

LEE UNIVERSITY VOLLEYBALL

LEE UNIVERSITY LADY FLAMES



17-15
OVERALL

11-9
GSC

NR
AMERICAN VOLLEYBALL COACHES TOP 25
(Nov 19, 2024)

CHRISTA FABRE
HEAD COACH

34-30
OVERALL

2nd
SEASON

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 2024 | 6 PM

LEE UNIVERSITY VS. UNIVERSITY OF MONTEVALLO

WALKER ARENA | CLEVELAND, TENN.

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LEE UNIVERSITY LADY FLAMES

NO.	NAME	POS.	HT.	CL.	HOMETOWN / PREVIOUS SCHOOL
2	Sophia Lippert	Jr.	5-10	RS/S	Frisco, Texas / Legacy Christian Academy
5	Berra Soyler	So.	5-11	S	Bursa, Turkey / Nicholls State University
6	Madison Dahl	Fr.	5-5	S	Garden Ridge, Texas / Davenport HS
7	Izzy Denton	Jr.	5-3	DS/L	Katy, Texas. / Gulf Coast State College
8	Reagan Foles	Fr.	5-6	DS/L	Newnan, Ga. / Newnan HS
9	Mikayla Buhr	Fr.	5-6	DS/L	Terrell, Texas / Poetry Community Christian
10	Julia Davis	Sr.	5-10	OH	Atlanta, Ga. / Chattanooga
11	Payton Danley	Fr.	6-0	MB/RS	Buford, Ga. / Buford HS
12	Sara Palumbo	Fr.	5-9	OH	Asti Piemonte, Italy / Principe Umerbo
14	Grace Mazzocca	Jr.	6-0	MB	Hartville, Ohio / Lake High School
15	Brynna Sands	Fr.	5-8	OH	Bradenton, Fla. / Braden Rover HS
18	Naomi Hockless	R-Jr.	6-0	MB	Baytown, Texas / St. Francis Brooklyn College
19	Jada Whittall	So.	5-10	OH	Ottawa, Canada / Catawba College
21	Elif Kirbaser	Fr.	6-0	MB	Istanbul, Turkey / Ugur Okullari

Pronunciation Guide

2 - Sophia LIPPERT – lip-pert

6 - Madison DAHL – dall

9 - Mikayla BUHR – Burr

12 - Sara PALUMBO – pah-loom-bo

14 - Grace MAZZOCCA – mah-zock-ah

18 - NAOMI HOCKLESS – nay-o-me hock-less

19 - Jada WHITTALL – whitt-all

21 - ELIF KIRBASER – el-liff kurr-bah-shairs

HC - Christa FABRE – Fob

AC - CeCe BLANCHARD – Blan-cherd

AC - SILVIA BEAUZILE – sill-vee-ah boo-zill

MONTEVALLO FALCONS

NO.	NAME	POS.	HT.	CL.	HOMETOWN/PREVIOUS SCHOOL
1	Grace Petro	S	5'8	So.	Mobile, AL / McGill Toolen Catholic High School
2	Elise Hanson	MB	6'2	So.	Kennesaw, GA / Harrison High School
3	Kalin Duncan	S	5'8	Sr.	Arlington, TN / Uni. of Arkansas-Monticello
4	Maggie McColley	MB/OPP	5'10	Jr.	Lawrenceville, GA / Mountain View High School
5	Brooklyn Hudson	OH/OPP	6'0	Jr.	Rock Springs, GA / Gordon Lee Memorial
7	Morgan Netcott	L/DS	5'6	Jr.	Montague, MI / Vincennes University
8	Danielle Greene	MB/OPP	6'0	Jr.	Montgomery, AL / Saint James High School
9	Ava Wind	L/DS	5'6	Fr.	Leander, TX / Tom Glenn High School
10	Kate Wilkin	MB	6'2	Fr.	Tuscaloosa, AL / Northridge High School
11	Nikol Antova	OH	6'0	Fr.	Vidin, Bulgaria / North Cobb High School
12	Claire Hayes	MB	6'0	Jr.	Robertsdale, AL / St. Michael Catholic HS
14	Blakeley Robbins	S/OPP	5'11	Fr.	Daphne, AL / Bayside Academy
15	Katie Wilkerson	OH	5'9	Fr.	Beauregard, AL / Beauregard High School
21	Aliyah Thompson	OH/OPP	5'10	Sr.	Cumming, GA / South Forsyth High School
22	Eliza Tyrrell	OH	5'10	Fr.	Madison, AL / Bob Jones High School
25	Colton Thompson	S	5'10	Sr.	Fairhope, AL / Bayside Academy



CHRISTA FABRE

Head Coach

Overall Record: 34-30

Lee Record: 34-30 | 2nd Season

CECE BLANCHARD

JACKIE BROWS

SILVIA BEAUZILE

Assistant Coaches

ALYX DILL

CADIE WELDON

MANAGERS



HAVEN O'QUINN

Head Coach

Overall Record: 141-81

UM Record: 24-37 | 2nd Season

MILEA RAY PRUITT

Assistant Coaches





AMERICA VOLLEYBALL COACHES ASSOCIATION (AVCA)
TOP 25 POLL | NOVEMBER 19, 2024

#	SCHOOL	W-L	PREV.
1	Ferris State (40)	28-0	1
2	St. Cloud State (4)	24-2	2
3	Nebraska-Kearney (1)	28-1	4
4	MSU Denver	24-2	5
5	West Texas A&M	23-3	6
6	Cal Poly Pomona (2)	23-2	3
7	Chaminade	25-4	7
8	Concordia-St. Paul	21-5	8
9	Central Oklahoma	27-2	10
10	Angelo State	25-2	11
11	Grand Valley State	25-2	12
12	Southwest Minnesota State	23-4	16
13	Point Loma	23-1	13
14	Tampa	21-4	9
15	Wayne State (NE)	22-6	15
16	Lynn	25-3	17
17	Colorado Mesa	22-4	14
18	Northern State	20-6	18
19	Barry	20-4	21
20	San Francisco State	21-5	19
21	Quincy	24-4	20
22	Missouri-St. Louis	19-7	22
23	Wingate	25-2	23
24	West Florida	25-5	25
25	Washburn	20-6	24

Others receiving votes and listed on two or more ballots: Hillsdale 60;

Missouri Western 54; Central Washington 33; Florida Tech 27; Simon Fraser 18; Embry-Riddle (FL) 15; Nova Southeastern 11; Dallas Baptist 9; Cal State L.A. 8; California State, Stanislaus 7; Minnesota Duluth 7; Rockhurst 6; Cal State San Bernardino 5



GULF SOUTH CONFERENCE WEEKLY HONORS

OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE WEEK

Lydia Paulette-Mississippi College	Sept. 10
Carmen Perez-Lee	Sept. 17
Mackenzie O'Loughlin-Trevecca Nazarene	Sept. 24
Nikol Antova-Montevallo	Oct. 1
Lydia Paulette-Mississippi College	Oct. 8
Maya Thompson-Auburn Montgomery	Oct. 15
Emily Breazeale-West Florida	Oct. 22
Lydia Paulette-Mississippi College	Oct. 29
Gabi Moulton-West Florida	Nov. 5
Kendall McCain-Auburn Montgomery	Nov. 12
Christina Pettigrew	Nov. 19

DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE WEEK

Julia Sumrall-Mississippi College	Sept. 10
Kayla Ward-Alabama-Huntsville	Sept. 17
Ava Wind-Montevallo	Sept. 24
Reese Payne-Trevecca Nazarene	Oct. 1
Meg Brackhan-West Florida	Oct. 8
Ava Wind- Montevallo	Oct. 15
Samarin Kipple-Mississippi College	Oct. 22
Christina Pettigrew-Christian Brothers	Oct. 29
Meg Brackhan-West Florida	Nov. 5
Samarin Kipple-Mississippi College	Nov. 12
Samarin Kipple-Mississippi College	Nov. 19

FRESHMAN OF THE WEEK

Sara Palumbo-Lee	Sept. 10
Magdalena Vongkasemsiri-West Florida	Sept. 17
Nikol Antova-Montevallo	Sept. 24
Nikol Antova-Montevallo	Oct. 1
Ella Schumacher-Christian Brothers	Oct. 8
Nikol Antova-Montevallo	Oct. 15
Payton Danley-Lee	Oct. 22
Blakeley Robbins-Montevallo	Oct. 29
Payton Danley-Lee	Nov. 5
Payton Danley-Lee	Nov. 12
Payton Danley-Lee	Nov. 19

GULF SOUTH CONFERENCE VOLLEYBALL

WEEKLY SCHEDULE, RESULTS

Week Of November 18

All Times Eastern

Tuesday, November 19

#8 Montevallo at #5 Lee	6 PM
#7 Union at #6 Trevecca Nazarene	7 PM

Friday, November 22 in Pensacola, Fla.

#4 Valdosta State vs Match 1 Winner	5 PM
#3 Mississippi College vs Match 2 Winner	7:30 PM

Saturday, November 23

#1 West Florida vs Match 3 Winner	3 PM
#2 Alabama Huntsville vs Match 4 Winner	5:30 PM

Sunday, November 24

Championship Game	2 PM
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2024 GULF SOUTH CONFERENCE STANDINGS (FINAL STANDINGS)

SCHOOL	CONF	GPTS	GF-BA	OVERALL	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL	STREAK
WEST FLORIDA -XZ (1)	20-0	1.000	25-5	.833	15-3	10-0	0-2	W20
ALABAMA HUNTSVILLE -X (2)	16-4	.800	25-5	.833	12-2	7-3	6-0	W4
MISSISSIPPI COLLEGE -X (4)	13-7	.650	15-13	.536	8-2	6-7	1-4	W3
VALDOSTA STATE -X (3)	13-7	.650	19-11	.633	8-6	8-5	3-0	L1
LEE -XY (5)	11-9	.550	18-15	.545	8-10	6-5	4-0	W1
TREVECCA -XY (6)	10-10	.500	13-18	.419	6-7	4-8	3-3	L3
UNION -X (7)	8-12	.400	10-19	.345	4-15	6-4	0-0	L1
MONTEVALLO -X (8)	8-12	.400	11-19	.367	6-7	4-8	1-4	L1
AUBURN MONTGOMERY	7-13	.350	10-19	.345	5-8	3-9	2-2	L2
CHRISTIAN BROTHERS	4-16	.200	8-22	.267	2-9	4-8	2-5	W1
WEST ALABAMA	0-20	.000	2-28	.067	1-10	1-11	0-7	L14

X - CLINCHED BERTH TO GSC VOLLEYBALL CHAMPIONSHIP



CHRISTA FABRE | HEAD COACH

» Alma Mater:	Lee, 2012
» Hometown:	Jackson, Tenn.
» Family:	HUSBAND: Joe
» Children:	Jett, Boaz and Crew Charles

CAREER NUMBERS TO KNOW

34

During her two seasons as a head coach, Christa Fabre has collected 34 victories.

17

Coach Fabre had 17 wins in her first season as a head coach.

1

First Team All-GSC Selection. Coach Fabre helped coach Abby Stroh to a First Team All-GSC selection in 2023.

3

As a player Coach Fabre was a member of three Lee teams that reached the Final Four of the NAIA National Tournament (2008-2011).

140

The three-time all-conference selection and scholar athlete helped the Lady Flame compile an incredible 140-20 record as a player at Lee.

@LEEUVOLLEYBALL MILESTONES

1

Defeated Tusculum 3-1 on September 1, 2023 to earn Coach Fabre her first career win

5

The Lady Flames started the season 5-0 which was the best start in the NCAA era. The last time Lee went 5-0 to start the season was 2010.

12

Number of Lady Flames on the GSC honor roll last season.

7

Seven seed in the 2023 GSC Championship

2023

The Lady Flames returned to the GSC Tournament for the first time in five seasons.



HEAD COACH | 2ND SEASON @ LEE

YEAR-BY-YEAR RECORD

YEAR	SCHOOL	RECORD	PCT
2023	Lee	17-15	0.531
2024	Lee	17-15	0.531
Overall		34-30	0.531

LEE UNIVERSITY IN GSC CHAMPIONSHIP

2016

Christian Brothers L, 0-3

2017

West Alabama W, 3-1

North Alabama L, 1-3

2018

Alabama-Huntsville L, 0-3

2020* (Spring Championship Series)

Mississippi College L, 0-3

2023

Mississippi College L, 0-3

2024

Montevallo 6 PM



FLAMES QUICK FACTS

LEE UNIVERSITY

Location	Cleveland, Tenn.
Phone Number.....	423-614-8000
Founded	1918
Enrollment	3,678
Nickname	Lady Flames/Flames
Colors	Maroon & White
Mascot	Valor
Affiliation	NCAA Division II
Conference.....	Gulf South (GSC)
President/Chancellor	Dr. Paul Conn
Athletic Director	John Maupin
Deputy AD/Senior Woman Administrator.....	Jessica McIntyre
Associate AD (Internal Operations)	Marty Rowe
Director of Facilities and Game Operations	Mark Brew
Compliance Coordinator.....	Silvia Beauzile
Faculty Athletics Representative.....	Dr. Jason Robinson
Athletics Office Coordinator	Tena Walker
Assistant for Athletic Operations	Kayla Louie
Director of Student-Athlete Development	Cody Finch
Director of Student-Athlete Welfare and Athletics Counseling.....	Hannah Manning
Student-Athlete Advisory Committee (SAAC) Administrator	Megan Smith
Team Physician	Dr. DeWayne Knight
Team Physician	Dr. Jason Spangler
Head Athletic Trainer	Daniel Heinbaugh
Sports Medicine Coordinator	Breanne Crittenden
Director of Sports Performance.....	Will Atkinson

VOLLEYBALL HISTORY

Inaugural Season	1988
All-Time Record	914-481
All-Time GSC Record	97-102
GSC Regular Season Championships	0
GSC Tournament Appearances/Last.....	4/2023
Record	1-4

VOLLEYBALL STAFF

Head Coach.....	Christa Fabre (Lee, 2012)
Career Record	34-30
GSC Record.....	19-17
Assistant Coach.....	Cece Blanchard
Assistant Coach.....	Jackie Brown
Assistant Coach.....	Silvia Beauzile
Athletic Trainer.....	Shelby Landolt

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LEE UNIVERSITY'S RECORD WHEN...

IN 2024

Overall	17-15
Home.....	8-10
Away	6-5
Neutral.....	3-0
GSC Games.....	11-9
GSC Home.....	6-4
GSC Away.....	5-5
Non-Conference Games	6-6
Non-Conference Home.....	2-6
Non-Conference Away	1-0
Non-Conference Neutral	3-0
vs AVCA Ranked	0-0
vs AVCA Top-10	0-0
vs AVCA 11-25	0-1
vs AVCA RV	0-2
Lee Wins Set 1.....	12-2
Lee Wins Set 2	14-4
Lee Wins Set 3	12-5
Lee Wins Set 4.....	10-4
Lee Wins Set 5.....	3-0
Opponent Wins Set 1.....	5-13
Opponent Wins Set 2	3-11
Opponent Wins Set 3	4-10
Opponent Wins Set 4.....	1-6
Opponent Wins Set 5.....	0-5
Following a Loss	4-7
Following a Win.....	7-5

RECORD BY MONTH

September.....	7-8
October.....	8-4
November	2-3
December	0-0

RECORD BY DAY OF WEEK.....

Tuesday.....	4-1
Thursday.....	2-1
Friday	7-6
Saturday.....	4-7



THE LAST TIME A LEE TEAM...

EVENT	OPPONENT	DATE
Swept 3 Sets	Mississippi College	10-31-24
Won in 4 Sets	Valdosta State	11-16-24
Won in 5 Sets	Valdosta State	10-19-24
Had 50 Kills	West Alabama (54)	10-25-24
Had 60 Kills	Valdosta State (62)	10-19-24
Had 70+ Kills	Alabama-Huntsville (73)	4-7-21
Had 175 Attacks	Valdosta State (189)	11-19-24
Had 200+ Attacks	Montevallo (208)	10-3-23
Had .300 Hitting Percentage	North Greenville (.312)	9-20-24
Had .400 Hitting Percentage	Union (.431)	11-8-14
Had 50 Assists	West Alabama (53)	11-1-24
Had 60+ Assists	Auburn Montgomery (64)	10-11-24
Had 15 Aces	Union University (17)	10-1-24
Had 20+ Aces	Reinhardt (26)	9-12-06
Had 75 Digs	Valdosta State (87)	10-19-24
Had 85 Digs	Valdosta State (87)	10-19-24
Had 100+ Digs	Union (111)	9-24-21
Had 8+ Total Blocks	Christian Brothers (8)	10-22-24
Had 10+ Total Blocks	Montevallo (11)	9-28-24
Had 12+ Total Blocks	Arkansas Tech (14)/ Valdosta State (14)	9-14-24/10-19-24

THE LAST TIME A LEE PLAYER...

EVENT	PLAYER	OPPONENT	DATE
Had 15+ Kills	Payton Danley (16)	Auburn Montgomery	11-2-24
Had 20+ Kills	Payton Danley (25)	West Alabama	11-1-24
Had 50 Attacks	Sara Palumbo (54)	Valdosta State	10-19-24
Had 60+ Attacks	Abby Stroh (68)	Montevallo	10-3-23
Had 30+ Assists	Berra Soyler (34)	Mississippi College	10-31-24
Had 40+ Assists	Berra Soyler (46)	West Alabama	11-1-24
Had 5 Aces	Sara Palumbo (5)	Christian Brothers	10-22-24
Had 7+ Aces	Abby Stroh (7)	Erskine	9-2-23
Had 25 Digs	Izzy Denton (25)	West Florida	10-18-24
Had 30 Digs	Mackenzie Pearson (30)	Alabama-Huntsville	4-7-21
Had 35+ Digs	MaKayla Beebe (47)	Montevallo	10-13-18
Had 8+ Total Blocks	Grace Mazzocca (10)	Valdosta State	10-19-24
Had 10+ Total Blocks	Grace Mazzocca(10)	Valdosta State	10-19-24



2024 SEASON HIGHS AND LOWS

LEE UNIVERSITY

STAT	HIGHS	LOWS
POINTS	85 vs Valdosta State	30 vs West Florida
KILLS	66 vs Auburn Montgomery	25 vs West Florida
ASSISTS	64 vs Auburn Montgomery	24 vs West Florida
BLOCKS	16 vs Auburn Montgomery	1 vs Nova Southeastern
DIGS	87 vs Valdosta State	30 vs Nova Southeastern
ACES	17 vs Union University	1 vs West Florida

INDIVIDUAL HIGHS

STAT	HIGHS
POINTS	25.5 - Sara Palumbo vs Montevallo, Payton Danley vs West Alabama
KILLS	25 - Payton Danley vs West Alabama
ASSISTS	55 - Berra Soyler vs Montevallo
BLOCKS	10 - Grace Mazzocca vs Valdosta State
DIGS	25 - Izzy Denton vs West Florida
ACES	5 - Julia Davis and Carmen Perez

OPPONENTS

STAT	HIGHS	LOWS
POINTS	85 - Valdosta State	23 - Southern Wesleyan
KILLS	62 - Valdosta State	18 - Southern Wesleyan
ASSISTS	58 - Two Times	14 - Southern Wesleyan
BLOCKS	16 - Arkansas Tech	3 - Two Times
DIGS	87 - Valdosta State	30 - Young Harris
ACES	14 - Lincoln Memorial	0 - Two Times



2024 RADIO/TV ROSTER



SOPHIA LIPPERT
5-10 | Jr. | RS/S



CARMEN PEREZ
5-10 | So. | OH



ASHTON MIDDLETON
5-9 | Gr. | S



BERRA SOYLER
5-11 | So. | S



MADISON DAHL
5-5 | Fr. | S



IZZY DENTON
5-3 | Jr. | DS/L



REAGAN FOLES
5-6 | Fr. | DS/L



MIKAYLA BUHR
5-6 | Fr. | DS/L



JULIA DAVIS
5-10 | Sr. | OH



PAYTON DANLEY
6-0 | Fr. | MB/RS



SARA PALUMBO
5-9 | Fr. | OH



GRACE MAZZOCCA
6-0 | Jr. | MB



BRYNNA SANDS
5-8 | Fr. | OH



NAOMI HOCKLESS
6-0 | R-Jr. | MB



JADA WHITALL
5-10 | So. | OH



ELIF KIRBASER
6-0 | Fr. | MB



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