Volleyball 2018-19 Recaps

Volleyball Region XII Championship hosted by St. Clair County Community College
November 3, 2018 @ 8:00 am - 5:00 pm

Final

On Saturday the Jayhawker's volleyball season came to a close at the NJCAA Region XII tournament with 3-0 and 3-1 losses to Grand Rapids Community College. Set scores for the 3-0 loss were 12-25, 21-25, and 23-25 and set scores in the 3-1 loss were 22-25, 18-25, 25-15, 23-25.

MCC finished the 2018-19 season with a fine 32-12 record. Julie Brown (Whitehall HS) and Jaren Smith (Shelby HS) were selected to the Region XII All-Tournament Team.

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In Day 2 of the Region 12 Tournament the #16 nationally ranked Jayhawks faced off against the #11 Raiders of Grand Rapids Community College for the 4th time this season. Although GRCC had won the previous 3 meetings, including a win in the MCCA State Finals just a week ago, this time the Jayhawks were victorious 3-1 to advance to the Regional Finals scheduled for Sunday at 1:30 pm. Set scores were 20-25, 25-22, 25-19, 25-20. Leaders for the match:

Kills- Jaren Smith (Shelby HS), Julie Brown (Whitehall HS) 10, Lexi Issette (Chippewa Hills HS) 8, Amber Jacobs (Ravenna HS) 8, Katie Veihl (Fruitport HS) 6, Maddie Hiess (Western Michigan Christian HS) 5.

Assist- Veihl 46.

Aces- Allyssa Bobian (Montague HS) 1.

Digs- Shelby Rasch (Coopersville HS) 24, Smith 18, Kennedi Bernia (Grand Haven HS) 18, Veihl 16, Jacobs 14.

Blocks- Brown 4, Heiss 2, Veihl 2, Issette 2, Smith 2.

The Jayhawks will now face the winner of the Glen Oaks vs Grand Rapids match. The winner of today's double elimination tournament advances to NJCAA Nationals in West Virginia on November 15-17.

Volleyball Region XII Championship hosted by St. Clair County Community College
November 1, 2018 @ TBD

Jayhawks are 2-0, face off with GRCC at 8:00 pm tonight
In Day 1 of the NJCAA Region 12 Volleyball Tournament the Jayhawks are 2-0 with wins over Kalamazoo Valley Community College 3-1 (25-21, 25-19, 23-25, 25-22) and Edison State Community College 3-0 (25-19, 25-17, 25-21). Stat leaders:

Kills- Jaren Smith (Shelby HS) 28, Amber Jacobs (Ravenna HS) 17, Alexis Issette (Chippewa Hills HS) 14, Julie Brown (Whitehall HS) 11, Maddie Heiss (Western Michigan Christian HS) 10.

Assists- Katie Veihl (Fruitport HS) 66, Shelby Rasch (Coopersville HS) 8.

Aces- Veihl 3, Brown 2, Smith 2.

Digs- Rasch 29, Kennedi Bernia (Grand Haven HS) 23, Veihl 20, Smith 19, Jacobs 13.

Blocks- Brown 9, Smith 5, Heiss 5, Veihl 4.

The Jayhawks are now 31-10 on the season. They will face Grand Rapids Community College tonight at 8:00 pm in the winner's bracket final of the double elimination format.

Volleyball at the MCCAA State Championship hosted by Mott Community College
October 27, 2018 @ 2:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Jayhawks beat Mott Community College but can't get past GRCC in finals.

The Jayhawks traveled to Mott Community College for the MCCAA State Championships, which featured the top two teams from the Eastern Conference vs. the top two teams in the Western Conference.

The second match of the day featured the home team Bears from Mott vs. the Jayhawks from Muskegon. Although Mott was able to win the first set by a score of 25-23 the Jayhawks came roaring back and swept sets 2, 3 and 4 by scores of 25-19, 25-8, 25-10. The Jayhawks racked up some pretty big offensive numbers as they finished with 60 kills while hitting .302 as a team. Julie Brown (Whitehall HS) led the way with 16 kills followed by Jaren Smith (Shelby HS) with 15 and Amber Jacobs (Ravenna HS) with 9. Katie Veihl (Fruitport HS) dished out 50 assists while also adding 5 kills and 13 digs. Defensively Shelby Rasch (Coopersville HS) controlled the back row with 28 digs while Kennedi Bernia (Grand Haven HS) had 18 digs and Haley Gartland (Mona Shores HS) had 12. Maddie Heiss (Western Michigan Christian HS) was a force at the net with 3 blocks and 7 kills while Alexis Issette (Chippewa Hills HS) contributed 6 kills and 2 blocks.

In the finals it was the #12 ranked team from Grand Rapids Community College against the #13 ranked Jayhawks. Once again it was a close battle but the Jayhawks came up on the short end of the score losing 3-1. Set scores were 25-11, 25-22, 23-25, 25-19. Sets 2,3 and 4 saw the lead go back and forth many times with each team getting the lead but then seeing the opposing team come back. Set 4 was close the whole way only to see Grand Rapids finish with a strong run to close out the match. Leaders in the finals were:

Kills- Brown 12, Jacobs 10, Smith 9, Issette 7, Heiss 5.

Assists- Veihl 40.

Aces- Rasch 1, Jacobs 1, Smith 1.
Digs- Rasch 21, Bernia 16, Jacobs 11, Veihl 8.

Blocks- Brown 5, Smith 5, Heiss 4.

The Jayhawks are now 29-10 on the season. They return to action on Thursday, 11/1 when they travel to Port Huron for the Regional XII Championship Tournament vs. KVCC at 6:00 pm.

**Volleyball at Jackson College**
October 23, 2018 @ 6:30 pm - 9:00 pm

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The #13 ranked Muskegon Community College wrapped up the regular season with a 3-0 victory at Jackson College. Stat leaders for the night:

**Kills**- Jaren Smith (Shelby HS) 12, Julie Brown (Whitehall HS) 10, Alexis Issette (Chippewa Hills HS) 7, Maddie Heiss (Western Michigan Christian HS) 4, Amber Jacobs (Ravenna HS) 4.

**Assists**- Katie Veihl (Fruitport HS) 35.

**Aces**- Brown 1, Shelby Rasch (Coopersville HS) 1, Veihl 1, Heiss 1.

**Digs**- Rasch 11, Smith 6, Veihl 5, Jacobs 4, Kennedi Bernia (Grand Haven HS) 4, Haley Gartland (Mona Shores HS) 3.

**Blocks**- Heiss 5, Brown 4, Smith 4, Veihl 3, Jacobs 3.

MCC finishes the regular season with a fine 14-2 conference record, good for 2nd place, and 28-9 on the season. They will play for the MCCAA state title on Saturday at Mott Community College. They will face the host team at 2:00 pm with the winner advancing to face either GRCC or Oakland CC at 4:00 pm.

**Volleyball Home vs. Kellogg Community College**
October 18, 2018 @ 5:30 pm - 8:00 pm

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Muskegon Community College wrapped up their home schedule with a 3-0 victory over Kellogg Community College on Sophomore Day. Set scores were 25-13, 25-21, 25-21. Leaders for the game:
Kills- Jaren Smith (Shelby HS) 13, Julie Brown (Whitehall HS) 10, Amber Jacobs (Ravenna HS) 7, Alexis Issette (Chippewa Hills HS) 6, Katie Veihl (Fruitport HS) 6, Maddie Heiss (Western Michigan Christian HS) 5.

Assists- Veihl 39, Shelby Rasch (Coopersville HS) 3.

Aces- Rasch 2, Brown 1, Smith 1, Haley Gartland (Mona Shores HS) 1.

Digs- Veihl 16, Kennedi Bernia (Grand Haven HS) 16, Rasch 15, Gartland 9, Smith 6, Allyssa Bobian (Montague HS) 5.


With the win the Jayhawk are now 13-2 in conference play and guaranteed at least a 2nd place finish in the conference. They finish the conference schedule on Tuesday, 10/23 with a road trip to Jackson College for a 6:30 pm start.

Volleyball at Ancilla College
October 16, 2018 @ 6:30 pm - 9:00 pm

Final

Muskegon CC 3

Ancilla College 0

The #14 ranked Muskegon Community College Jayhawks defeated the Ancilla College Chargers in Donaldson, IN 3-0. Set scores were 25-16, 25-15, 25-12. Stat leaders for the game:

Kills- Jaren Smith (Shelby HS) 10, Julie Brown (Whitehall HS) 6, Alexis Issette (Chippewa Hills HS) 6, Katie Veihl (Fruitport HS) 6.

Assists- Veihl 27.

Aces- Brown 2.

Digs- Shelby Rasch (Coopersville HS) 17, Veihl 17, Smith 9, Kennedi Bernia (Grand Haven HS) 6.

Blocks- Maddie Hiess (Western Michigan Christian HS) 9, Smith 5, Veihl 4, Brown 3.

With the win the Jayhawks move to 12-2 in the Western Conference and 26-9 overall. Next up is Sophomore Night vs. Kellogg Community College on Thursday, 10/18. Game time is 5:30 pm.

Volleyball at Jayhawk Invitational
October 14, 2018 @ TBD

Final

The MCC volleyball team hosted the Jayhawk Invitational at Reeths-Puffer High School with 8 college teams competing. They Jayhawks were 3-0 on the day, winning all 3 matches by 3-0 scores. Set scores for MCC over Macomb CC were 25-20, 25-20, 25-13. Set scores for MCC
over Madonna JV were 25-15, 25-11, 25-18. Set scores for MCC over St. Clair CCC were 25-14, 25-19, 25-20. Stat leaders for the day:

**Kills-** Julie Brown (Whitehall HS) 30, Jaren Smith (Shelby HS) 24, Alexis Issette (Chippewa Hills HS) 21, Katie Veihl (Fruitport HS) 18, Amber Jacobs (Ravenna HS) 18, Maddie Heiss (Western Michigan Christian HS) 15.

**Assists-** Veihl 103.

**Aces-** Veihl 8, Shelby Rasch (Coopersville HS) 6, Smith 6, Kennedi Bernia (Grand Haven HS) 2.

**Digs-** Rasch 41, Smith 24, Bernia 20, Jacobs 18, Veihl 13.

**Blocks-** Heiss 10, Veihl 7, Brown 6, Smith 4, Issette 4.

The Jayhawks are 11-2 in conference play and now stand at 25-9 on the season. Next up is a trip to Indiana to take on the Ancilla College Chargers on Tuesday, 10/16. Game time is 6:30 pm.

**Volleyball Home vs. Lake Michigan College**
October 11, 2018 @ 5:30 pm - 8:00 pm

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The Jayhawks hosted the Lake Michigan College Red Hawks in a Dig Pink match and came away with a 3-0 win. Set scores were 25-15, 25-20, 25-12. Stat leaders for the game were:

**Kills-** Jaren Smith (Shelby HS) 10, Julie Brown (Whitehall HS) 9, Alexis Issette (Chippewa Hills HS) 9, Maddie Heiss (Western Michigan Christian HS) 5.

**Assists-** Katie Veihl (Fruitport HS) 37.

**Aces-** Smith 1, Veihl 1, Heiss 1, Shelby Rasch (Coopersville HS) 1.

**Digs-** Rasch 23, Kennedi Bernia (Grand Haven HS) 10, Amber Jacobs (Ravenna HS) 10, Smith 4.

**Blocks-** Heiss 6, Veihl 4, Brown 4.

With the win MCC moves to 11-2 in conference play and 22-9 overall. They are in action this Sunday, 10/14 when they host the Jayhawk Invitational at Reeths-Puffer High School. Play begins at 10:00 am.

**Volleyball at Glen Oaks Community College**
October 4, 2018 @ 6:30 pm - 9:00 pm

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Glen Oaks CC

The #17th ranked Jayhawks of Muskegon Community College prevailed over Glen Oaks Community College on the road by a score of 3-2. Set scores were: 23-25, 25-17, 25-15, 21-25, 15-1. Stat leaders:

Kills- Jaren Smith (Shelby HS) 17, Julie Brown (Whitehall HS) 12, Alexis Issette (Chippewa Hills HS) 10, Amber Jacobs (Ravenna HS) 8.

Assists- Katie Veihl (Fruitport HS) 45.

Aces- Smith 1, Veihl 1, Kennedi Bernia (Grand Haven HS) 1.

Digs- Shelby Rasch (Coopersville HS) 30, Smith 25, Haley Gartland (Mona Shores HS) 17, Bernia 14, Veihl 13.

Blocks- Brown 8, Veihl 7, Maddie Heiss (Western Michigan Christian HS) 5, Smith 3.

MCC is now 10-2 in the Western Conference and 21-9 overall. They have a week off before a home match with the Lake Michigan College Red Hawks on Thursday, 10/11. Game time is 5:30 pm.

Volleyball Home vs. Grand Rapids Community College
October 2, 2018 @ 5:30 pm - 8:00 pm

Final

Grand Rapids CC

Muskegon CC

In a battle for first in the MCCAA Western Conference the 17th ranked Muskegon Community College Jayhawks dropped an exciting match to their rivals from Grand Rapids Community College (8th ranked) by a score of 3-2. Set scores were 23-25, 22-25, 27-25, 25-14, 9-15. Stat leaders for MCC were:

Kills- Jaren Smith (Shelby HS) 16, Julie Brown (Whitehall HS) 15, Amber Jacobs (Ravenna HS) 12, Maddie Heiss (Western Michigan Christian HS) 7.

Assists- Katie Veihl (Fruitport HS) 50.

Aces- Veihl 4, Brown 3, Shelby Rasch (Coopersville HS) 2, Jacobs 2, Kennedi Bernia (Grand Haven HS) 2.

Digs- Veihl 24, Rasch 22, Bernia 15, Jacobs 13, Smith 10.

Blocks- Brown 7, Smith 5, Jacobs 4, Heiss 3.

MCC is now 9-2 in the Western Conference and 20-9 overall. They return to action on Thursday, 10/4 with a trip to Glen Oaks Community College. Game time is 6:30 pm.

Volleyball at GRCC Raider Invitational
September 29, 2018 @ TBD
Jayhawks finish 4-0 in the Raider Challenge.
Muskegon Community College was a perfect 4-0 at the Raider Challenge in Grand Rapids over the weekend. On Saturday they defeated Oakland CC 3-0 with set scores of 25-10, 25-9, 25-10 then they beat a very good Mott CC team 4-1 with set scores of 25-20, 25-14, 24-26, 25-22. On Sunday it was two 3-0 victories, first over Sinclair CC with set scores of 25-22, 25-12, 25-16 then over Henry Ford CC with set scores of 25-20, 25-14, 25-23. MCC finished the week 6-0 and only dropped 2 sets during that time.

Stat leaders for the weekend were:
Kills- Jaren Smith (Shelby HS) 48, Julie Brown (Whitehall HS) 37, Amber Jacobs (Ravenna HS) 22, Lexi Issette (Chippewa Hills HS) 22, Maddie Heiss (Western Michigan Christian HS) 21.
Assists- Katie Veihl (Fruitport HS) 144.
Aces- Smith 9, Veihl 7, Shelby Rasch (Coopersville HS) 5, Jacobs 4, Kennedi Bernia (Grand Haven HS) 4, Brown 4.
Digs- Rasch 70, Bernia 37, Jacobs 26, Smith 23, Haley Gartland (Mona Shores HS) 20.

The Jayhawks are now 9-1 in conference play with an important game on Tuesday, 10/2 when they host the 2nd place GRCC Raiders. Game time is 5:30 pm.

**Volleyball at Lansing Community College**
September 27, 2018 @ 6:30 pm - 9:00 pm

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The first place Jayhawks hit the road for a match with the Lansing Community College Stars and came home with a 3-1 victory to keep the top spot, one game ahead of Grand Rapids Community College. Set scores were 29-27, 25-15, 20-25, 25-12. Stat leaders for the game:

Kills- Jaren Smith (Shelby HS) 13, Julie Brown (Whitehall HS) 12, Alexis Issette (Chippewa Hills HS) 11, Amber Jacobs (Ravenna HS) 7, Maddie Heiss (Western Michigan Christian HS) 5.
Assists- Katie Veihl (Fruitport HS) 45.
Aces- Kennedi Bernia (Grand Haven HS) 3, Jacobs 2.
Digs- Jacobs 19, Shelby Rasch (Coopersville HS) 18, Bernia 12, Smith 12, Brown 10.

With the win the Jayhawks move to 9-1 in the Western Conference and 16-8 overall. They head to Grand Rapids to compete in the Raider Invitational on Saturday and Sunday, 9/29-30, before a showdown with the second place GRCC Raiders at home on Tuesday, 10/2. Game time is 5:30 pm.
The #20 ranked Jayhawks took care of business with a 3-0 match win over the visiting Cougars from Kalamazoo Valley Community College. Set scores were 25-14, 29-27, 25-19. Statistical leaders for the match:

- **Kills**: Julie Brown (Whitehall HS) 13, Jaren Smith (Shelby HS) 12, Lexi Issette (Chippewa Hills HS) 6, Amber Jacobs (Ravenna HS) 4, Maddie Heiss (Western Michigan Christian HS) 3.
- **Assists**: Katie Veihl (Fruitport HS) 36.
- **Aces**: Jacobs 2, Veihl 1, Shelby Rasch (Coopersville HS) 1.
- **Digs**: Rasch 13, Kennedi Bernia (Grand Haven HS) 10, Veihl 9, Haley Gartland (Mona Shores HS) 6, Jacobs 5.
- **Blocking**: Brown 3, Jacobs 3, Heiss 2.

The Jayhawks are now alone in 1st place with a conference record of 8-1, half game in front of Grand Rapids CC. Their overall record is 15-8. Next up for the Jayhawks is a road trip to 3rd place Lansing Community College, who will be looking for revenge for a 3-0 loss to MCC earlier in the season. Game time is 6:30 pm.

Jayhawks are 1-3 for the weekend at Parkland Invite. Muskegon Community College competed at the Parkland College Invitational against some of the top teams in the country. The Jayhawks dropped matches to Lincoln Land 3-0 (set scores 25-12, 25-14, 27-25) and Parkland 3-0 (set scores 25-13, 25-12, 25-22) on Saturday, before rebounding with a split on Sunday. They defeated Rend Lake 3-0 (set scores 25-19, 25-18, 25-22) and lost to Illinois Central 3-1 (set scores 25-23, 20-25, 22-25, 25-21).

Leading the way for the Jayhawks in the four matches were:

- **Kills**: Jaren Smith (Shelby HS) 37, Julie Brown (Whitehall HS) 33, Lexi Issette (Chippewa Hills HS) 27, Maddie Heiss (Western Michigan Christian HS) 22, Amber Jacobs (Ravenna HS) 15.
- **Assists**: Katie Veihl (Fruitport HS) 128.
- **Aces**: Brown 6, Shelby Rasch (Coopersville HS) 4.
- **Digs**: Rasch 64, Jacobs 34, Veihl 29, Kennedi Bernia (Grand Haven HS) 26, Smith 25.
- **Blocks**: Heiss 13, Brown 9, Smith 6.
The Jayhawks are now 7-1 in conference play and 14-8 overall. They return to action on Tuesday, 9/25 as they host Kalamazoo Valley Community College at home at 5:30 pm.

**Volleyball Home vs. Jackson College**
September 20, 2018 @ 5:30 pm - 8:00 pm

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#12 ranked Muskegon Community College defeated the Jackson College Jets at home, 3-0. Set scores were 25-10, 25-17, 25-18. Stat leaders for the Jayhawks were:

- **Kills**: Julie Brown (Whitehall HS) 9, Amber Jacobs (Ravenna HS) 8, Jaren Smith (Shelby HS) 5, Lexi Issette (Chippewa Hills HS) 4, Maddie Heis (WMC) 4.
- **Assists**: Katie Veihl (Fruitport HS) 32.
- **Aces**: Amber Jacobs 6, Julie Brown 2.
- **Digs**: Shelby Rasch (Coopersville HS) 15, Katie Veihl 6, Kennedi Bernia (Grand Haven HS) 5, Haley Gartland (Mona Shores HS) 5.
- **Blocks**: Maddie Heiss 6, Lexi Issette 4, Julie Brown 2, Jaren Smith 2.

With the win MCC now has a conference record of 7-1 which puts them in a tie atop the conference standings. Overall the Jayhawks are 13-5. They head to the Parkland Invitational 9/21-23 to face 2 nationally ranked opponents.

**Volleyball at Kellogg Community College**
September 18, 2018 @ 6:30 pm - 9:00 pm

The #12 ranked Jayhawks survived a scare from the Kellogg Community College Bruins and came home with a 3-2 victory. Set scores were: 25-13, 23-25, 25-17, 19-25, 16-14. Leading players for Muskegon Community College:

- **Kills**: Jaren Smith (Shelby HS) 17, Julie Brown (Whitehall HS) 12, Lexi Issette (Chippewa Hills HS) 8, Amber Jacobs (Ravenna HS) 6.
- **Assists**: Katie Veihl (Fruitport HS) 45.
- **Aces**: Shelby Rasch (Coopersville HS) 2, Jacobs 1, Veihl 1.
- **Digs**: Jacobs 23, Kennedi Bernia (Grand Haven HS) 17, Smith 16, Veihl 15, Rasch 15.
- **Blocks**: Maddie Heiss (Western Michigan Christian HS) 8, Smith 4, Brown 4.

MCC is now 6-1 in conference play and 12-5 overall. They return to action with a 5:30 pm game on Thursday, 9/20 when they host Jackson College.
**Volleyball Home vs. Ancilla College**  
September 13, 2018 @ 5:30 pm - 8:00 pm

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Muskegon Community College defeated the Ancilla College Chargers at home 3-0. Set scores were 25-16, 25-21, 25-7. Stat leaders for the match were:

- **Kills**: Julie Brown (Whitehall HS) 12, Jaren Smith (Shelby HS) 9, Amber Jacobs (Ravenna HS) 9, Alexis Issette (Chippewa Hills HS) 6, Maddie Heiss (Western Michigan Christian HS) 5.
- **Assists**: Katie Veihl (Fruitport HS) 38.
- **Aces**: Jacobs 3, Smith 3, Haley Gartland (Mona Shores HS) 2, Veihl 2.
- **Digs**: Shelby Rasch (Coopersville HS) 13, Jacobs 6, Kennedi Bernia (Grand Haven HS) 5, Brown 2.
- **Blocks**: Brown 5, Veihl 4, Heiss 2.

With the win the #14 nationally ranked Jayhawks are now 5-1 in conference play and have an overall record of 11-5. Next up is a road game in Battle Creek on Tuesday, 9/18 to take on Kellogg Community College in a 6:30 pm match.

**Volleyball at Lake Michigan College**  
September 11, 2018 @ 6:30 pm - 9:00 pm

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The #14 nationally ranked Muskegon Community College Jayhawks traveled to Benton Harbor to take on the Red Hawks of Lake Michigan College and came away with an easy 3-0 victory. Set scores were 25-14, 25-14, 25-16. Statistical leaders for the Jayhawks were:

- **Kills**: Julie Brown (Whitehall HS) 12, Jaren Smith (Shelby HS) 10, Maddie Heiss (Western Michigan Christian HS) 7, Alexis Issette (Chippewa Hills HS) 5.
- **Assists**: Katie Veihl (Fruitport HS) 34.
- **Aces**: Smith 2, Veihl 2, Amber Jacobs (Ravenna HS) 2.
- **Digs**: Shelby Rasch (Coopersville HS) 9, Veihl 8, Jacobs 6, Kennedi Bernia (Grand Haven HS) 5.
- **Blocks**: Issette 3, Heiss 2, Gracie Reinhold (Oakridge HS) 2.
With the win the Jayhawks are now 4-1 in conference play and 10-5 overall. The next match for the Jayhawks will be Thursday 9/13 at home vs Ancilla College. Start time is 5:30 pm.

**Volleyball Home vs. Glen Oaks Community College**
September 4, 2018 @ 5:30 pm - 8:00 pm

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Muskegon Community College hosted the Vikings from Glen Oaks Community College in a Western Conference match and picked up a dominating 3-0 victory. Set scores were 25-16, 25-14, 25-15. Leaders for the Jayhawks were:

Kills- Jaren Smith (Shelby HS) 12, Amber Jacobs (Ravenna HS) 9, Julie Brown (Whitehall High School) 8, Madison Heiss (Western Michigan Christian HS) 5, Alexis Issette (Chippewa Hills HS) 4.

Assists- Katie Veihl (Fruitport HS) 36.

Aces- Smith 3, Shelby Rasch (Coopersville HS) 2, Veihl 2.

Digs- Rasch 15, Jacobs 6, Haley Gartland (Mona Shores HS) 4.


With the win the Jayhawks are now 3-1 in conference play and 9-5 overall. They return to action on Tuesday, 9/11 with a trip to Lake Michigan College. Game time is set for 6:30 pm.

**Volleyball at Owens Community College Invitational**
September 2, 2018 @ TBD

Jayhawks finish 3 day Owens CC Invitational with a 4-2 record.

Muskegon Community College traveled to Ohio to participate in the Owens Express Invitational. The Jayhawks went 4-2 over the weekend which included a 3-0 win over #12 ranked McHenry County College and the two tough losses to #2 Parkland College and last year's national runners up Owens Community College.


MCC over St. Clair CCC, 3-0 (25-18, 25-23, 25-19).

MCC over Cuyahoga CC, 3-0 (25-14, 25-19, 25-10).

Parkland College over MCC, 3-0 (25-20, 25-18, 25-15).

MCC over McHenry CC, 3-0 (25-22, 25-21, 25-18).

Statistical leaders from the weekend:
Kills: Julie Brown (Whitehall HS) 59, Jaren Smith (Shelby HS) 59, Amber Jacobs (Ravenna HS) 39, Madison Heiss (Western Michigan Christian HS) 31, Alexis Issette (Chippewa Hills HS) 28.

Assists- Katie Veihl (Fruitport HS) 208.

Aces- Brown 15, Veihl 7, Issette 6, Allyssa Bobian (Montague HS) 4, Haley Gartland (Mona Shores HS) 4.

Digs- Shelby Rasch (Coopersville HS) 55, Smith 43, Jacobs 42, Veihl 35, Kennedi Bernia (Grand Haven HS) 34.

Blocks- Heiss 14, Brown 14, Smith 9, Veihl 8, Issette 7.

The Jayhawks are now 2-1 in conference play and 8-5 overall. They return to action Tuesday, 9/5 when they host Glen Oaks Community College at 5:30 pm.

Volleyball at Grand Rapids Community College
August 30, 2018 @ 6:30 pm - 9:00 pm

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#20 ranked Muskegon Community College dropped a tight match to #8 ranked Grand Rapids Community college 3-0 at Northview High School. Set scores were 25-22, 25-19, 25-22. Stat leaders for the match were:

Kills- Jaren Smith (Shelby HS) 8, Julie Brown (Whitehall HS) 7, Alexis Issette (Chippewa Hills HS) 7, Amber Jacobs (Ravenna HS) 6.

Assists- Katie Veihl (Fruitport HS) 29.

Aces- Kennedi Bernia (Grand Haven HS) 3, Jacobs 2.

Digs- Shelby Rasch (Coopersville HS) 24, Haley Gartland (Mona Shores HS) 13, Bernia 9, Veihl 9.

The Jayhawks are now 2-1 in conference play, 1/2 game behind GRCC, and 4-3 overall. They travel to Owens Community College to play on Saturday and Sunday, 9/1-2.

Volleyball Home vs. Lansing Community College
August 28, 2018 @ 5:30 pm - 8:00 pm

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Muskegon Community College wasn’t bothered by a change in venue due to court conditions as they dispatched the Lansing Community College stars 3-0. Set scores were 25-20, 25-8, 25-22. Leaders on the stat sheet were:

Kills- Julie Brown (Whitehall HS) 8, Maddie Heiss (Western Michigan Christian HS) 5, Jaren Smith (Shelby HS) 5, Amber Jacobs (Ravenna HS) 4.

Assists- Katie Veihl (Fruitport HS) 24.

Aces- Jacobs 5, Veihl 3, Shelby Rasch (Coopersville HS) 3, Alexis Issette (Chippewa Hills HS) 2.

Digs- Jacobs 12, Rasch 11, Veihl 7, Kennedi Bernia (Grand Haven HS) 6.

Blocks- Heiss 3, Smith 2.

MCC stands at 2-0 in conference play and 4-2 overall. Next action is scheduled for Thursday, 8/30 vs. rival GRCC. The game is being played at Northview High School at 6:30 pm.

Volleyball at Waubonsee Community College Invitational
August 25, 2018 @ TBD

Jayhawks split again in day two of tournament
In day two the Jayhawks dropped a game to #2 ranked Parkland Community College 3-0 (set scores 21-25, 15-25, 16-25) then picked up a win against host Waubonsee Community College 3-1 (set scores 21-25, 25-23, 25-11, 25-21).

Leading the way were:

Hitting – Julie Brown (Whitehall HS) 18, Jaren Smith (Shelby HS) 16, Amber Jacobs (Ravenna HS) 15, Maddie Heiss (Western Michigan Christian HS) 13, Alexis Issette (Chippewa Hills HS) 9.

Assists- Katie Veihl (Fruitport HS) 66.

Aces- Brown 3, Veihl 3, Jacobs 2.

Digs- Haley Gartland (Mona Shores HS) 20, Veihl 19, Jacobs 16, Allyssa Bobian (Montague HS) 14.

Blocks- Heiss 11, Brown 8, Smith 7.

The Jayhawks are now 3-2 on the season. They return to action on Tuesday, 8/28 with a home game vs. Lansing Community College. Game time is 5:30 pm.

**Volleyball at Waubonsee Community College Invitational**
August 24, 2018 @ TBD

Jayhawks lose one, then win one on first day of Waubonsee Tournament
Muskegon Community College dropped their first match vs. Des Moines Area Community College 3-1, then rebounded for a convincing 3-0 win over #2 D3 ranked Harper College, 3-0. Set scores vs. Des Moines were 17-25, 25-22, 20-25, 19-25 and scores vs. Harper were 25-22, 25-16, 25-20.
Leaders on day one were:
Kills- Amber Jacobs (Ravenna HS) 17, Jaren Smith (Shelby HS) 17, Julie Brown (Whitehall HS) 15, Maddie Heiss (Western MI Christian HS) 10, Alexis Issette (Chippewa Hills HS) 10.

Assists- Katie Veihl (Fruitport HS) 70.

Aces- Veihl 5, Shelby Rasch (Coopersville HS) 2, Jacobs 2.

Digs- Rasch 46, Kennedi Bernia (Grand Haven HS) 24, Jacobs 18, Smith 13, Veihl 11.

Blocks- Veihl 7, Brown 6, Heiss 4.

MCC is currently 2-1 on the young season and they return to action at Waubonsee tomorrow, Saturday, 8/25.

**Volleyball at Kalamazoo Valley Community College**  
August 22, 2018 @ 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm

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#20 ranked Muskegon Community College opened the 2018 season on the road with a 3-0 victory over Kalamazoo Valley Community College 3-0. Set scores were 25-11, 25-20, 25-13.

The Jayhawks have plenty of experience with 6 returning players, complimented by a strong recruiting class of 7 freshmen. Leading the sophomores is 1st Team All-Conference players Julie Brown (Whitehall HS) and Katie Veihl (Fruitport HS).

Stat Leaders:

Kills: Julie Brown 7, Alexis Issette 7 (Chippewa Hills HS), Jaren Smith 6 (Shelby HS), Amber Jacobs 6 (Ravenna HS), Maddie Heiss 4 (WMC).

Assists: Katie Veihl 29

Aces: Shelby Rasch 2 (Coopersville HS), Kennedi Bernia 2 (Grand Haven HS)

Digs: Amber Jacobs 12, Shelby Rasch 8, Katie Veihl 7, Jaren Smith 7

Blocks: Julie Brown 5, Alexis Issette 2

Next up for MCC is a trip to Aurora, IL for a weekend tournament at Waubonsee Community College where they will face some of the top ranked teams in the nation. The home opener for the Jayhawks is Tuesday, 8/28 against Lansing Community College. Game time is 5:30 pm.