

# NORTHVIEW HIGH SCHOOL VOLLEYBALL

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The summer has come and gone, tryouts are completed, practices are in full force and we are 100% into the 2016 volleyball season at Northview High School. I cannot believe how fast the summer has come and gone, and how soon our athletes will be heading back to school for the 2016-2017 school year. It is hard to believe!

This year, we welcome 33 athletes to the Northview Volleyball program which includes eight returning varsity letter winners and eighteen returning players from the 2015 roster and fifteen new faces to the program. This year, we have many new and exciting things planned for our program as a whole including tier training, our systematic approach to training your daughter, new cultures and traditions for Northview Volleyball, and a system that will only increase your daughters ability and skill set in a safe and consistent environment. As stated last night, we will all practice together, compete together, train together and be one unified body and program through and through.

Here are some important reminders for the month of August

- Practice, Matches, Scrimmages, Bus Schedules, Team Building Activities, etc. are all online - Please refer to the [ONLINE CALENDAR](#)
- Picture Day, August 12, 2016 at 5:30pm to 6:30pm. Practice has been moved on the calendar on this day to go from 6:30pm to 8:30pm immediately after pictures.
- Office Hours for Coach Chad
  - On the calendar, there is a new event, Coach Office Hours. Almost every Monday from 8:00am until 9:30am, Coach Chad will be having office hours in the Volleyball Office for athletes only. This is a time when Coach Chad will be available in the office to focus primarily on Northview Volleyball, training, athlete concerns, etc. Athletes, you are asked to use this time when applicable. If an athlete would prefer to schedule a time to meet during these hours, they should see me.
- August 19, 2016 – Pay to Participate Fees are due to the Athletic Office. Please do not submit them to the volleyball coaching staff.

Here is some additional important information for the duration of the season that we need everybody to assist with throughout the year to make Northview Volleyball function at its highest level.

- All teams will need to provide the following per game – One (1) official book keeper and One (1) official Libero tracker per game.
  - As stated at the meeting last night, we will look for a student manager that did it during the 2015 season and see if she would be willing to do it again for the 2016 season. We will communicate this with you once we have the details on this.
  - If we do need the parents to sign up, we will create the correct form and send that out immediately.
- If your team has voted to pay \$20 per athlete to have a Lourdes University Men's Volleyball player line judge our home matches, please have your athletes communicate the team decision to me directly! Once we have a consensus, we will make the necessary arrangements and we will communicate with all of you the status of this.
- Spirit Wear is coming in and we are getting it ready for distribution. Please submit your paperwork and your payment in full, unless you have previously discussed with me, today, so we can process the order to completion.
- We will be coordinating parent volunteers to assist with the concession stand for all home matches as well. Once we have an answer on the official book keeper and if we will be having a student to assist this year, we will send all of this information out at once to make it concise and all together.

I hope that you all have a fantastic first week of August! We will talk again soon.

Yours in Sport,

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