bringing in two recruiting classes that were given honorable mention recognition by the AVCA, Clemson's 2020 recruiting class was tabbed No. 24 in the nation and was just one of two recruiting classes in the nation to feature four All-Americans.

In her first season as head coach, Simpson Kirr led the Tigers to accomplishing numerous feats, including defeating Rutgers in three sets on Sept. 17 for the first win Clemson has had over a Big Ten opponent since 1999. Under her guidance, Clemson started the season 10-3 to mark the best start since 2014 and also started 2-0 in ACC action for the first time since 2011. The Tigers posted a perfect 8-0 mark against non-conference opponents in Jervy Gym and finished with 59 block solos on the year, the most in both areas since 2014. The 2021 season also played host to the third-fewest attack errors in program history, and the 12-win season is the most wins in the inaugural season of a head coaches' tenure since Jolene Hoover won 27 in 1993.

During the unprecedented 2020 campaign, Simpson Kirr and the Tigers opened the season with a 3-2 upset victory over No. 12 Miami (Fla.). Then freshman outside hitter Camryn Hannah finished with a standout first season in the Clemson Orange and Regalia under Simpson Kirr's direction. Hannah picked up All-ACC Second Team and ACC All-Freshman Team honors after leading all freshman in the ACC in kills and kills per set. She also garnered an AVCA All-Region East selection and AVCA All-American Honorable Mention. Simpson Kirr guided freshman Cate Long to finish eighth in the NCAA for total aces (38). Both Hannah and Long also garnered a combined four All-ACC weekly honors during the year.

In 2019, Simpson Kirr and the Tigers went 3-0, including a sweep over SEC foe Georgia and a four-set win over a 2019 NCAA tournament qualifier in Kennesaw State, to win the annual Big Orange Bash tournament. Clemson's 2019 non-conference slate was also highlighted by the program's first-ever win over Central Arkansas as well as victories over Appalachian State and Oral Roberts. Simpson Kirr and the Tigers made history in the month of October that year when Clemson downed four straight ACC opponents, a first for the program since 2012. Outside hitter Kaylin Korte garnered Second Team All-ACC status for the second time of her career, having done so in 2017, after Korte tied for fifth in the conference in kills (3.58/set). Additionally, freshman setter McKenna Slavik was one of just five Power-5 freshman setters to average at least 9.70 assists per set.

In 2018, Simpson Kirr mentored then redshirt-sophomore Brooke Bailey, a transfer from Ohio State, who earned Second Team All-ACC honors after she finished the regular season ranked fifth in kills (3.71/set) against ACC opponents. Additionally, former Clemson setter Gabby Easton and right side hitter Solei Thomas were named to the All-ACC Freshman Team. Easton was the top freshman setter in the conference after leading all freshmen in the ACC in assists during the regular season with 1,278 (10.74/set), which also put her at No. 3 overall in the ACC. Her 10.74 assists-per-set average was also good for fifth in the nation among all freshmen and ranked third among Power-5 freshmen. Easton's 1,278 assists were also the second most by a freshman in program history, a milestone that she reached with two matches remaining in Clemson's regular season. Thomas ranked second on the team in kills after averaging 2.89 kills per set in 2018. Thomas totaled 17 double-digit kill matches, including a career-best 20 kills against Appalachian State (Sept. 1, 2018). Both Easton and Thomas were named ACC Freshman of the Week on two occasions each. The 2018 ACC postseason awards announcement marked the first time since 2011 Clemson collected three ACC postseason selections. In the spring of 2018, Clemson's incoming recruiting class was given the highest honorable mention by PrepVolleyball.com.

Additionally, Simpson Kirr has had three players in Korte, Slavik and Bailey earn spots on a USA Volleyball Collegiate National Team. Slavik secured a spot on the 2020 U.S. Collegiate National Team-Anaheim in the spring of 2020, but was unable to compete due to the coronavirus pandemic (COVID-19), which caused the cancellation of the event. Both Korte and Bailey earned spots on the 2018 U.S. Collegiate National Team-Detroit.

Since joining the Tigers' staff, Simpson Kirr has lured three Power-5 transfers to Clemson in outside hitters Bailey (Ohio State) and Korte (Illinois), and former Clemson setter Caroline Pearson (Arizona State). In 2017, Simpson Kirr guided Korte to Second Team All-ACC status, who led the team in kills (3.36/set) and attempts (9.67/set). In the Tigers' opening match of 2017, a win over Bethune-Cookman, Simpson Kirr steered Pearson to tally 57 assists, which was second-most in a four-set match among all ACC players in 2017.

Simpson Kirr was the Head Coach at George Mason in Fairfax, Virginia from 2015-16. In her first season with the Patriots, she led the team to the best Atlantic-10 finish in program history and its best overall record since 2010. While at the helm of the Patriot program, Simpson Kirr served on the AVCA All-American Selection Committee in 2016, during which time she was the East Region Committee Chair. She also earned the AVCA's 30-under-30 Award in 2015, a prestigious national honor awarded to the top 30 volleyball coaches, at any level, under the age of 30.

Prior to her time at George Mason, Simpson Kirr was an Assistant Coach at Iowa for the 2014 season. She also previously served as an assistant coach at Marquette (2013-14), East Carolina (2010-13) and Winona State in Winona, Minnesota (2008-09).

Simpson Kirr was a standout setter both on the court and in the classroom at Wisconsin from 2004-07. She led the Badgers to four NCAA Tournament appearances, including two Elite Eight berths. Simpson Kirr was a two-time AVCA All-American and a two-time All-Big Ten selection. She ranks second all-time in Wisconsin program history in career assists and is 19th all-time among Big Ten setters.

Simpson Kirr earned a Bachelor of Science degree in Letters & Science – Sociology from the University of Wisconsin-Madison in 2008. She earned a Master of Science degree in Exercise & Sport Science – Sport Psychology from East Carolina in 2013.

Kirr and her wife, Jordy Kirr, have two children, Jackson and Besser.

COACHES AND STAFF



Taylor Unroe
Associate Head Coach
2nd Season
Florida (2014)



Dan O'Keefe
Assistant Coach
1st Season
Saint Xavier (2017)



Haley Bilbruck
Director of Operations
2nd Season
Southeast Missouri State
(2019)

2022 TV Roster



#2 • Kyla Solis
Sophomore • MB
(soh-LEES)



#3 • Maggie Patterson
Freshman • DS/L



#4 • Anna Renwick
Junior • DS/L



#5 • Jacyn Bamis
Redshirt Freshman • MB
(JASS-in BAM-is)



#7 • Azyah Dailey
Sophomore • OH
(Asia)



#8 • Becca Michelle
Freshman • DS/L
(mih-CELL-ee)



#10 • Cate Long
Junior • OH



#13 • Colleen Finney
Junior • MB/RS



#14 • Jenna Moore
Junior • S



#15 • Caroline Sele
Freshman • S/RS
(SEE-lee)



#16 • Devan Taylor
Sophomore • DS/L



#18 • Mckenna Slavik
Senior • S



#19 • Brooklyn Conner
Freshman • MB



#20 • Sophie Catalano
Freshman • OPP



#22 • Mia Moore
Freshman • OPP



#23 • Mia McGrath
Freshman • OH



#24 • Camryn Hannah
Junior • RS/OH



#34 • Ani Clark
Senior • MB
(AH-nee)



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