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## **COACH'S CORNER**

Coach Mandi Eden - Varsity

Mandi played high school volleyball in Davison, Michigan. Her team made it to the state quarterfinals her junior year. She later attended Cedarville University in Ohio and was blessed to be a member of the

volleyball team for two years before transferring to Cornerstone University in Grand Rapids. Shortly after graduation, Mandi began coaching freshman volleyball at East Grand Rapids High School and later coached club volleyball. After many years of coaching, Mandi transitioned to officiating. For more than 10 years, she honed her skills as an official before deciding to step away from volleyball to focus more on being a mom.



Mandi and her husband Scott have 3 children - Bailey, Alexa, and Graham. All three children are blessed with athleticism and desire to use their talents to glorify God in all they say and do. Both daughters love the game of volleyball and have led Mandi to make her way back to the coaching role.

Mandi believes sports are a major avenue for a child's development and growth through healthy competition. Many skills learned through sports translate directly to daily life and career work. Hard work and striving for excellence is a major aspect of healthy competition. Her strongest desire is for each athlete to use their Godgiven talents to bring glory to Him in all they say and do. Mandi is a firm believer that volleyball is more than just a game. It's a tool used to teach various life skills that the players can build on as they grow and mature.

RCV is pleased to have Mandi back as Varsity Coach, we appreciate her calm demeanor, her extensive knowledge of the game, and her encouraging coaching style.

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