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A NEW SEASON

AGWSR crashes State VB party with losing record

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After going just 14-23 during the regular season against some of the best in all five classes (14 losses to State qualifiers), the AGWSR Cougars turned into one of the best in Class 1A with a magical tournament run.

In the end, however, the glass slipper didn't fit. They finished 19-24. AGWSR reached the State semifinals before bowing out to an all-too-familiar foe in Gladbrook-Reinbeck. Still, the postseason – a new season – was a thing to remember. ●

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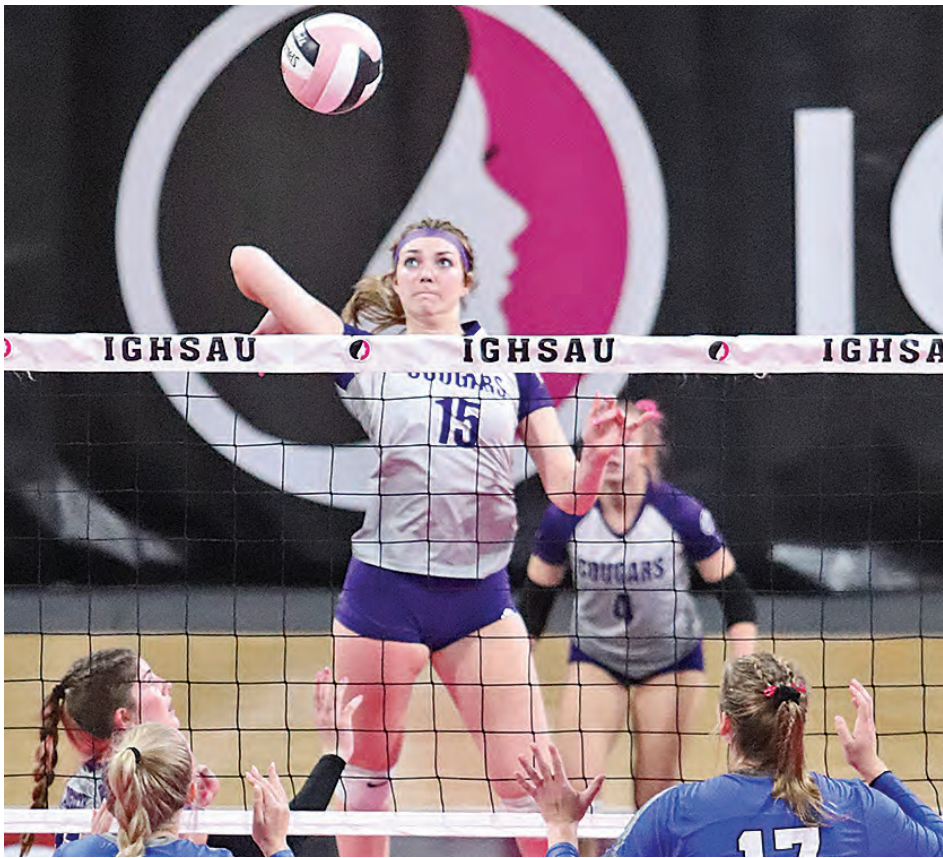
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Lila Vaughn, Senior



Brylea Metzgar, Freshman

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THE RUN TO STATE

REGION FIRST ROUND

AGWSR3, West Hancock 0

Oct. 17 at Ackley

WH: 10 | 12 | 10

AGWSR: 25 | 25 | 25

AGWSR Stats

Kills: Lila Vaughn 7; Tori Metzgar 5; Brylea Metzgar 5; Karis Lippert 5; Trevyn Smith 4; Ava Olson 2; Maddi Mausser 1.

Assists: Smith 21; Elise Olson 2; T. Metzgar 2.

Digs: E. Olson 9; Tessa Sperfslage 8; Lippert 7; T. Metzgar 6; B. Metzgar 5; Smith 5; A. Olson 2.

Blocks: B. Metzgar 1; Vaughn 1.

Serving: B. Metzgar 22-24-2 aces; Sperfslage 11-13-2; E. Olson 11-13-1; T. Metzgar 6-11-4; Lippert 4-5-1; Smith 3-6-1; Mausser 2-2-0; Brynn Smith 1-1-0.

REGION QUARTERFINAL

AGWSR3, North Iowa 0

Oct. 19 at Ackley

N. Iowa: 16 | 20 | 19

AGWSR: 25 | 25 | 25

AGWSR Stats

Kills: Brynn Smith 20; Brylea Metzgar 10; Trevyn Smith 10; Ava Olson 3; Lila Vaughn 3; Karis Lippert 2.

Assists: T. Smith 33; Elise Olson 3; B. Smith 3; Tessa Sperfslage 3; Tori Metzgar 1.

Digs: Sperfslage 11; B. Smith 10; E. Olson 8; T. Metzgar 7; T. Smith 7; Lippert 6; B. Metzgar 2; A. Olson 1.

Blocks: Vaughn 3; T. Smith 2; B. Smith 1; B. Metzgar 1; Lippert 1.

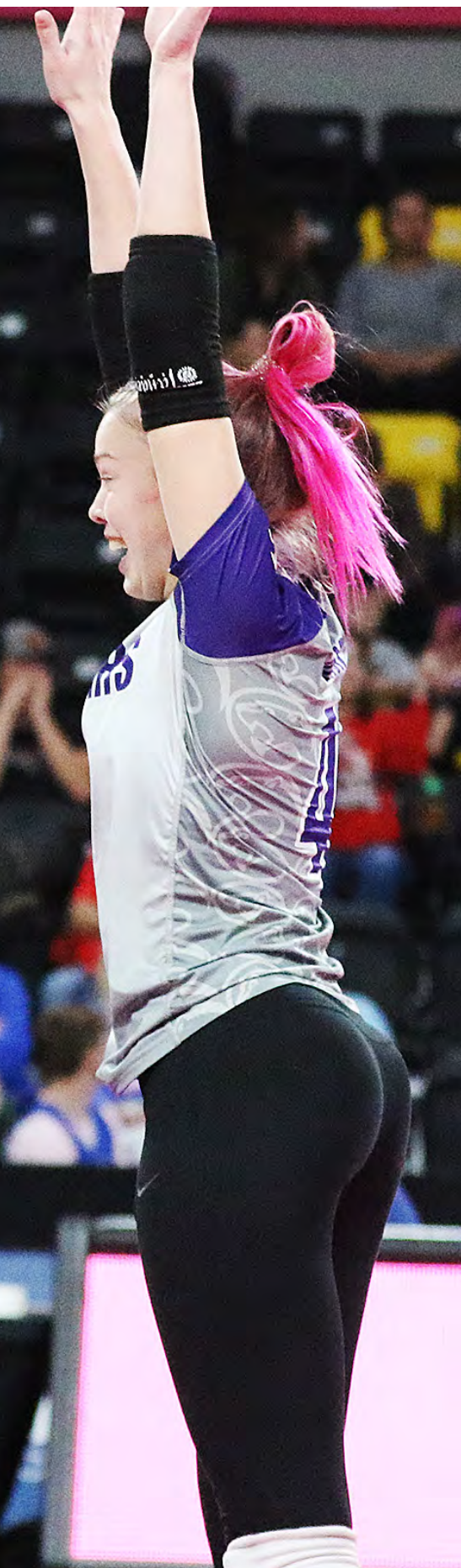
Aces: E. Olson 1; Lippert 1.



Karis Lippert, Junior



Trevyn Smith, Sophomore
CLASS 1A ALL-TOURNAMENT TEAM



Brynn Smith, Senior
CLASS 1A **ALL-TOURNAMENT TEAM**

REGION SEMIS

AGWSR 3, Glidden-Ralston 0

Oct. 24 at Ackley

G-R: 13 | 13 | 10

AGWSR: 25 | 25 | 25

AGWSR Stats

Kills: Brynn Smith 17; Trevyn Smith 9; Brylea Metzgar 7; Ava Olson 5; Lila Vaughn 4; Karis Lippert 1.

Assists: T. Smith 27; Tessa Sperfslage 5; Elise Olson 2; B. Smith 2.

Digs: T. Smith 9; Tori Metzgar 8; B. Smith 6; Sperfslage 5; Lippert 5; E. Olson 3; A. Olson 2; Vaughn 1.

Blocks: Vaughn 3; B. Smith 2; B. Metzgar 2; T. Smith 2; Lippert 2.

Serving: T. Smith 20-21-1 ace; E. Olson 13-17-4; Lippert 11-12-0; B. Metzgar 10-11-0; B. Smith 6-7-0; Sperfslage 4-5-1.

REGION FINAL

AGWSR 3, Newell-Fonda 0

Oct. 26 at Fort Dodge

AGWSR: 25 | 25 | 25

New-Fond: 21 | 19 | 15

AGWSR Stats

Kills: Brynn Smith 23; Lila Vaughn 4; Trevyn Smith 4; Brylea Metzgar 3; Karis Lippert 3; Ava Olson 2.

Assists: T. Smith 33; Tessa Sperfslage 2; B. Smith 1; Tori Metzgar 1; Lippert 1.

Digs: B. Smith 11; Sperfslage 9; Lippert 8; B. Metzgar 6; Elise Olson 4; T. Metzgar 3; T. Smith 3.

Blocks: B. Metzgar 3; T. Smith 3; B. Smith 1; Vaughn 1.

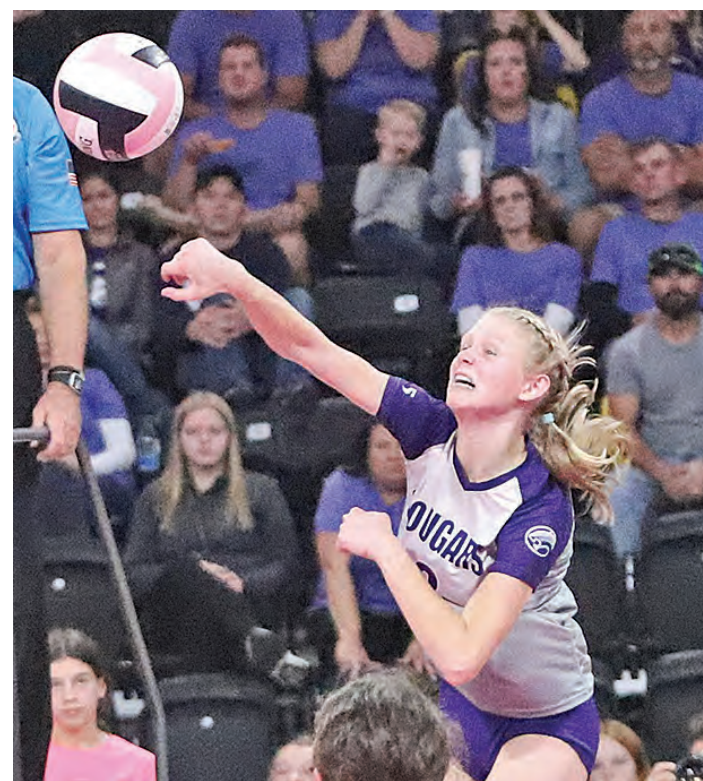
Serving: E. Olson 15-17-1 ace; B. Smith 13-14-0; B. Metzgar 12-13-1; Lippert 12-13-0; T. Smith 8-8-0; Sperfslage 7-8-0.



Tessa Sperfslage, Senior



Tori Metzgar, Senior



Ava Olson, Junior



AGWSR finished the season in the Class 1A State semifinals at 19-24. Of those loses, 14 were to teams at the State Tournament. Pictured are, front row (left to right): Manager Ella McGrath, Elizabeth Muir, Tori Metzgar, Kylie Willems, Tessa Sperflage, Brynn Smith, Mady Mausser, Claire Culver. Back row (l-r): Manager Dania Larios, assistant coach Alana Groninga, Jadyn Rae, Trevyn Smith, Elise Olson, Ava Olson, Brylea Metzgar, Lila Vaughn, Lienzle Hoodjer, Karis Lippert, assistant coach Dru Balvanz, head coach Jill Smith.

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Elise Olson, Freshman

STATE QUARTERFINALS

Nov. 1 at Coralville

AGWSR: 25 | 11 | 25 | 25 | 15

N. Tama: 21 | 25 | 27 | 14 | 13

AGWSR Stats:

Kills: Brynn Smith 28; Lila Vaughn 9; Trevyn Smith 9; Karis Lippert 6; Brylea Metzgar 4; Ava Olson 2.

Assists: T. Smith 43; Tessa Sperfslage 4; A. Olson 1; Elise Olson 1; B. Smith 1; B. Metzgar 1; Lippert 1.

Digs: B. Smith 16; Sperfslage 11; Tori Metzgar 11; T. Smith 11; Lippert 8; E. Olson 8; B. Metzgar 4; Vaughn 2; A. Olson 1.

Blocks: B. Metzgar 2.5; A. Olson 2; Vaughn 1.5; Lippert 1; T. Smith .5; B. Smith .5.

Serving: T. Smith 24-28-4 aces; Sperfslage 19-19-1; Lippert 16-17-1; B. Metzgar 12-13-0; E. Olson 1-12-0; B. Smith 8-11-0.

STATE SEMIFINALS

Nov. 2 at Coralville

G-R: 25 | 25 | 20 | 25

AGWSR: 17 | 14 | 25 | 18

AGWSR Stats

Kills: Brynn Smith 10; Trevyn Smith 9; Ava Olson 5; Brylea Metzgar 5; Lila Vaughn 5; Karis Lippert 3.

Assists: T. Smith 25; Tessa Sperfslage 5; B. Smith 2; Elise Olson 1; Tori Metzgar 1; B. Metzgar 1.

Digs: Sperfslage 38; B. Smith 16; E. Olson 14; T. Metzgar 11; Lippert 2.

Blocks: B. Metzgar 2; A. Olson 1; T. Smith 1.

Serving: B. Smith 18-19-3 aces; T. Smith 11-13-0; Sperfslage 10-12-2; Lippert 10-12-1; E. Olson 11-11-0; B. Metzgar 6-8-0.

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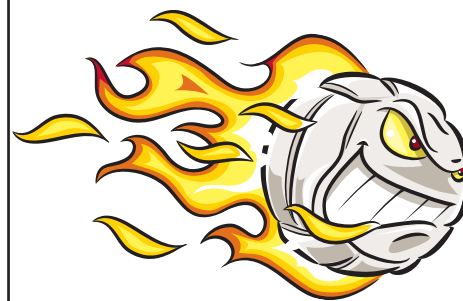
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