



MATCH NOTES

CLEMSON VOLLEYBALL

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Match 17-18: Clemson at No. 23 North Carolina & Duke
October 10-12, 2025 • Clemson, S.C. • Jervey Gym

2025 SCHEDULE & RESULTS

Date	Opponent	WATCH	Time/Result
Fri., Aug. 29	# vs. Campbell	N/A	W, 3-0
Sat., Aug. 30	# vs. East Tennessee State	N/A	W, 3-0
Sun., Aug. 31	# at South Carolina	SEC+	W, 3-2
Thu., Sept. 4	North Carolina A&T	ACCNX	W, 3-0
Fri., Sept. 5	North Carolina A&T	ACCNX	W, 3-1
Tue., Sept. 9	& Georgia	ACCNX	W, 3-1
Thu., Sept. 11	\$ Elon	ACCNX	W, 3-0
Fri., Sept. 12	\$ USC Upstate	ACCNX	W, 3-1
Sat., Sept. 13	\$ Wofford	ACCNX	W, 3-2
Thu., Sept. 18	^ Georgetown	ACCNX	W, 3-2
Fri., Sept. 19	^ Norfolk State	ACCNX	W, 3-1
Fri., Sept. 19	^ Charleston Southern	ACCNX	W, 3-1
Fri., Sept. 26	* Florida State	ACCNX	L, 1-3
Sun., Sept. 28	* No. 24 Miami (Fla.)	ACCNX	L, 0-3
Fri., Oct. 3	* at No. 5 Pitt	ACCNX	L, 0-3
Sun., Oct. 5	* at No. 11 SMU	ACCNX	L, 0-3
Fri., Oct. 10	* No. 23 North Carolina	ACCNX	6 p.m.
Sun., Oct. 12	* Duke	ACCNX	1 p.m.
Fri., Oct. 17	* at NC State	ACCNX	7 p.m.
Sun., Oct. 19	* at Wake Forest	ACCNX	1 p.m.
Fri., Oct. 24	* Stanford	ACCNX	6 p.m.
Sun., Oct. 26	* California	ACCNX	1 p.m.
Fri., Oct. 31	* at Virginia Tech	ACCNX	6 p.m.
Sun., Nov. 2	* at Virginia	ACCNX	1 p.m.
Fri., Nov. 7	* at Syracuse	ACCNX	7 p.m.
Sun., Nov. 9	* at Boston College	ACCNX	1 p.m.
Wed., Nov. 12	* Georgia Tech	ACC Network	7 p.m.
Fri., Nov. 14	* at Georgia Tech	ACCNX	7 p.m.
Fri., Nov. 21	* Notre Dame	ACCNX	6 p.m.
Sun., Nov. 23	* Louisville	ACC Network	1 p.m.
Tue., Nov. 25	* Syracuse	ACCNX	2 p.m.
Fri., Nov. 28	* at Florida State	ACCNX	2 p.m.

Bold indicates home match at Jervey Gym

- Columbia, S.C. - South Carolina Tournament, & - SEC/ACC Challenge, \$ - Clemson/Wofford Tournament,

^ - Big Orange Bash, * - ACC match

PROGRAM HISTORY

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First Year of Volleyball	1977
All-Time Record	932-722
All-Time Record in Jervey Gym	439-233
All-Time ACC Record (34 Years)	294-357
Last NCAA Tournament Appearance	2009
NCAA Tournament Appearances	8 (1993, 1994, 1997, 1998, 1999, 2007, 2008, 2009)
Last NIVC Tournament Appearance	2023
NIVC Tournament Appearances	3 (2018, 2022, 2023)
ACC Regular-Season Championships	2 (1997, 2007)
ACC Tournament Championships	1 (1997)

STATISTICAL LEADERS

CATEGORY	NAMES	No.
Points	Kennedy Wagner	232.5
Attacks	Kennedy Wagner	497
Kills	Kennedy Wagner	208
Kills per Set	Kennedy Wagner	3.85
Hitting Percentage	Kate Hansen	.351
Assists	Katherine Sandt	575
Assists Per Set	Katherine Sandt	9.91
Service Aces	Katherine Sandt	20
Service Aces Per Set	Katherine Sandt	0.34
Digs	McKenna Gildon	233
Digs Per Set	McKenna Gildon	3.88
Blocks	Kate Hansen	41
Blocks Per Set	Kate Hansen	0.76

*Minimum 50% of teams set played required

CLEMSON

Record:	12-4
Home:	9-2
Away:	1-2
Neutral:	2-0
Non-Conf.:	12-0
ACC:	0-4

Head Coach: Jackie Simpson Kirr || 5th season

at Clemson:	67-74
Total (7th season)	84-113

Assoc. HC: Taylor Unroe || 5th season

Asst. Coach: Moneshia McKenney || 1st season

Asst. Coach: Haley Bilbruck || 5th season

Dir. of Ops: Nicole Willis || 1st season

UNC SERIES

CU Record	18-67
Last Meeting	11/29/24
	L, 0-3
at Home	11/29/24
	L, 0-3
Trend	L5

DUKE SERIES

CU Record	24-46
Last Meeting	11/3/24
	L, 1-3
at Home	10/22/23
	L, 0-3
Trend	L5

NORTH CAROLINA

Record:	11-2
Away:	2-1
ACC:	4-0
Head Coach:	Mike Schall
at UNC:	47-24
Total:	47-24

DUKE

Record:	4-11
Away:	0-4
ACC:	1-3
Head Coach:	Jolene Nagel
at Duke:	513-297
Total:	716-437

NEED TO KNOW

CAN YOU DIG IT?

- The Tigers continue to find ways to elevate the ball defensively, especially behind junior libero McKenna Gildon
- Gildon (Gil to her teammates) leads the team with 233 digs (3.88 d/s) to power Clemson to 929 as a program - this number leads the ACC and sits 55th nationally
- Gil's 233 sits fifth among ACC players, while her 3.88 per set is seventh
- Joining her on the back line are sophomores Addi Rains (116) and Claire Luoma (110), while setter Katherine Sandt (157) and pin attacker Mia McGrath (149) contribute as six-rotation players
- All 15 players on the 2025 roster have contributed at least two digs to the Tigers 929 dig total

CLOCKING IN ON THE RPI TOP 50

- The first RPI of the 2025 season was released on Monday, Oct. 6, and the Clemson Tigers checked in at No. 42
- This is the highest RPI the Tigers have come in under Head Coach Jackie Simpson Kirr, surpassing the previous best of 45 set in 2023 when the second RPI was released on Oct. 9, 2023
- The first RPI of the 2025 season marks the highest the Tigers have clocked in at any RPI ranking since 2008 when Clemson finished the season at No. 38
- Clemson's highest victories this season have come against South Carolina (56) and Georgia (71)
- This follows the Tigers opening the season 12-4, including a perfect 12-0 nonconference slate
- The 12-4 start is the best start by Clemson since 2007 when Clemson opened the season 14-2

SETTING THINGS UP

- Redshirt sophomore Katherine Sandt has found her groove in her second year as the starting setter
- Training at the same club as former Clemson five-year setter McKenna Slavik (2019-23), Sandt took over the 'quarterback' reigns for the Tigers in 2024
- Averaging only 7.74 assists per set last season, Sandt has bumped her pace to 9.91 a/s in 2025
- She surpassed 1,000 career assists during the USC Upstate match and now sits 743 assists away from cracking Clemson's career Top 10 list for the category (10. Courtney Lawrence, 2004-07 - 2,053)
- Not only has she been able to dish out assists, Sandt is second on the team in digs (157) while also contributing 20 blocks, 33 kills and a team-high 20 aces
- The redshirt sophomore has clocked over 40+ assists in eight matches this season and a double-double in six

MAC ATTACK

- The senior pin attacker has been a force for the Tigers since her freshman campaign and accumulated 944 career points
- McGrath is on pace to become the first Tiger to surpass 1,000 career points during their career at Clemson since former Tiger, Camryn Hannah, finished with 1,056 through three years with the program
- A six-rotation player, Mia McGrath (Mac) picked up the 2025 season where she left off in 2024 to be crowned the Gamecock Classic MVP with 41 points, 36 kills, four blocks and three aces and followed that up by being named to the Big Orange Bash All-Tournament Team
- She posted four double-doubles on the year, including most recently against Georgetown
- Nearing the 1,000 mark in multiple categories, she also sits with 873 career digs and 798 career kills
- The senior has accumulated 91 aces, including 17 in 2025, and 85 total blocks
- In 2025, she's second on the team in kills and aces, while sitting third in digs
- Excelling on and off the field, McGrath is one of two new cohosts on Beyond the Paw, a Clemson Plus podcast dedicated to sharing the stories of athletes away from the field of play, and an On-Air Intern with the Tiger Pregame Show on Saturday's before Clemson football games with Kennedy Wagner. She has aspirations of becoming a sports broadcaster once her playing career concludes

PLAYERS

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KENNEDY WAGNER

Jr. • PIN • 6-0 • Valparaiso, Ind. • Valparaiso HS

	SP	Kills	K/Set	Digs	Blocks	PTS
2025	54	208	3.85	46	26	232.5
Career	196	558	2.85	212	69	648.5

Season Highs: 22 kills, 2 aces, 7 digs (2x), 5 blocks

- Finished with a career-high 22 kills vs. Florida State
- Tallied 20 kills vs. NC A&T
- Led team with 16 kills and 5 blocks vs. Georgia
- Clocked 2 solo blocks and 1 assisted with 11 kills vs. NC A&T in home opener
- Recorded 19 kills at South Carolina & vs. Wofford
- Had double-digit kills in 12 matches this season
- Gamecock Classic All-Tournament Team

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KATHERINE SANDT

RSO. • S • 6-0 • Western Springs, Ill. • Nazareth Academy

	SP	Assists	A/Set	Kills	Digs	PTS
2025	58	575	9.91	33	157	64.5
Career	153	1310	8.56	74	367	142

Season Highs: 52 assists, 6 kills, 22 digs, 4 aces

- Recorded 52 assists, 10 digs and 3 blocks against Georgetown
- Had a season-high 22 digs & 49 assists vs. Wofford
- Clocked 40 assists and 18 digs with 2 aces vs. USC Upstate
- Finished with 47 assists at South Carolina & vs. Florida State
- Has 6 double-doubles this season
- Big Orange Bash All-Tourney Team and Setter of the Tournament
- Recorded a career-high 63 assists and 12 digs at Georgia Tech (2024)

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KYAHA GORDON

Jr. • PIN • 6-0 • Belize City, Belize • Navarro College

	SP	Kills	K/Set	Digs	Blocks	PTS
2025	12	13	1.08	7	2	15
Career	12	13	1.08	7	2	15

Season Highs: 7 kills, 3 digs, 1 ace, 1 block (2x)

- Made Clemson debut vs. NC A&T
- Had 4 kills, 2 digs and 1 blocks vs. Norfolk State
- Tallied a dig and an ace vs. Elon
- Notched 7 kills, 3 digs and 1 block at SMU
- Transferred from Navarro College - joined team in January 2025
- Four-time medalist with the Belize National Team
- Finished with 567 kills in 2 seasons at Navarro

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KATIE HURTA

RJr. • PIN • 6-1 • Palos Hills, Ill. • Penn State

	SP	Kills	K/Set	Digs	Blocks	PTS
2025	13	17	1.31	6	9	21.5
Career	96	172	1.79	55	32	190.5

Season Highs: 7 kills, 4 blocks, 3 digs

- Recorded four blocks against Florida State
- Finished with 4 kills and 3 digs vs. Elon
- Tallied 7 kills and 2 blocks vs. NC A&T
- Appeared in 4 matches in 2024 - missed rest of season due to injury
- Gators Invitational & Tulane Invitational All-Tournament Team (2023)
- Led Tigers with 19 kills against Sacramento State (2023)
- Had a .357 hitting percentage with 16 kills vs. UTEP (2023)

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NIL OKUR

Sr. • MH • 6-0 • Istanbul, Turkiye • Michigan State

	SP	Kills	K/Set	Blocks	Blk/Set	PTS
2025	50	68	1.36	31	0.62	85.5
Career	218	297	1.36	177	0.81	422

Season Highs: 10 kills, 3 digs (2x), 5 blocks (2x), 12.5 points

- Tallied season-high 10 kills and added 4 blocks vs. Charleston Southern
- Finished with 9 kills and 4 blocks against USC Upstate
- Notched 4 blocks at South Carolina
- Transferred from Michigan State - joined team in January 2025
- Clocked 146 total blocks, including 13 solo blocks at MSU
- Tallied a career-high 8 blocks at Navy
- Recorded a career-high 13 kills at Indiana to contribute to 17.5 total points

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ADDI RAINS

So. • L • 5-5 • Yorktown, Ind. • Yorktown HS

	SP	Digs	D/Set	Assists	Aces	PTS
2025	58	116	2.00	14	15	15
Career	152	277	1.82	29	18	20

Season Highs: 3 assists, 18 digs, 6 aces

- Joined Clemson's Top 10 list with 6 aces vs. Elon
- Tallied a career-high 18 digs vs. Georgia
- Clocked 8 digs against NC A&T
- Has double-digit digs in 3 matches in 2025
- Recorded 10 digs at Georgia Tech and vs. Wake Forest (2024)
- Finished with 9 digs at Georgia Southern and against Pitt (2024)
- Finished her freshman campaign with 161 digs

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CLAIRE LUOMA

So. • L • 5-7 • Franklin, Wis. • Franklin HS

	SP	Digs	D/Set	Assists	Aces	PTS
2025	59	110	1.86	10	10	10
Career	110	188	1.71	19	18	18

Season Highs: 3 assists (2x), 2 aces, 11 digs (2x)

- Finished with a season-high 11 digs vs. Wofford & Charleston Southern
- Recorded 10 digs in the second game vs. NC A&T
- Tallied 2 aces and 10 digs against Campbell
- Notched 10 digs and 1 ace at South Carolina
- Tallied a career-high 12 digs at Georgia Southern (2024)
- Recorded 11 digs and 2 aces vs. Kennesaw State (2024)
- Opened the season with 4 aces and 4 digs vs. Loyola Chicago (2024)

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AUDREY ARMBRUSTER

Jr. • S • 5-11 • Cincinnati, Ohio • Mount Notre Dame

	SP	Assists	A/Set	Kills	Digs	PTS
2025	5	30	6.00	1	8	1
Career	71	392	5.52	11	120	24

Season Highs: 14 assists, 1 kill, 3 digs

- Had 9 assists and 3 digs vs. Elon
- Recorded 14 assists and 2 digs in the second game vs. NC A&T
- Tallied 1 assist in 1 set of action vs. ETSU
- Finished with a career-high 51 assists vs. Wofford (2024)
- Had four double-doubles during the 2024 season
- Recorded a season-high 15 digs against Kennesaw State (2024)
- Finished with 10 digs and 9 assists at Notre Dame (2024)

PLAYERS

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KATE SIMINGTON

Jr. • MH • 6-4 • Excelsior, Minn. • Minnetonka, HS

	SP	Kills	K/Set	Blocks	Blk/Set	PTS
2025	12	23	1.92	9	0.75	29
Career	130	189	1.45	90	0.69	242

Season Highs: 6 kills (2x), 2 digs, 4 blocks

- Recorded 4 blocks and two kills at Pitt
- Had 6 kills and 3 blocks against Florida State
- Finished with 3 kills and 1 block vs. Elon & Norfolk State
- Tallied 6 kills in first game against NC A&T
- Appeared in 5 matches, starting 1 in 2024 after returning from injury
- Clocked 5 kills & 3 blocks assists at California (2024)
- Clocked at least 1 block in 29 matches during the 2023 season

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ECEM AKSOY

Fr. • PIN • 5-11 • Izmir, Turkiye • Doga Koleji

	SP	Kills	K/Set	Digs	Blocks	PTS
2025	6	16	2.67	3	2	17
Career	6	16	2.67	3	2	17

Season Highs: 8 kills, 1 assist, 1 dig (3x), 2 blocks

- Had 8 kills, 2 blocks and 1 dig vs. Elon
- Made Clemson debut in first game against NC A&T
- Clocked 3 kills in second game vs. NC A&T
- Competed with Vakifbank Sports Club & Rota Koleji Sports Club
- 2024 U-19 Turkish National Team Training Invitee
- Second place at 2024 Junior Turkish National Championships
- 2024 High School Turkish National Champions

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KATE HANSEN

Jr. • MH • 6-3 • Weatherford, Texas • Texas Tech

	SP	Kills	K/Set	Blocks	Blk/Set	PTS
2025	54	126	2.33	41	0.76	160.5
Career	244	354	1.45	233	0.95	531

Season Highs: 14 kills, 2 aces, 7 digs, 7 blocks

- Finished with a career high against Georgetown with 14 kills, 7 blocks & 2 aces
- Had 11 kills, 5 digs, 2 blocks and 1 ace vs. Wofford
- Recorded 8 kills and 5 blocks in the second game vs. NC A&T
- Had 11 kills vs. ETSU & Wofford
- Finished with 5 blocks, 8 kills and 6 digs at South Carolina
- Gamecock Classic All-Tournament Team & Big Orange Bash MVP
- Led the team with 93 blocks (19 solo, 74 assisted) for a 0.83 blk/set avg. (2024)

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MIA MOORE

Sr. • PIN • 6-0 • Frisco, Texas • Frisco Heritage HS

	SP	Kills	K/Set	Digs	Blocks	PTS
2025	49	107	2.18	28	17	115.5
Career	103	194	1.88	59	39	215

Season Highs: 15 kills, 5 digs (2x), 4 blocks

- Clocked double-digit kills in all 3 matches of the Big Orange Bash
- Had 7 kills, 5 digs and 2 blocks vs. Wofford
- Notched a career-high 15 kills and 5 digs vs. Georgia
- Finished with 7 kills and 3 digs in the first game against NC A&T
- Recorded 12 kills at South Carolina with 2 blocks
- Tallied 10 kills with 6 digs & 3 blocks vs. No. 25 North Carolina (2024)
- 2024-25 Member of POWER - Clemson's women's empowerment organization

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MIA McGRATH

Sr. • PIN • 5-11 • Deerfield, Ill. • Loyola Academy

	SP	Kills	K/Set	Digs	Blocks	PTS
2025	59	155	2.63	149	18	184.5
Career	398	798	2.01	873	85	944

Season Highs: 21 kills, 4 aces, 19 digs, 3 blocks (2x)

- Had 21 kills, 9 digs, 3 blocks and 1 ace vs. Wofford
- Notched 19 digs and 14 kills with 4 aces vs. Georgia
- Gamecock Classic All-Tournament MVP & Big Orange Bash All-Tourney Team
- Clocked a career-high 23 kills and added 3 aces against Wofford (2024)
- Finished with a career-high 20 digs, 14 kills and 3 solo blocks at WMU (2024)
- ACC Student Athlete Advisory Committee
- Co-host of Beyond the Paw Podcast at Clemson

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BIANCA MARTINEZ

Sr. • MH • 6-2 • Omaha, Neb. • Cal State Fullerton

	SP	Kills	K/Set	Blocks	Blk/Set	PTS
2025	10	23	2.30	5	0.50	28.5
Career	312	511	1.64	258	0.83	665

Season Highs: 5 kills (2x), 1 dig (2x), 1 block (5x)

- Had 4 kills and 1 solo block vs. USC Upstate
- Finished with 5 kills and 1 solo block in second game vs. NC A&T
- Tallied 1 kill in 1 set vs. Campbell
- Transferred from Cal State Fullerton - joined team in January 2025
- 2022 Big West All-Freshman Team
- Clocked 645 points to average 2.11 per set in 3 years at Cal State Fullerton
- Finished with 257 total blocks, including 45 solo blocks

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McKENNA GILDON

Jr. • L • 5-10 • Plano, Texas • Liberty HS

	SP	Digs	D/Set	Assists	Aces	PTS
2025	60	233	3.88	80	9	10
Career	244	530	2.17	123	44	46

Season Highs: 11 assists, 1 ace (9x), 26 digs

- Big Orange Bash All-Tournament Team
- Recorded a career-high 26 digs against Charleston Southern
- Had 24 digs and 9 assists vs. Wofford
- Tallied 23 digs vs. NC A&T & 25 vs. Florida State
- Recorded 16 digs at South Carolina
- Clocked double-digit digs in 10 matches this season
- Finished with 10 digs vs. Wake Forest, NC State and BC (2024)

PROGRAM FACTS

Nickname	Tigers
Location	Clemson, S.C.
Colors	Tiger Orange & Regalia
Founded	1889
Enrollment	29,077
President	Dr. James P. Clements (UMBC '85)
Director of Athletics	Graham Neff (Georgia Tech '06)
Facility/Capacity	Jervy Gym (1,500)

OWN TODAY • Tomorrow's success is built on how we show up today.

GRATITUDE • GRIT • GRACE

GRATITUDE recognizes and appreciates the good, even in hard moments. It's a mindset that fuels positivity, respects the process, and keeps us grounded as we pursue excellence.

GRIT is the drive to keep going through adversity, the resilience to push forward when you feel stuck, and the toughness to never back down.

GRACE leads with purpose, lifts others up, and strengthens our connection. It helps us hold ourselves accountable with humility and respect. Grace isn't soft, it's high standards with heart.

QUICK FACTS

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INTERVIEW

Interviews are available by request with select players and **Head Coach Jackie Simpson Kirr**. Contact **Andrew Fostvelt** 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



CLEMSON ON PAPER

Statistics: As of Oct. 6

	National Rank	Conference Rank	Value
Aces Per Set (343 ranked)	166	9	1.52
Assists Per Set (343 ranked)	57	5	12.43
Blocks Per Set (343 ranked)	251	18	1.80
Digs Per Set (343 ranked)	47	2	15.48
Hitting Percentage (343 ranked)	75	7	.243
Kills Per Set (343 ranked)	84	7	13.18
Match W-L Pctg. (341 ranked)	42	6	.750
Opp Hitting Percentage (343 ranked)	105	9	.191
Team Assists (343 ranked)	39	1	746
Team Attacks Per Set (343 ranked)	147	6	34.47
Team Digs (343 ranked)	55	1	929
Team Kills (343 ranked)	56	1	791
Team Service Aces (343 ranked)	125	5	91
Team Total Attacks (343 ranked)	110	2	2,068
Team Total Blocks (343 ranked)	220	17	108

CLEMSON'S 2025 RECORD WHEN...

	Overall	ACC
LOCATION		
Home	9-2	0-2
Away	1-2	0-2
Neutral	2-0	0-0
RANKING		
vs. Ranked Opponent	0-3	0-3
MATCH LENGTH		
3-Set Matches	4-3	0-3
4-Set Matches	5-1	0-1
5-Set Matches	4-0	0-0
STATISTICAL LEADERS		
CU hits .250 or better	9-0	0-0
CU hits below .250	3-4	0-4
Opp. hits .250 or better	0-4	0-4
Opp. hits below .250	12-0	0-0
CU has higher attack %	12-0	0-0
CU has lower attack %	0-4	0-4
Teams have same attack %	0-0	0-0
CU has more kills	11-0	0-0
CU has fewer kills	1-4	0-4
Same number of kills	0-0	0-0
3 players with 10+ kills	7-0	0-0
3 players hit .300+ (min. 10 attempts)	6-0	0-0
CU hits 30+ kills	12-2	0-2
CU allows 30+ kills	10-4	0-4
CU has more aces	9-1	0-1
CU has fewer aces	1-2	0-2
Same number of aces	2-1	0-1
CU has more digs	11-0	0-0
CU has fewer digs	1-4	0-4
Same number of digs	0-0	0-0
CU has more blocks	6-0	0-0
CU has fewer blocks	5-4	0-4
Same number of blocks	1-0	0-0

2025 ACC STANDINGS

SCHOOL	CONF	CPCT.	OVERALL	PCT.	STREAK
Miami	4-0	1.000	14-1	.933	W14
Louisville	4-0	1.000	12-2	.857	W5
Pitt	4-0	1.000	12-2	.857	W12
North Carolina	4-0	1.000	11-2	.846	W5
Stanford	3-1	.750	12-3	.800	L1
SMU	2-2	.500	10-4	.714	W2
Syracuse	2-2	.500	10-4	.714	L1
Florida State	2-2	.500	8-5	.615	L1
Notre Dame	2-2	.500	5-7	.417	W1
California	2-2	.500	5-9	.357	L2
Boston College	1-3	.250	12-4	.750	L1
Virginia Tech	1-3	.250	9-6	.600	W1
NC State	1-3	.250	8-6	.571	W1
Virginia	1-3	.250	8-6	.571	W1
Wake Forest	1-3	.250	7-8	.467	L2
Georgia Tech	1-3	.250	6-7	.462	L2
Duke	1-3	.250	4-11	.267	L3
Clemson	0-4	.000	12-4	.750	L4

MILESTONES

UPCOMING MILESTONES	HAS	NEEDS
McKenna Gildon 600 digs	530	70
Kate Hansen 250 blocks	233	17
Kate Hansen 600 points	531	69
Katie Hurta 200 points	190.5	9.5
Claire Luoma 200 digs	188	12
Mia McGrath 800 kills	798	2
Mia McGrath 100 aces	91	9
Mia McGrath 900 digs	873	27
Mia McGrath 1,000 points	944	56
Mia Moore 200 kills	194	6
Nil Okur 200 blocks	177	23
Nil Okur 300 kills	297	3
Addi Rains 300 digs	277	23
Katherine Sandt 1,500 assists	1,310	190
Katherine Sandt 400 digs	367	33
Katherine Sandt 50 aces	42	8

HEAD COACH JACKIE SIMPSON KIRR



SIMPSON KIRR FILE

Education: Wisconsin (UG - 2008) || East Carolina (Masters - 2013)
Years at Clemson: Total - 9
 - 5 as Head Coach (2021-Pres.)
 - 4 as Associate Head Coach/Recruiting Coordinator (2017-20)
 - Joined Clemson staff in 2017
Record as a Head Coach: 84-113 (seventh season as HC)
 - Clemson: 67-74
 - George Mason: 17-39
Family:
 - Jordy Kirr (Wife)
 - Jackson (Son)
 - Besser (Daughter)

JERVEY GYM FILE

AGAINST ALL OPPONENTS IN JERVEY TEAM RECORDS (ALL TIME)

Category	No.	Opponent	Date
Kills	93	Florida State	10/11/1996
	93	Maryland	11/17/2006
Attacks	282	Maryland	11/08/1986
Hitting %	.563	Charleston Southern	09/20/1996
Service Aces	26	Augusta College	09/05/1989
Block Solos	18	Middle Tennessee	09/21/1991
Block Assists	34	Duke	09/25/2010
Assists	94	Florida State	10/11/1996
Digs	149	Maryland	11/08/1986

INDIVIDUAL RECORDS (ALL TIME)

Category	No.	Name	Opponent	Date
Kills	32	Robin Kibben	Auburn	09/11/93
	32	Julie Rodriguez	Florida State	10/11/96
	32	Brittany Ross	Georgia Tech	11/15/05
Attacks	84	Leah Perri	Wake Forest	11/06/15
Hitting %	.923	Kristin Swanson	Wofford	09/18/02
(Minimum of 10 Total Attempts)				
Service Aces	10	Joy Fleming	Virginia	10/18/85
Block Solos	7	Wendy Anderson	North Carolina	10/17/86
	7	Joy Fleming	Charlotte	11/11/86
Block Assists	13	Alexa Rand	Duke	09/25/10
Assists	86	Michelle Thieke	Florida State	10/11/96
Digs	35	Anna Vallinch	North Carolina	09/25/04

TOP 10 JERVEY ATTENDANCE RECORDS UNDER SIMPSON KIRR

Rank	No.	Opponent	Result	Score	Date
1.	1,500	* Florida State	L	1-3	9/26/25
	1,500	South Carolina	L	0-3	9/24/24
3.	1,393+	* NC State	L	0-3	9/22/23
4.	1,360+	* Louisville	L	1-3	11/5/23
5.	1,320	* Miami (Fla.)	L	0-3	9/28/25
6.	1,295	NC A&T	W	3-1	9/5/25
7.	1,294+	Middle Tennessee	W	3-1	8/25/23
8.	1,242+	* Notre Dame	W	3-1	11/3/23
9.	1,235	* Pittsburgh	L	0-3	9/27/24
10.	1,120	Charleston Southern	W	3-1	9/19/25

Note: Attendance figures are estimates

* - Denotes ACC match; + - Denotes Jervy Gym prior to renovations

2025 COACHING STAFF

TAYLOR UNROE

Associate Head Coach || Defensive Coordinator

Years at Clemson: 5 - joined staff in 2021

Education: Florida (2014)

Notes:

- Lead coach for first contact, Clemson's defensive efforts and serve-receive
- Guided Devan Taylor (2021-24) to second-most digs in Clemson program history
- SEC Libero of the Year & AVCA All-America Honorable Mention (2013)
- Two-time SEC Champion & four NCAA appearances at Florida
- Previously worked with Simpson Kirr at George Mason (2015-16) where she was the defensive coordinator



MO McKENNEY

Assistant Coach || Recruiting Coordinator

Years at Clemson: 1 - joined staff in 2025

Education: Clemson (2014)

Notes:

- Serves as the offensive analyst & lead coach for attacking
- Builds Clemson VB on Simpson Kirr's "Own To-day" vision & is the connection between Clemson VB IPTAY to grown alumni and ACEs Club network
- AVCA All-American & First Team All-ACC selection as a Tiger
- One of five athletes in Clemson's records with over 500 kills, 1,000 digs and 200 blocks



HALEY BILBRUCK

Assistant Coach || Player Development

Years at Clemson: 5 - joined staff in 2021; First season as an assistant coach (DOVO 2021-24)

Education: Southeast Missouri State (2019)

Notes:

- Lead coach for blocking efforts & works alongside Unroe on defensive efforts
- Manages player development & serves as technical coordinator
- Focus on developing comprehensive reports for individual player improvement
- Second Team All-Ohio Valley selection



NICOLE WILLIS

Director of Volleyball Operations

Years at Clemson: 1 - joined staff in 2025

Education: East Carolina (2014)

Notes:

- Manages team travel & equipment
- All-Conference right side for the Pirates
- Was a player for Simpson Kirr at ECU during Simpson Kirr's first D1 coaching role



2025 ROSTER

NUMERICAL

#	Player	Pos.	Yr.	Ht.	Hometown	Previous School / High School
2	Kennedy Wagner	PIN	Jr.	6-0	Valparaiso, Ind.	Valparaiso HS
6	Katherine Sandt	S	*So.	6-0	Western Springs, Ill.	Nazareth Academy
8	Khaya Gordon	PIN	Jr.	6-0	Belize City, Belize	Navarro College / Saint Catherine Academy
9	Katie Hurta	PIN	*Jr.	6-1	Palos Hills, Ill.	Penn State / Nazareth Academy
10	Nil Okur	MH	Gr.	6-0	Istanbul, Turkiye	Michigan State / Ozel Sezin Okullari
11	Addi Rains	L	So.	5-5	Yorktown, Ind.	Yorktown HS
12	Claire Luoma	L	So.	5-7	Franklin, Wis.	Franklin HS
14	Audrey Armbruster	S	Jr.	5-11	Cincinnati, Ohio	Mount Notre Dame
15	Kate Simington	MH	Jr.	6-4	Excelsior, Minn.	Minnetonka HS
16	Ecem Aksoy	PIN	Fr.	5-11	Izmir, Turkiye	Doga Koleji
19	Kate Hansen	MH	Jr.	6-3	Weatherford, Texas	Texas Tech / Weatherford HS
22	Mia Moore	PIN	Sr.	6-0	Frisco, Texas	Frisco Heritage HS
23	Mia McGrath	PIN	Sr.	5-11	Deerfield, Ill.	Loyola Academy
24	Bianca Martinez	MH	Sr.	6-2	Omaha, Neb.	Cal State Fullerton / Omaha Central HS
28	McKenna Gildon	L	Jr.	5-10	Plano, Texas	Liberty HS

* - one redshirt

Head Coach:

Associate Head Coach:

Assistant Coach:

Assistant Coach:

Director of Operations:

Jackie Simpson Kirr (5th season • Wisconsin '08)

Taylor Unroe (5th season • Florida '14)

Mo McKenney (1st season • Clemson '14)

Haley Bilbruck (5th season • Southeast Missouri State '19)

Nicole Willis (1st season • East Carolina '14)

PRONUNCIATIONS

#	Name	Pronunciation
6	Katherine Sandt	SANT
8	Khaya Gordon	KIE-uh
10	Nil Okur	nill OH-kerr
12	Claire Luoma	LOO-muh
14	Audrey Armbruster	ARM-broo-ster
15	Kate Simington	SIGH-ming-tin
16	Ecem Aksoy	eh-JEM AHK-soy
28	McKenna Gildon	gill - DON
	Jackie Simpson Kirr	KEER

To hear pronunciations, visit the roster page on ClemsonTigers.com or use the QR code below



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KENNEDY WAGNER
Jr. | PIN | 6-0



6
KATHERINE SANDT
RSo. | S | 6-0



8
KHAYA GORDON
Jr. | PIN | 6-0



9
KATIE HURTA
RJR. | PIN | 6-1



10
NIL OKUR
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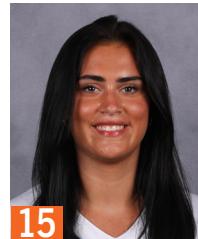
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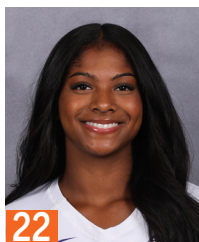
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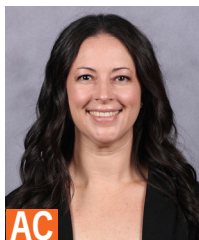
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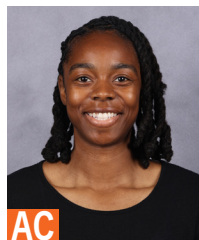
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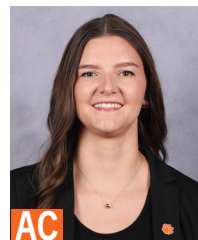
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Head Coach



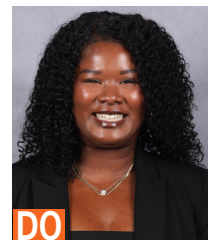
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STATISTICS



2025-26 Clemson Women's Volleyball Combined Team Statistics All games

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Game Records

Overall	Conference	Home	Away	Neutral
12 - 4	0 - 4	9 - 2	1 - 2	2 - 0

Team Box Score

##	Player	SP	Attack					Set		Serve			RE	Dig		Blocking						PTS
			K	K/S	E	TA	PCT	A	A/S	SA	SE	SA/S		DIG	DIG/S	BS	BA	TOT/S	BLK/S	BE	BHE	
2	Wagner, Kennedy	54	208	3.85	70	497	.278	0	0.00	5	19	0.09	4	46	0.85	13	13	26	0.48	5	0	232.5
6	Sandt, Katherine	58	33	0.57	3	89	.337	575	9.91	20	18	0.34	0	157	2.71	3	17	20	0.34	4	0	64.5
8	Gordon, Khaya	12	13	1.08	10	45	.067	1	0.08	1	5	0.08	0	7	0.58	0	2	2	0.17	0	0	15.0
9	Hurta, Katie	13	17	1.31	10	52	.135	1	0.08	0	0	0.00	0	6	0.46	0	9	9	0.69	0	0	21.5
10	Okur, Nil	50	68	1.36	17	161	.317	3	0.06	0	0	0.00	0	14	0.28	4	27	31	0.62	2	0	85.5
11	Rains, Addi	58	0	0.00	1	3	-.333	14	0.24	15	17	0.26	10	116	2.00	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	15.0
12	Luoma, Claire	59	0	0.00	0	3	.000	10	0.17	10	25	0.17	14	110	1.86	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	10.0
14	Armbruster, Audrey	5	1	0.20	1	2	.000	30	6.00	0	2	0.00	0	8	1.60	0	0	0	0.00	1	0	1.0
15	Simington, Kate	12	23	1.92	7	51	.314	0	0.00	1	0	0.08	0	4	0.33	1	8	9	0.75	1	0	29.0
16	Aksoy, Ecem	6	16	2.67	5	43	.256	1	0.17	0	1	0.00	1	3	0.50	0	2	2	0.33	0	0	17.0
19	Hansen, Kate	54	126	2.33	20	302	.351	5	0.09	11	8	0.20	0	46	0.85	6	35	41	0.76	3	0	160.5
22	Moore, Mia	49	107	2.18	67	275	.145	2	0.04	0	0	0.00	1	28	0.57	0	17	17	0.35	7	0	115.5
23	McGrath, Mia	59	155	2.63	69	491	.175	24	0.41	17	37	0.29	7	149	2.53	7	11	18	0.31	3	0	184.5
24	Martinez, Bianca	10	23	2.30	8	48	.313	0	0.00	2	2	0.20	0	2	0.20	2	3	5	0.50	1	0	28.5
28	Gildon, McKenna	60	1	0.02	1	6	.000	80	1.33	9	25	0.15	19	233	3.88	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	10.0
CLEMSON		60	791	13.18	289	2068	.243	746	12.43	91	159	1.52	65	929	15.48	36	144	108	1.80	27	0	990.0
Opponents		60	678	11.30	287	2045	.191	636	10.60	65	153	1.08	91	832	13.87	28	188	122	2.03	29	0	865.0

Team statistics

	CU	OPP
ATTACK		
Kills	791	678
Errors	289	287
Total Attacks	2068	2045
Attack Pct	.243	.191
Kills/Set	13.18	11.30
SET		
Assists	746	636
Attempts	2067	2053
Assist Pct	.361	.310
Assists/Set	12.43	10.60
SERVE		
Aces	91	65
Errors	159	153
Attempts	1332	1219
Serve Pct	.881	.874
Aces/Set	1.52	1.08
SERVE RECEPTIONS		
Errors	65	91
Errors/Set	1.08	1.52
Attempts	1066	1173
Reception Pct	.939	.999
DEFENSE		
Digs	929	832
Digs/Set	15.48	13.87
BLOCKING		
Block solo	36	28
Block Assist	144	188
Total Blocks	108	122
Blocks/Set	1.80	2.03
Block Errors	27	29
Ball handling errors	0	0
ATTENDANCE		
Total	9643	8844
Dates/Avg Per Date	11/877	3/2948
Neutral Site #/Avg	2/85	-
Current win streak	0	-
Home win streak	0	-

Team Results

Date	Opponent	Score	Score-by-set	Att.
08/29/2025	vs Campbell	W 3-0	25-19,25-15,25-23	102
08/30/2025	vs ETSU	W 3-0	25-13,25-23,25-20	67
08/31/2025	at South Carolina	W 3-2	14-25,25-22,25-17,23-25,15-11	3405
09/04/2025	N.C. A&T	W 3-0	25-22,25-19,25-22	634
09/05/2025	N.C. A&T	W 3-1	25-16,25-13,24-26,25-18	1295
09/09/2025	Georgia	W 3-1	25-21,22-25,27-25,25-23	843
09/11/2025	Elon	W 3-0	25-13,25-14,25-10	302
09/12/2025	USC Upstate	W 3-1	25-11,24-26,25-18,25-23	830
09/13/2025	Wofford	W 3-2	25-15,25-13,20-25,24-26,16-14	851
09/18/2025	Georgetown	W 3-2	23-25,25-22,25-15,21-25,15-7	735
09/19/2025	Norfolk St.	W 3-1	25-19,23-25,25-17,25-11	213
09/19/2025	Charleston So.	W 3-1	23-25,25-13,25-13,25-18	1120
* 09/26/2025	Florida St.	L 1-3	20-25,13-25,25-21,20-25	1500
* 09/28/2025	Miami (FL)	L 0-3	19-25,18-25,18-25	1320
* 10/03/2025	at Pittsburgh	L 0-3	17-25,10-25,21-25	2864
* 10/05/2025	at SMU	L 0-3	16-25,18-25,15-25	2575