

Position Overview

We are seeking a passionate, knowledgeable, and faith-driven **Girls Varsity Volleyball Head Coach** to lead our high school volleyball program. The ideal candidate will have a deep love for Jesus, a strong understanding of volleyball, and a heart for mentoring young women to grow as athletes and disciples of Christ. This role is responsible for coaching, program development, and fostering a positive, Christ-centered team environment.

Key Responsibilities

- **Coaching and Leadership:**
 - Plan and lead practices, games, and team activities to develop players' skills, teamwork, and competitive performance.
 - Design game strategies and provide in-game coaching to maximize team success.
 - Instill a culture of discipline, sportsmanship, and excellence aligned with Christian values.
- **Mentorship and Spiritual Guidance:**
 - Serve as a Christian role model, mentoring players in their faith and personal growth.
 - Integrate biblical principles into coaching, encouraging players to honor God through their efforts.
 - Foster a supportive team environment that builds character and strengthens relationships.
- **Program Management:**
 - Oversee the varsity volleyball program, including equipment management, and communication with athletic administration.
 - Collaborate with assistant coaches (if applicable) to ensure cohesive team development.
 - Ensure compliance with Illinois High School Association (IHSA) rules and Parkview policies.
- **Player Development:**
 - Assess and enhance players' technical and tactical skills through individualized and team-focused training.
 - Support players' academic and spiritual goals, working closely with parents and school staff.
- **Community Engagement:**
 - Build positive relationships with players, parents, and the Parkview community to promote the volleyball program.
 - Represent Parkview Christian Academy with integrity at games, tournaments, and school events.

Qualifications

- **Faith and Character:**
 - A committed follower of Jesus Christ with a vibrant personal faith and active involvement in a Christian church.
 - Passion for mentoring young women and integrating faith into athletics.
- **Volleyball Expertise:**
 - Extensive knowledge of volleyball, including techniques, strategies, and training methods.
 - Prior coaching experience at the high school, club, or collegiate level (head or assistant coach) preferred.
 - Ability to teach and inspire players of varying skill levels to reach their potential.
- **Leadership and Communication:**
 - Strong leadership skills with the ability to motivate, encourage, and discipline in a Christ-like manner.
 - Excellent communication and interpersonal skills to engage with players, parents, and staff.
- **Education and Certifications:**
 - Valid coaching certification (e.g., IHSA or NFHS certification) or willingness to obtain one.
 - Current CPR/First Aid certification (or willingness to obtain).
- **Other Requirements:**
 - Ability to commit to the full volleyball season (typically August–November), including practices, games, and team events.
 - Pass a background check and adhere to Parkview's code of conduct.

Preferred Qualities

- Experience building or sustaining a competitive high school volleyball program.
- Understanding of IHSA rules and regulations.
- A heart for Christian education and alignment with Parkview's mission to develop Christ-centered leaders.

Compensation

- Competitive stipend based on experience and qualifications.
- Details provided during the interview process.