

VOLLEYBALL

SCOUTING REPORT | ST. MARY'S



(0-0, 0-0 West Coast Conference)

All-Time Series 1-1
 Series in San Luis Obispo N/A
 Series Under Watson N/A
 Last Meeting W, 3-0 on 12/2/05

Coaching Staff
 Head Coach Rob Browning
 Record at St. Mary's 273-246
 Career Record 273-246

SCOUTING REPORT | SACRAMENTO STATE



(0-0, 0-0 Big Sky)

All-Time Series 1-1
 Series in San Luis Obispo N/A
 Series Under Watson N/A
 Last Meeting W, 3-1 on 8/31/06

Coaching Staff
 Head Coach Ruben Volta
 Record at Sacramento State 258-237
 Career Record 258-237

SCOUTING REPORT | CAL POLY



(0-0, 0-0 Big West)

All-Time Series N/A
 Series in San Luis Obispo N/A
 Series Under Watson N/A
 Last Meeting N/A

Coaching Staff
 Head Coach Caroline Walters
 Record at Cal Poly 83-65
 Career Record 83-65

TEAM LEADERS (RETURNERS)

ARKANSAS

Kills Per Set Sania Petties | 2.06 | 261
 Assists Per Set Hannah Hogue | 11.13 | 1413
 Digs Per Set Courtney Jackson | 4.02 | 511
 Blocks Per Set Zoi Evans | 1.10 | 135
 Aces Per Set Hannah Hogue | 0.40 | 51

ST. MARY'S

Kills Per Set Genevieve Bane | 2.40 | 257
 Assists Per Set Hailee Garcia | 3.38 | 355
 Digs Per Set Abby Castillon | 2.32 | 174
 Blocks Per Set Hannah Taylor | 0.76 | 81
 Aces Per Set Hailee Garcia | 0.31 | 33

TEAM LEADERS (RETURNERS)

ARKANSAS

Kills Per Set Sania Petties | 2.06 | 261
 Assists Per Set Hannah Hogue | 11.13 | 1413
 Digs Per Set Courtney Jackson | 4.02 | 511
 Blocks Per Set Zoi Evans | 1.10 | 135
 Aces Per Set Hannah Hogue | 0.40 | 51

SACRAMENTO STATE

Kills Per Set Bridgette Smith | 3.65 | 434
 Assists Per Set Kate Doom | 5.42 | 704
 Digs Per Set Bridgette Smith | 2.35 | 280
 Blocks Per Set Caitlin Volkmann | 0.71 | 92
 Aces Per Set Bridgette Smith | 0.29 | 34

TEAM LEADERS (RETURNERS)

ARKANSAS

Kills Per Set Sania Petties | 2.06 | 261
 Assists Per Set Hannah Hogue | 11.13 | 1413
 Digs Per Set Courtney Jackson | 4.02 | 511
 Blocks Per Set Zoi Evans | 1.10 | 135
 Aces Per Set Hannah Hogue | 0.40 | 51

CAL POLY

Kills Per Set Tommi Stockham | 3.20 | 416
 Assists Per Set Emme Bullis | 7.48 | 973
 Digs Per Set Tommi Stockham | 2.25 | 293
 Blocks Per Set Kate Slack | 1.08 | 141
 Aces Per Set Tommi Stockham | 0.36 | 47

TALE OF THE TAPE (2023 FINAL)

ARKANSAS

Hitting Pct. .258
 Total Attempts 4594
 Kills/Set 13.78
 Total Kills 1750
 Assists/Set 12.92
 Total Assists 1641
 Digs/Set 15.64
 Total Digs 1986
 Blocks/Set 2.09
 Total Blocks 265.5
 Aces/Set 1.87
 Total Aces 237
 Opp. Hitting Pct. .183

ST. MARY'S

Hitting Pct. .213
 Total Attempts 3589
 Kills/Set 12.20
 Total Kills 1307
 Assists/Set 11.30
 Total Assists 1212
 Digs/Set 13.10
 Total Digs 1405
 Blocks/Set 2.70
 Total Blocks 290
 Aces/Set 1.70
 Total Aces 184
 Opp. Hitting Pct. .206

TALE OF THE TAPE (2023 FINAL)

ARKANSAS

Hitting Pct. .258
 Total Attempts 4594
 Kills/Set 13.78
 Total Kills 1750
 Assists/Set 12.92
 Total Assists 1641
 Digs/Set 15.64
 Total Digs 1986
 Blocks/Set 2.09
 Total Blocks 265.5
 Aces/Set 1.87
 Total Aces 237
 Opp. Hitting Pct. .183

SACRAMENTO STATE

Hitting Pct. .243
 Total Attempts 4412
 Kills/Set 13.30
 Total Kills 1735
 Assists/Set 12.40
 Total Assists 1607
 Digs/Set 14.10
 Total Digs 1827
 Blocks/Set 2.70
 Total Blocks 344.5
 Aces/Set 1.40
 Total Aces 176
 Opp. Hitting Pct. .169

TALE OF THE TAPE (2023 FINAL)

ARKANSAS

Hitting Pct. .258
 Total Attempts 4594
 Kills/Set 13.78
 Total Kills 1750
 Assists/Set 12.92
 Total Assists 1641
 Digs/Set 15.64
 Total Digs 1986
 Blocks/Set 2.09
 Total Blocks 265.5
 Aces/Set 1.87
 Total Aces 237
 Opp. Hitting Pct. .183

CAL POLY

Hitting Pct. .208
 Total Attempts 4343
 Kills/Set 11.80
 Total Kills 1539
 Assists/Set 10.90
 Total Assists 1415
 Digs/Set 14.40
 Total Digs 1867
 Blocks/Set 2.30
 Total Blocks 293
 Aces/Set 1.60
 Total Aces 213
 Opp. Hitting Pct. .183



2024 ARKANSAS VOLLEYBALL ROSTER

#	Name	Position	Class	Height	Hometown	High School/Previous School
0	Lauryn Lambert	OH	Freshman	5-9	Murphy, Texas	Plano East HS
1	Avery Calame	OH	R-Sophomore	5-11	McKinney, Texas	McKinney-Boyd HS
2	Jada Lawson	OH	Senior	5-7	North Little Rock, Ark.	North Little Rock HS
3	Sania Petties	MB	Senior	6-2	Houston, Texas	Mississippi State
4	Lily Dudley	OH	R-Freshman	5-11	Columbia, Mo.	Rock Bridge HS
5	Kylie Weeks	L	R-Sophomore	5-6	Elkhorn, Neb.	Elkhorn South HS
7	Kayla Robertson	OH	Freshman	6-1	Lake St. Louis, Mo.	Timberland HS
8	Lo Jones	S	R-Freshman	5-9	Carl Junction, Mo.	Carl Junction HS
9	Aniya Madkin	OH	R-Freshman	6-2	Clinton, Miss.	Clinton HS
14	Rosana Hicks	OH	Senior	6-1	Fayetteville, Ark.	Fayetteville HS
15	Courtney Jackson	L	Senior	5-8	Olathe, Kan.	Olathe Northwest HS
17	Skylar Ellison	MB	R-Sophomore	6-1	Aledo, Texas	Aledo HS
18	Hannah Hogue	S	Senior	5-8	Fort Smith, Arkansas	Southside HS
19	Olivia Ruy	OH	R-Freshman	6-2	Salt Lake City, Utah	Woods Cross HS
22	Ava Roth	L	R-Freshman	5-6	Festus, Mo.	Jefferson HS
23	Aleki Alexander	MB	Freshman	6-2	Blue Springs, Mo.	Blue Springs HS
30	Romani Thurman	OH	Sophomore	5-10	Little Rock, Ark.	North Carolina
44	Zoi Evans	MB	Senior	6-4	Tampa, Fla.	Wiregrass HS

Head Coach: Jason Watson/BYU, '95 (Ninth Season/20th Overall)
 Assistant Coach: Jordan Childs/Truett-McConnell, '19 (First Season)
 Assistant Coach: Jill Gillen/Arkansas, '23 (First Season)
 Assistant Coach: Jordan Neal/ Ouachita Baptist, '13 (Second Season)
 Director of Operations: Andy Rynd/Bowling Green, '15 (Third Season)

RESULTS/SCHEDULE

OVERALL: 0-0 | SEC: 0-0
 H: 0-0 | A: 0-0 | N: 0-0

Aug. 30	St. Mary's	San Luis Obispo, Calif.	4PM
Aug. 31	Sacramento State	San Luis Obispo, Calif.	2:30PM
Aug. 31	Cal Poly	San Luis Obispo, Calif.	9PM
Sept. 5	Rutgers	Barnhill Arena	7PM
Sept. 6	Wichita State	Barnhill Arena	7PM
Sept. 7	Louisiana Tech	Barnhill Arena	7PM
Sept. 8	Little Rock	Barnhill Arena	2PM
Sept. 12	Tulsa	Tulsa, Okla.	6:30PM
Sept. 13	Stephen F. Austin	Tulsa, Okla.	4PM
Sept. 19	Miami	Miami, Fla.	5PM
Sept. 20	Florida International	Miami, Fla.	4PM
Sept. 21	Texas Tech	Miami, Fla.	11AM
Sept. 25	Georgia	Barnhill Arena	8PM
Sept. 29	Ole Miss	Barnhill Arena	12PM
Oct. 6	Oklahoma	Norman, Okla.	2PM
Oct. 13	Alabama	Barnhill Arena	3PM
Oct. 18	Texas	Austin, Texas	8PM
Oct. 20	Texas A&M	College Station, Texas	2PM
Oct. 25	Missouri	Barnhill Arena	7PM
Oct. 27	Mississippi State	Starkville, Miss.	2PM
Oct. 30	Florida	Barnhill Arena	7PM
Nov. 3	Auburn	Barnhill Arena	3PM
Nov. 8	South Carolina	Barnhill Arena	7PM
Nov. 15	Ole Miss	Oxford, Miss.	6:30PM
Nov. 17	LSU	Baton Rouge, La.	2PM
Nov. 22	Tennessee	Knoxville, Tenn.	5:30PM
Nov. 24	Kentucky	Lexington, Ky.	3PM
Nov. 27	Oklahoma	Barnhill Arena	6PM

ARKANSAS VOLLEYBALL QUICK FACTS

TEAM INFORMATION

2023 Overall Record	28-6
2023 SEC Record	15-3
SEC Finish	T-2nd
Home Record	14-3
Away Record	9-3
Neutral Record	5-0
Starters Returning/Lost	4/3
Newcomers	4

COACHING STAFF

Head Coach	Jason Watson
Record at Arkansas	133-102 (.566)
SEC Record	76-72 (.514)
Career Record	333-250 (.571)
Assistant Coach	Jordan Childs
Assistant Coach	Jill Gillen
Assistant Coach	Jordan Neal
Director of Operations	Andy Rynd
Volleyball Office Phone	479-575-3813

TEAM HISTORY

All-Time Overall Record	571-387 (.596)
All-Time SEC Record	302-224 (.574)
NCAA Tournaments/Last	13/2023
SEC Championships/Last	1 (Tournament)/1997
First Year of Program	1994

FACILITY INFORMATION

Name	Barnhill Arena
Capacity	8,500
Opened	1953
All-Time Record	292-135 (.684)

PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

Avery Calame	CAL-um
Sania Petties	PET-iss
Aniya Madkin	uh-NY-uh
Rosana Hicks	Rose-AH-nuh
Hannah Hogue	Rhymes with ROGUE
Olivia Ruy	WHO-ee
Aleki Alexander	uh-LEH-key
Romani Thurman	ro-MAH-nee
Zoi Evans	Zoey

TEAM STUDIES

Lauryn Lambert	Pre-Business
Avery Calame	Marketing
Jada Lawson	Biomedical Engineering
Sania Petties	Psychology
Lily Dudley	Interior Design
Kylie Weeks	Communication Sciences & Disorders
Kayla Robertson	Pre-Business
Lo Jones	Journalism
Aniya Madkin	Pre-Business
Rosana Hicks	Anthropology
Courtney Jackson	Marketing
Skylar Ellison	Public Health
Hannah Hogue	Agricultural Business
Olivia Ruy	Social Work
Ava Roth	English
Aleki Alexander	Exploratory
Zoi Evans	Operations Management (MA)
Romani Thurman	Communications



SEC STANDINGS (2023 FINAL)

	CONF	OVERALL	HOME	ROAD	NEUTRAL
Kentucky*	17-1	19-7	8-2	10-5	1-0
Tennessee	15-3	24-4	12-2	11-2	1-0
Arkansas	15-3	25-5	12-3	9-2	4-0
Auburn	10-8	20-9	10-5	7-4	3-0
Florida	10-8	18-9	8-6	9-3	1-0
Georgia	10-8	19-11	12-3	5-6	2-2
Missouri	9-9	17-12	11-4	5-7	1-1
Texas A&M	8-10	16-12	7-7	6-5	3-0
Mississippi State	6-12	13-15	10-4	1-10	2-1
LSU	6-12	11-17	6-7	2-9	3-1
South Carolina	5-13	11-16	8-6	2-10	1-0
Ole Miss	5-13	11-18	8-4	1-11	2-3
Alabama	1-17	11-18	5-8	3-9	3-1

*conference champion

AVCA TOP 25 (PRESEASON)

Rank	Team	Record	2023 Final
1	Texas (46)	0-0	1
2	Nebraska (15)	0-0	2
3	Wisconsin	0-0	3
4	Pittsburgh	0-0	4
5	Stanford	0-0	5
6	Louisville	0-0	0
7	Penn State	0-0	12
8	Purdue	0-0	13
9	Kentucky	0-0	10
10	Oregon	0-0	7
11	Florida	0-0	19
12	Creighton	0-0	15
13	Kansas	0-0	17
14	Georgia Tech	0-0	14
15	Tennessee	0-0	9
16	BYU	0-0	18
17	Arizona State	0-0	16
18	Minnesota	0-0	NR
19	Arkansas	0-0	8
20	Florida State	0-0	25
21	Southern California	0-0	24
22	Dayton	0-0	20
23	Baylor	0-0	23
24	Marquette	0-0	NR
25	Georgia	0-0	NR

Others receiving votes and listed on two or more ballots: Western Kentucky 157; Washington State 105; TCU 97; Houston 96; SMU 76; Ohio State 47; Kansas State 37; Pepperdine 30; Auburn 25; UCLA 25; Iowa State 24; Missouri 21; Hawai'i 20; San Diego 19; Indiana 15; Washington 13; Miami (FL) 10; Western Michigan 10; Utah State 9; Loyola Marymount 4; Colorado State 3; Texas State 2;

7 teams mentioned on only one ballot for a total of 30 combined points

MILESTONE WATCH

Hannah Hogue (S | Senior)

Looking for: Program top five career kills – 5th place (3,183)
Current Total: 2,047 Needs: 1,136

Courtney Jackson (L | Senior)

Looking for: Program top three career digs – 3rd place (1,660)
Current Total: 1,280 Needs: 380

Jason Watson

Looking for: 150 wins at Arkansas
Current Total: 133 Needs: 17



MATCH-BY-MATCH STARTERS

2024 DOUBLE-DOUBLES



MATCH-BY-MATCH LEADERS						
OPPONENT	KILLS	ASSISTS	DIGS	BLOCKS	ACES	

MATCH STAT LEADERS	
KILLS _____	TOTAL BLOCKS _____
ASSISTS _____	ACES _____
DIGS _____	

# OF MATCHES WITH...	
10+ KILLS _____	10+ ASSISTS _____
20+ KILLS _____	20+ ASSISTS _____
30+ KILLS _____	30+ ASSISTS _____
10+ DIGS _____	40+ ASSISTS _____
20+ DIGS _____	



2024 AWARDS & HONORS

Preseason All-SEC Team
Hannah Hogue

WELCOME TO BARNHILL ARENA

Top Single-Match Attendance

1.	4,299	#1 Wisconsin	Aug. 30, 2023
2.	3,847	SFA (NCAAT)	Dec. 1, 2023
3.	3,749	#20 Florida	Nov. 19, 2023
4.	3,557	TCU (NCAAT)	Dec. 2, 2023
5.	3,298	Mississippi State	Nov. 5, 2023
6.	3,015	#13 Florida	Sept. 14, 2012
7.	2,947	#10 Kentucky	Nov. 22, 2023
8.	2,740	#1 Wisconsin	Aug. 31, 2023
9.	2,349	South Carolina	Nov. 19, 2014
10.	2,067	Ole Miss	Oct. 3, 2023

Year	Matches	Total	Avg.
1994	15	6,548	437
1995	13	6,194	477
1996	18	8,296	461
1997	15	8,101	540
1998	19	13,299	700
1999	14	6,315	451
2000	17	7,499	441
2001	11	5,794	527
2002	16	7,127	451
2003	11	5,683	517
2004	14	8,254	590
2005	14	9,365	669
2006	14	9,817	701
2007	16	10,919	682
2008	14	9,086	649
2009	14	10,316	737
2010	14	11,855	847
2011	14	12,903	922
2012	18	18,297	1,016
2013	15	13,047	870
2014	16	15,265	954
2015	15	14,697	980
2016	11	9,149	832
2017	13	12,919	994
2018	13	8,112	624
2019	12	7,596	633
2020	12	5,675	473
2021	12	10,590	882
2022	16	19,607	1,225
2023	17	40,078	2,358

HEAD COACH JASON WATSON | 9TH YEAR AT ARKANSAS (20TH OVERALL)



Jason Watson was named the third head coach of the University of Arkansas volleyball team on January 7, 2016, and has taken the program to historic heights ever since. He enters his ninth season with a 333-250 (.571) career record, 133-102 at Arkansas, and had led his teams to nine NCAA Tournament selections, the most recent in 2023.

The last season was the best yet for Watson at Arkansas, as the Hogs ended the 2023 slate at the Elite Eight, the furthest any Arkansas team has ever gone in an NCAA Tournament. Despite a 3-1 loss to the No. 1 Nebraska Cornhuskers, Arkansas was the only team to take a set from Nebraska through three rounds of tournament play. En route to the regional final in Lincoln, the Razorbacks took down the Kentucky Wildcats with a five-set victory in the Sweet 16, the first win over Kentucky for the program since 2012. Arkansas went into the NCAA Tournament as a 3-seed and hosted the first two rounds at Barnhill Arena for the first time since 2006.

In the regular season, Arkansas got out to a hot start at 18-2 in non-conference play, with the team's only two losses to No. 1 Wisconsin, one of them in five sets. The Hogs went 15-3 in SEC play, their best record since 2003, which included a 2-0 record against Florida. The Razorbacks went to Gainesville on Oct. 29 and got their first win ever in the swamp, in sweeping fashion.

The Hogs concluded 2023 with a 28-6 record, the most wins since 1999 and the third straight 20-win season for the program. They were one of just two teams, along with Nebraska, to not drop in the AVCA Coaches Poll through 10 weeks, spent six weeks in the top 10, and reached the highest rank in program history at No. 8.

By season's end, Watson was named the AVCA South Region Coach of the Year and SEC Co-Coach of the Year. After a stellar fifth year that saw her become the program all-time ace leader and No. 2 in program career kills with 2,075, Jill Gillen was named a Second Team All-American, All-South Region and All-SEC. Senior Taylor Head concluded her Arkansas career with Third Team All-America honors, another All-South Region nod, and was named All-SEC. Setter Hannah Hogue finished second in the country in total assists with 1,413, and received an All-America honorable mention along with All-South Region All-SEC, and SEC Co-Scholar Athlete of the Year nods. Fifth year outside hitter Maggie Cartwright was also named an All-South region honorable mention.

Watson has now left his mark on U.S. professional volleyball as Gillen and Cartwright were both chosen in the inaugural Pro Volleyball Federation draft in December of 2023. Gillen went on to play 79 sets with the Orlando Valkyries in the spring and recorded 240 kills, 205 digs, and 13 aces. After starting as a practice player, Cartwright was placed on the Omaha Supernovas active roster in February and was there as the Novas won the first-ever PVF Championship in May.

Razorback Nation showed the program more support than ever in 2023, as eight of the 10-highest attended matches in program history came last season, including a new single match high of 4,299 set on Aug. 30 against No. 1 Wisconsin. Arkansas averaged 2,358 fans in its 17 matches at Barnhill Arena, which ranked 16th nationally and second in the SEC.

In 2022, the Hogs began the year on a great note as they defeated the No. 8 Washington Huskies 3-1 at Barnhill Arena on Aug. 25. Arkansas won six of its next seven after that and re-entered the AVCA Coaches Poll for the first time in seven years on Sept. 13. The Razorbacks hosted No. 7 Georgia Tech later that week and took down the Yellow Jackets 3-1 for their highest ranked win since 2007. It marked the first time ever that Arkansas had two top 10 wins in a season, and surged the Hogs to No. 20 in the coaches poll, their highest ranking since 1999.

Arkansas continued to roll and finished the regular season 20-8, the team's second consecutive 20-win season. Their hard work paid off as the Razorbacks were selected for the NCAA Tournament for the first time since 2013, and the first time in Watson's tenure at Arkansas. The Hogs took down Utah State 3-0 in round one, their first NCAA win since 2005. They were defeated by the Oregon Ducks in round two, bringing the season record to 21-9.

The Razorbacks had two All-SEC selections in Jill Gillen and Taylor Head, and the pair was also named AVCA All-South Region. Head garnered AVCA All-America Honorable Mention status to round out postseason accolades. Both Gillen and Head had tremendous seasons for the Hogs. Gillen entered the top five in program career kills and currently sits in fourth with 1,548, while Head became the 18th member of the Arkansas 1,000-kill club on Nov. 25, 2022. Setter Gracie Ryan concluded her Arkansas career in 2022 and finished with 3,470 assists, good for fourth in program history. The 2021 slate marked Watson's first postseason appearance at Arkansas, as the team accepted a bid to the National Invitational Volleyball Championship (NIVC), in which the Hogs finished in the quarterfinals. The team posted a 20-11 overall record, its first 20-win season since 2012 and the most regular season wins since 2018. The Hogs led the SEC in service aces with 1.61 per set, and came within the top five in kills, assists, and digs.

Jill Gillen and Courtney Jackson earned All-SEC and All-SEC Freshman Team honors and Gillen and Gracie Ryan landed on the AVCA All-South Region rosters. Gillen also received SEC Scholar-Athlete of the Year designation for the second time.

In his fifth season as skipper in the 2020-21 split season, Watson led the Razorbacks to 14 conference wins. He was honored with his first-ever SEC Coach of the Year award as Gillen was named SEC Scholar-Athlete of the Year and Taylor Head was named SEC Freshman of the Year. Gillen and Head also earned a spot on the All-SEC team and All-SEC Freshman Team respectively and went on to earn AVCA All-South Region recognition as well.

In 2019, the Razorbacks were predicted to finish two spots higher in the SEC than where they finished in 2018 - in large part due to its star freshman class. They went on to help Arkansas finish the 2019 season at 11-17, which included a three-match winning streak to close out the home slate. Watson helped recruit and sign Jill Gillen, who led the league's freshmen in kills per set (3.74) and ranked seventh among all players.

In his second season, Watson oversaw a 10-win improvement from the previous year with the Razorbacks finishing the 2017 campaign with a 19-11 overall record, 9-9 mark in SEC play, and a No. 47 final RPI ranking.

Individually, senior Pilar Victoria led the NCAA with 5.47 kills per set and 6.08 points per set and earned AVCA All-America Honorable Mention and All-SEC honors. Additionally, she and setter Rachel Rippee collected AVCA All-South Region Honorable Mention accolades.

The Razorbacks matched their SEC output from the previous season with a 7-11 mark in league play during Watson's first year in 2016, including six wins in their last nine matches of the year. Individually, senior Danielle Harbin emerged to finish third in the SEC with 4.22 kills per set on her way to AVCA All-South Region honors.

In eight years in Tempe, Ariz., Watson transformed ASU Volleyball from a perennial sub-.500 program into a postseason regular. In his last four seasons, the Sun Devils averaged more than 19 wins per season with four-consecutive bids to the NCAA Tournament. Watson also coached a pair of All-America performers, one in each of the past two seasons, for ASU's first national honorees since 2000.

Arizona State began the 2015 campaign with a 15-0 record and reached as high as No. 5 in the AVCA Top 25 poll. The Sun Devils also opened conference play with their best start in the Pac-10/12 era with four wins including the program's first win over Stanford in 15 years.

In 2014, ASU opened the season with six straight wins on the way to a 20-14 record. The Sun Devils were ranked in each AVCA regular season poll. Making its third straight trip to the NCAA Tournament, ASU defeated Texas A&M 3-1 to advance to the second round of the Tournament for the first time since 2006.

Watson led ASU to a 19-13 overall record in 2013 including a 3-0 upset of then-NCAA defending champion Texas. The Sun Devils started the season without dropping a set in their first seven matches. Making its second consecutive NCAA Tournament appearance, ASU dropped a five-set match to BYU in the first round.

In 2012, the Sun Devil squad opened with an 11-2 record, the best start since 1992. The Sun Devils finished with 20 wins - the most in a single season at ASU since 1993. The nine conference wins equaled the most since 2000. ASU made the program's 16th appearance in the NCAA Tournament and Watson became just the fifth coach from ASU to guide the Sun Devils to a NCAA postseason berth.

Watson arrived as the head coach at ASU in 2008. In 2013, he was also named head coach of the sand volleyball team when the sport was added to the athletics program.

In June 2015, Watson was selected by USA Volleyball to serve as the head coach of the U.S. Collegiate National Team on a six-match tour of China.

In his three seasons at the helm of the BYU program, Watson compiled a 74-18 (.804) overall record while leading BYU to three-straight NCAA Tournament appearances. During his first season as head coach, Watson was named Mountain West Conference Coach of the Year after leading his team to a 25-4 record, the program's best mark since 1998. In addition to leading BYU to the MWC regular-season title, Watson also helped lead the Cougars back to the NCAA Tournament.

In 2007, he led the Cougars to a 24-8 overall record and an Elite Eight finish. His team also concluded the year ranked 12th nationally, and were ranked as high as ninth during the season.

Watson previously amassed 11 years as an assistant coach at four universities. After an All-American playing career at BYU, Watson coached for two years under his former coach, Carl McGown, before beginning his career in women's volleyball with extremely successful stints at Kansas State, Arkansas State, and Montana State.

Watson was a four-year starter at BYU from 1990-1994 and two-time captain. He graduated from BYU in 1995 with a degree in physical education and sports business management after leaving his native home of Homebush, Australia.

He and his wife, Larissa, have two sons and a daughter.



2024 TEAM MATCH HIGHS

KILLS _____

ATTEMPTS _____

HITTING PERCENTAGE _____

ASSISTS _____

ACES _____

DIGS _____

TOTAL BLOCKS _____

2024 INDIVIDUAL MATCH HIGHS

KILLS _____

ATTEMPTS _____

HITTING PERCENTAGE (at least 10 attempts) _____

ASSISTS _____

ACES _____

DIGS _____

BLOCK SOLOS _____

BLOCK ASSISTS _____

TOTAL BLOCKS _____

THE LAST TIME...

THE LAST TIME ARKANSAS...

Won a match vs. No. 8 Kentucky (NCAAT), 12/7/23

Lost a match vs. No. 1 Nebraska (NCAAT), 12/9/23

Won at home vs. TCU (NCAAT), 12/2/23

Lost at home vs. No. 10 Kentucky, 11/22/23

Won on the road.....at Auburn, 11/24/23

Lost on the roadat No. 1 Nebraska (NCAAT), 12/9/23

Won 3-0 vs. Stephen F. Austin, 12/1/23

Lost 3-0 vs. No. 10 Kentucky, 11/22/23

Won 3-0 at home vs. Mississippi State, 11/5/23

Lost 3-0 at home vs. No. 10 Kentucky, 11/22/23

Won 3-0 on the road.....at Alabama, 11/10/23

Lost 3-0 on the road.....at Georgia, 11/1/23

Won in four sets vs. TCU (NCAAT), 12/2/23

Lost in four sets.....at No. 1 Nebraska (NCAAT), 12/9/23

Won in five sets vs. No. 8 Kentucky (NCAAT), 12/7/23

Lost in five setsat No. 20 Kentucky, 10/22/23

Beat an SEC team..... vs. No. 8 Kentucky (NCAAT), 12/7/23

Lost to an SEC team..... vs. No. 10 Kentucky 11/22/23

Beat a ranked team vs. No. 8 Kentucky (NCAAT), 12/7/23

Had 70+ killsat Auburn (70), 11/24/23

Had 80+ kills vs. SW Missouri State (87), 11/16/04

Had 90+ kills at Ole Miss (91), 10/9/98

Had 100+ kills vs. Tennessee (105), 10/6/00

Attempted 150+ attacks..... vs. No. 8 Kentucky (NCAAT), 12/7/23

Attempted 170+ attacks.....at No. 1 Nebraska (NCAAT), 12/9/23

Attempted 200+ attacks.....at Auburn, 11/24/23

Attempted 250+ attacks..... at Pacific (254), 11/28/98

THE LAST TIME A RAZORBACK...

Had 20+ kills.... Jill Gillen (20) vs. No. 8 Kentucky (NCAAT), 12/7/23

Had 30+ killsJillian Gillen (33) vs. Utah State, 9/3/21

Had 35+ kills Pilar Victoria (35) vs. Ole Miss, 10/18/15

Had 40+ killsNever

Had 50+ assists ...Hannah Hogue (50) vs. No. 20 Florida, 11/20/23

Had 60+ assists Hannah Hogue (61) at Auburn, 11/24/23

Had 75+ assists Evgeniya Rangelova (77) vs. Miami (OH), 9/9/00

Had 80+ assistsEvgeniya Rangelova (88) vs. Tenn, 10/6/00

Had 3 solo blocks.....Zoi Evans at Ole Miss, 11/15/23

Had 4 solo blocks..... Danielle Harbin vs. Kentucky, 11/9/16

Had 5 solo blocks..... Jennifer Haaser at Georgia, 11/9/03

Had 20+ digs Courtney Jackson (23) vs. TCU (NCAAT), 12/2/23

Had 30+ digsOkiana Valle (33) at Alabama, 11/23/18

Had 40+ digsNever

Had 50+ digsNever

*not including neutral matches in "road" stats

WHAT HAPPENS WHEN...

Overall

SEC _____

Home _____

Away _____

Neutral _____

Vs Ranked Opponents _____

By Sets

Three Sets _____

Four Sets _____

Five Sets _____

Win First Set _____

Lose First Set _____

Win Second Set _____

Lose Second Set _____

Win First Two Sets _____

Lose First Two Sets _____

Split First Two Sets _____

Statistical

More Kills Than Opponent _____

Fewer Kills Than Opponent _____

Kills Are Tied _____

More Digs Than Opponent _____

Fewer Digs Than Opponent _____

Digs Are Tied _____

More Blocks Than Opponent _____

Fewer Blocks Than Opponent _____

Blocks Are Tied _____

More Aces Than Opponent _____

Fewer Aces Than Opponent _____

Aces Are Tied _____

Higher Hitting Pct _____

Lower Hitting Pct _____

Hitting Pct Tied _____

Hitting Percentage

.400 Or Better _____

.300-.399 _____

.200-.299 _____

.100-.199 _____

.000-.099 _____

Negative _____

Opponent Hitting Percentage

.400 Or Better _____

.300-.399 _____

.200-.299 _____

.100-.199 _____

.000-.099 _____

Negative _____

By Day

Tuesday _____

Wednesday _____

Thursday _____

Friday _____

Saturday _____

Sunday _____

By Month

August _____

September _____

October _____

November _____

December _____



SEASON/CAREER HIGHS

#0 LAURYN LAMBERT | FR | OH

SEASON HIGHS
 Hitting pct _____
 Kills _____
 Attempts _____
 Assists _____
 Digs _____
 Blocks _____
 Aces _____

CAREER HIGHS
 Hitting pct _____
 Kills _____
 Attempts _____
 Assists _____
 Digs _____
 Blocks _____
 Aces _____

#3 SANIA PETTIES | SR | MB

SEASON HIGHS
 Hitting pct _____
 Kills _____
 Attempts _____
 Assists _____
 Digs _____
 Blocks _____
 Aces _____

CAREER HIGHS
 Hitting pct .765 (13-0-17) at Notre Dame | 8-27-22 (MSU)
 Kills _____ 15 vs. Troy | 9-9-23
 Attempts _____ 37 at LSU | 10-30-22 (Miss. St.)
 Assists _____ 3, two times
 Digs _____ 9 at LSU | 10-30-22 (Miss. St.)
 Blocks _____ 8.0 (0-8) at Western Kentucky | 9-8-23
 Aces _____ 3 vs. Houston | 9-9-22 (Miss. St.)

#7 KAYLA ROBERTSON | FR | OH

SEASON HIGHS
 Hitting pct _____
 Kills _____
 Attempts _____
 Assists _____
 Digs _____
 Blocks _____
 Aces _____

CAREER HIGHS
 Hitting pct _____
 Kills _____
 Attempts _____
 Assists _____
 Digs _____
 Blocks _____
 Aces _____

#1 AVERY CALAME | R-SO | OH

SEASON HIGHS
 Hitting pct _____
 Kills _____
 Attempts _____
 Assists _____
 Digs _____
 Blocks _____
 Aces _____

CAREER HIGHS
 Hitting pct .276 (11-3-29) vs. Texas A&M | 10-19-22
 Kills _____ 11 vs. Texas A&M | 10-19-22
 Attempts _____ 29 vs. Texas A&M | 10-19-22
 Assists _____ 2 vs. Texas A&M | 10-19-22
 Digs _____ 12 vs. Texas A&M | 10-19-22
 Blocks _____ 1.0 (0-1) vs. Texas A&M | 10-19-22
 Aces _____ 2 vs. Texas A&M | 10-19-22

#4 LILY DUDLEY | R-FR | OH

SEASON HIGHS
 Hitting pct _____
 Kills _____
 Attempts _____
 Assists _____
 Digs _____
 Blocks _____
 Aces _____

CAREER HIGHS
 Hitting pct _____
 Kills _____
 Attempts _____
 Assists _____
 Digs _____
 Blocks _____
 Aces _____

#8 LO JONES | R-FR | S

SEASON HIGHS
 Hitting pct _____
 Kills _____
 Attempts _____
 Assists _____
 Digs _____
 Blocks _____
 Aces _____

CAREER HIGHS
 Hitting pct _____
 Kills _____
 Attempts _____
 Assists _____
 Digs _____
 Blocks _____
 Aces _____

#2 JADA LAWSON | SR | OH

SEASON HIGHS
 Hitting pct _____
 Kills _____
 Attempts _____
 Assists _____
 Digs _____
 Blocks _____
 Aces _____

CAREER HIGHS
 Hitting pct .400 (2-0-5) vs. Alabama St. | 9-2-22
 Kills _____ 3 vs. Little Rock | 9-9-22
 Attempts _____ 8 vs. Little Rock | 9-9-22
 Assists _____ 2 vs. Stephen F. Austin (NCAAT) | 12-1-23
 Digs _____ 9 vs. Little Rock | 9-9-22
 Blocks _____ 2 vs. No. 24 Auburn | 9-27-23
 Aces _____ 4 at South Carolina | 10-27-23

#5 KYLIE WEEKS | R-SO | L

SEASON HIGHS
 Hitting pct _____
 Kills _____
 Attempts _____
 Assists _____
 Digs _____
 Blocks _____
 Aces _____

CAREER HIGHS
 Hitting pct _____
 Kills _____
 Attempts _____
 Assists _____
 Digs _____ 3, two times
 Blocks _____
 Aces _____

#9 ANIYA MADKIN | R-FR | OH

SEASON HIGHS
 Hitting pct _____
 Kills _____
 Attempts _____
 Assists _____
 Digs _____
 Blocks _____
 Aces _____

CAREER HIGHS
 Hitting pct _____
 Kills _____
 Attempts _____
 Assists _____
 Digs _____
 Blocks _____
 Aces _____



SEASON/CAREER HIGHS

#14 ROSANA HICKS | SR | OH

SEASON HIGHS
 Hitting pct _____
 Kills _____
 Attempts _____
 Assists _____
 Digs _____
 Blocks _____
 Aces _____

CAREER HIGHS
 Hitting pct _____
 Kills _____
 Attempts _____ 4 vs. Alabama St. | 9-2-22
 Assists _____
 Digs _____
 Blocks _____ 1.0 (0-1) vs. Alabama St. | 9-2-22
 Aces _____

#18 HANNAH HOGUE | SR | S

SEASON HIGHS
 Hitting pct _____
 Kills _____
 Attempts _____
 Assists _____
 Digs _____
 Blocks _____
 Aces _____

CAREER HIGHS
 Hitting pct _____ 1.000 (2-0-2), two times
 Kills _____ 4 vs. No. 2 Florida | 11-19-23
 Attempts _____ 6 vs. Alabama | 10-15-23
 Assists _____ 61 at Auburn | 11-24-23
 Digs _____ 28 at No. 12 Tennessee | 10-20-23
 Blocks _____ 5.0 (0-5) at Western Kentucky | 9-8-23
 Aces _____ 5 vs. Troy | 9-9-23

#23 ALEKI ALEXANDER | FR | MB

SEASON HIGHS
 Hitting pct _____
 Kills _____
 Attempts _____
 Assists _____
 Digs _____
 Blocks _____
 Aces _____

CAREER HIGHS
 Hitting pct _____
 Kills _____
 Attempts _____
 Assists _____
 Digs _____
 Blocks _____
 Aces _____

#15 COURTNEY JACKSON | SR | L

SEASON HIGHS
 Hitting pct _____
 Kills _____
 Attempts _____
 Assists _____
 Digs _____
 Blocks _____
 Aces _____

CAREER HIGHS
 Hitting pct _____
 Kills _____ 1, two times
 Attempts _____ 1, 11 times
 Assists _____ 9, three times
 Digs _____ 29 vs. Mississippi State | 11-21-21
 Blocks _____
 Aces _____ 5 vs. No. 8 Washington | 8-27-22

#19 OLIVIA RUY | R-FR | OH

SEASON HIGHS
 Hitting pct _____
 Kills _____
 Attempts _____
 Assists _____
 Digs _____
 Blocks _____
 Aces _____

CAREER HIGHS
 Hitting pct _____
 Kills _____
 Attempts _____
 Assists _____
 Digs _____
 Blocks _____
 Aces _____

#30 ROMANI THURMAN | SO | OH

SEASON HIGHS
 Hitting pct _____
 Kills _____
 Attempts _____
 Assists _____
 Digs _____
 Blocks _____
 Aces _____

CAREER HIGHS
 Hitting pct _____
 Kills _____ 14 vs. UC Davis | 8-26-23 (UNC)
 Attempts _____ 34 vs. UC Davis | 8-26-23 (UNC)
 Assists _____
 Digs _____
 Blocks _____ 6 at Wake Forest | 11-10-23 (UNC)
 Aces _____

#17 SKYLAR ELLISON | R-SO | OH

SEASON HIGHS
 Hitting pct _____
 Kills _____
 Attempts _____
 Assists _____
 Digs _____
 Blocks _____
 Aces _____

CAREER HIGHS
 Hitting pct _____
 Kills _____
 Attempts _____
 Assists _____
 Digs _____
 Blocks _____
 Aces _____

#22 AVA ROTH | R-FR | L

SEASON HIGHS
 Hitting pct _____
 Kills _____
 Attempts _____
 Assists _____
 Digs _____
 Blocks _____
 Aces _____

CAREER HIGHS
 Hitting pct _____
 Kills _____
 Attempts _____
 Assists _____
 Digs _____
 Blocks _____
 Aces _____

#44 ZOI EVANS | SR | MB

SEASON HIGHS
 Hitting pct _____
 Kills _____
 Attempts _____
 Assists _____
 Digs _____
 Blocks _____
 Aces _____

CAREER HIGHS
 Hitting pct _____ 1.000 (5-0-5) vs. No. 24 Auburn | 10-2-23
 Kills _____ 7 vs. Alabama | 10-15-23
 Attempts _____ 10 at Ole Miss | 11-15-23
 Assists _____ 3 vs. South Carolina | 11-2-22
 Digs _____ 3 at Auburn | 11-24-23
 Blocks _____ 9.0 (1-8) at South Carolina | 10-27-23
 Aces _____



OVERALL SEASON STATISTICS (2023 FINAL)



2023-24 Arkansas Women's Volleyball
Combined Team Statistics
All games

Game Records

Overall	Conference	Home	Away	Neutral
28 - 6	15 - 3	14 - 3	9 - 3	5 - 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	Lawson, Jada	73	0	0.00	1	1	-1.000	4	0.05	14	30	0.19	0	14	0.19	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	14.0
3	Petties, Sania	127	261	2.06	69	604	.318	11	0.09	10	16	0.08	1	29	0.23	5	98	103	0.81	5	2	325.0
5	Weeks, Kylie	27	0	0.00	0	1	.000	0	0.00	0	6	0.00	0	11	0.41	0	0	0	0.00	0	0.0	
7	Head, Taylor	127	494	3.89	186	1332	.231	41	0.32	36	42	0.28	33	406	3.20	5	54	59	0.46	4	2	562.0
10	Gillen, Jillian	127	527	4.15	174	1425	.248	24	0.19	56	75	0.44	31	361	2.84	10	47	57	0.45	6	0	616.5
11	Cartwright, Maggie	127	363	2.86	108	943	.270	14	0.11	36	48	0.28	1	295	2.32	5	84	89	0.70	8	0	446.0
12	Schneider, Hailey	3	0	0.00	0	0	.000	0	0.00	0	2	0.00	0	0	0.00	0	0	0	0.00	0	0.0	
15	Jackson, Courtney	127	0	0.00	1	8	-.125	134	1.06	34	40	0.27	26	511	4.02	0	0	0	0.00	0	5	34.0
18	Hogue, Hannah	127	34	0.27	9	99	.253	1413	11.13	51	55	0.40	0	334	2.63	0	42	42	0.33	4	13	106.0
23	Ehizee, Laura	7	3	0.43	1	8	.250	0	0.00	0	0	0.00	0	2	0.29	1	4	5	0.71	0	1	6.0
44	Evans, Zoi	123	68	0.55	17	173	.295	0	0.00	0	0	0.00	0	23	0.19	15	120	135	1.10	7	0	143.0
ARKANSAS		127	1750	13.78	566	4594	.258	1641	12.92	237	314	1.87	104	1986	15.64	41	449	265.5	2.09	34	23	2,252.5
Opponents		127	1457	11.47	648	4425	.183	1397	11.00	104	265	0.82	237	1947	15.33	51	464	283	2.23	55	15	1,844.0

Team statistics

	ARK	OPP
ATTACK		
Kills	1750	1457
Errors	566	648
Total Attacks	4594	4425
Attack Pct	.258	.183
Kills/Set	13.78	11.47
SET		
Assists	1641	1397
Attempts	4500	4431
Assist Pct	.365	.315
Assists/Set	12.92	11.00
SERVE		
Aces	237	104
Errors	314	265
Attempts	2909	2507
Serve Pct	.892	.894
Aces/Set	1.87	0.82
SERVE RECEPTIONS		
Errors	104	237
Errors/Set	0.82	1.87
Attempts	2242	2595
Reception Pct	.954	.999
DEFENSE		
Digs	1986	1947
Digs/Set	15.64	15.33
BLOCKING		
Block solo	41	51
Block Assist	449	464
Total Blocks	265.5	283
Blocks/Set	2.09	2.23
Block Errors	34	55
Ball handling errors	23	15
ATTENDANCE		
Total	40078	24606
Dates/Avg Per Date	17/2358	12/2051
Neutral Site #/Avg	5/35	-
Current win streak	0	-
Home win streak	0	-

Team Results

Date	Opponent	Score	Score-by-set	Att.
08/25/2023	Michigan St.	W 3-0	25-19,25-16,25-10	1717
08/27/2023	Tulsa	W 3-0	25-19,25-11,25-19	1028
08/30/2023	Wisconsin	L 2-3	25-21,20-25,24-26,25-22,13-15	4299
08/31/2023	Wisconsin	L 0-3	22-25,16-25,17-25	2740
09/01/2023	Colorado St.	W 3-2	25-21,21-25,25-18,20-25,15-12	1324
09/03/2023	Michigan	W 3-0	25-16,25-17,25-23	1387
09/08/2023	vs Col. of Charleston	W 3-0	25-17,25-13,25-12	0
09/08/2023	at Western Ky.	W 3-2	25-22,17-25,20-25,25-22,15-12	2572
09/09/2023	vs Troy	W 3-1	25-14,22-25,25-22,25-16	0
09/15/2023	vs Buffalo	W 3-0	25-14,25-19,25-15	101
09/15/2023	at St. John's (NY)	W 3-1	19-25,25-16,25-17,25-21	523
09/16/2023	vs Bryant	W 3-0	25-19,25-11,25-19	73
* 09/22/2023	South Carolina	W 3-0	25-11,25-15,25-18	1653
* 09/24/2023	Texas A&M	W 3-1	25-23,21-25,25-18,25-16	1747
* 09/27/2023	Auburn	W 3-0	25-18,25-10,25-6	1374
* 10/04/2023	at LSU	W 3-0	25-20,25-19,25-20	502
* 10/08/2023	Missouri	W 3-1	25-15,19-25,25-16,25-22	1751
* 10/13/2023	Ole Miss	W 3-0	25-21,25-16,25-18	2067
* 10/15/2023	Alabama	W 3-1	25-10,25-13,23-25,25-13	1593
* 10/20/2023	at Tennessee	W 3-1	25-27,25-16,25-22,25-20	1989
* 10/22/2023	at Kentucky	L 2-3	25-16,16-25,22-25,25-19,10-15	2244
* 10/27/2023	at South Carolina	W 3-1	25-19,28-30,26-24,25-21	712
* 10/29/2023	at Florida	W 3-0	25-19,25-20,25-23	3023
* 11/01/2023	at Georgia	L 0-3	22-25,19-25,22-25	587
* 11/05/2023	Mississippi St.	W 3-0	26-24,25-12,25-22	3298
* 11/10/2023	at Alabama	W 3-0	25-15,25-16,25-21	612
* 11/15/2023	at Ole Miss	W 3-2	21-25,23-25,25-21,25-15,15-8	418
* 11/19/2023	Florida	W 3-2	25-20,21-25,25-20,19-25,15-11	3749
* 11/22/2023	Kentucky	L 0-3	19-25,14-25,24-26	2947
* 11/24/2023	at Auburn	W 3-2	21-25,25-16,19-25,25-21,17-15	2711
12/01/2023	SFA	W 3-0	25-8,25-17,25-23	3847
12/02/2023	TCU	W 3-1	25-18,27-25,23-25,25-20	3557
12/07/2023	vs Kentucky	W 3-2	22-25,25-22,25-15,22-25,15-10	0
12/09/2023	at Nebraska	L 1-3	24-26,14-25,25-21,23-25	8713



2024 RAZORBACK VOLLEYBALL MEDIA ROSTER



0 LAURYN LAMBERT
Fr. | OH | 5-9 | Murphy, Texas



1 AVERY CALAME
R-So. | OH | 5-11 | McKinney, Texas



2 JADA LAWSON
Sr. | OH | 5-7 | North Little Rock, Ark.



3 SANIA PETTIES
Sr. | MB | 6-1 | Houston, Texas



4 LILY DUDLEY
R-Fr. | OH | 5-11 | Columbia, Mo.



5 KYLIE WEEKS
R-So. | L | 5-6 | Elkhorn, Neb.



7 KAYLA ROBERTSON
Fr. | OH | 6-1 | Lake St. Louis, Mo.



8 LO JONES
R-Fr. | S | 5-9 | Carl Junction, Mo.



9 ANIYA MADKIN
R-Fr. | OH | 6-2 | Clinton, Miss.



14 ROSANA HICKS
Sr. | OH | 6-1 | Fayetteville, Ark.



15 COURTNEY JACKSON
Sr. | L | 5-9 | Olathe, Kan.



17 SKYLAR ELLISON
R-So. | MB | 6-1 | Aledo, Texas



18 HANNAH HOGUE
Sr. | S | 5-8 | Fort Smith, Ark.



19 OLIVIA RUY
R-Fr. | OH | 6-2 | Salt Lake City, Utah



22 AVA ROTH
R-Fr. | L | 5-6 | Festus, Mo.



23 ALEKI ALEXANDER
Fr. | MB | 6-2 | Blue Springs, Mo.



30 ROMANI THURMAN
So. | OH | 5-10 | Little Rock, Ark.



44 ZOI EVANS
Sr. | MB | 6-4 | Tampa, Fla.

PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

Avery Calame
Sania Petties
Aniya Madkin
Rosana Hicks
Hannah Hogue
Olivia Ruy
Aleki Alexander
Romani Thurman
Zoi Evans

CAL-um
PET-iss
uh-NY-uh
Rose-AH-nuh
Rhymes with ROGUE
WHO-ee
uh-LEH-key
ro-MAH-nee
Zoey

