



## **2020 KVCA All-State Teams**

LEXINGTON, Ky. (November 2, 2020) – The Kentucky Volleyball Coaches Association is pleased to announce its 2020 All-State Teams, Ms. Kentucky Volleyball, KVCA Defensive Player of the Year and KVCA Coach of the Year.

Abby Shadwick of Henry Clay High School is the 2020 Ms. Kentucky Volleyball. Shadwick, a senior outside hitter, has helped lead her team with 240 kills and a .311 hitting percentage to a Top 5 KVCA ranking. Shadwick is the first KVCA Ms. Kentucky Volleyball awarded to a student-athlete at Henry Clay and only the second awarded to an athlete at a public school. Henry Clay defeated Tates Creek to claim the Region 11 Title and will face Corbin High School tonight to see who will play in the 8-team KHSAA State Tournament.

Senior libero, Eleanor Beavin of Mercy Academy is the 2020 KVCA Defensive Player of the Year. For the 3<sup>rd</sup> year in a row, Beavin receives the award after achieving over 370 digs and averaging over seven digs per set. After winning the Region 6 Regional Tournament, Mercy's postseason continues tonight as they take on Elizabethtown to make the KHSAA State Tournament.

Coach Dale Grupe of Henry Clay High School is the 2020 KVCA Coach of the Year. This is the third season in which the KVCA has selected a Coach of the Year and first for Coach Grupe. Grupe coached his team to an 20-3 record and a Region 11 Championship. This week, Henry Clay will compete in the KHSAA postseason in search of claiming its 1<sup>st</sup> ever state title.

KVCA All-State Teams are voted on by KVCA member coaches.

### **2020 Ms. Kentucky Volleyball**

Abby Shadwick, Henry Clay High School

### **2020 KVCA Defensive Player of the Year**

Eleanor Beavin, Mercy Academy

### **2020 KVCA Coach of the Year**

Dale Grupe, Henry Clay High School



## 2020 KVCA First-Team All-State

First Name	Last Name	School	Position	Ht	Region
Eleanor	Beavin	Mercy Academy	L	5'5	6
Kelsey	Brangers	Central Hardin High School	L	5'3	5
Caroline	Cole	Paul Laurence Dunbar High School	L	5'6	11
Mary	Hargan	Elizabethtown High School	OH	6'1	5
Sydney	Helmers	Assumption High School	OH	6'3	7
Katie	Howard	Greenwood High School	OH	5'10	4
Lane	Jenkins	Lafayette High School	S	5'10	11
Anna	Long	Notre Dame Academy	OH	5'11	9
Olivia	Mitchell	Caldwell County High School	OH	6'0	2
Taylor	Preston	St. Henry District High School	MB	6'2	9
Madison	Rice-Locket	Male High School	RS	5'11	7
Tess	Schrenger	Sacred Heart Academy	OH	6'0	7
Elena	Scott	Mercy Academy	S	5'9	6
Abby	Shadwick	Henry Clay High School	OH	6'2	11
Emma	Shadwick	Henry Clay High School	RS	6'2	11
Lucy	Trump	Ryle High School	OH	6'0	9

## 2020 KVCA Second-Team All-State

First Name	Last Name	School	Position	Ht	Region
McKenna	Barfield	Russell High School	MB	6'1	16
Nya	Bunton	DuPont Manual High School	OH	6'3	7
Olivia	Crowl	Campbell County High School	MB	6'2	10
Audrey	Dowdy	Graves County High School	OH	5'9	1
Katie	Floyd	Taylor County High School	L	5'3	5
Elizabeth	Godfrey	Elizabethtown High School	OH	5'9	5
Emma	Grace	Notre Dame Academy	OH	5'9	9
Ellery	Gray	Henry Clay High School	S	6'0	11
Jayda	Harris	McCracken County High School	MB	6'2	1
Marie	Kiefer	Bishop Brossart High School	MB	6'1	10
Fallan	Lanham	Mercy Academy	OH	5'8	6
Kaitlyn	Luebbers	Cooper High School	OH	5'8	9
Isabella	Myers	Ballard Memorial High School	S	5'11	1
Riley	Tavis	Pikeville High School	S	5'9	15
Jenny	Wessling	Assumption High School	L	5'7	7
Audrey	Whitworth	Breckinridge County High School	OH	5'4	3

## 2020 KVCA All-State Honorable Mention

First Name	Last Name	School	Position	Ht	Region
Madison	Adkins	West Carter High School	S	5'11	16
Abby	Baker	Boyd County High School	S	5'4	16
Bella	Blackburn	Paintsville High School	S	5'4	15
Keri	Blair	Tates Creek High School	MB	5'9	11
Payton	Brock	Southwestern High School	OH	6'1	12
Lexie	Deaton	Tates Creek High School	S	5'10	11
Alexis	Flieman	Madisonville-North Hopkins High School	L	5'3	2
Maddy	Foster	Southwestern High School	S	5'6	12
Kyndal	Ganoe	Bardstown High School	L	5'6	5
Addison	Gordon	Marion County High School	OH	5'8	5
Abby	Griggs	Caldwell County High School	MB	6'0	2
Sequoia	Hunt	Oldham County High School	MB	5'10	8
Julia	Hunt	Holy Cross High School	MB	6'1	9
Hailey	Little	Paintsville High School	MB		15
Abigail	Schaefer	St. Henry District High School	L	5'8	9
Ansley	Shields	Montgomery County High School	OH	5'11	10

