



LONE STAR CONFERENCE VOLLEYBALL

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LSC STANDINGS

School	Conf	CPct.	Overall	Pct.	Streak	Home	Away	Neutral
West Texas A&M	12-0	1.000	23-3	0.885	W17	14-0	7-1	2-2
Angelo State	10-3	0.769	19-6	0.760	W7	12-1	5-2	2-3
Texas Woman's	9-4	0.692	18-8	0.692	W4	5-1	8-4	5-3
Tarleton State	7-5	0.583	14-10	0.583	W1	6-3	4-4	4-3
Texas A&M-Commerce	6-6	0.500	18-7	0.720	W1	5-3	7-4	6-0
Texas A&M-Kingsville	5-7	0.417	14-15	0.483	L3	5-5	5-6	4-4
Midwestern State	5-9	0.357	13-11	0.542	L1	5-6	6-4	2-1
Eastern New Mexico	3-9	0.250	5-16	0.238	L3	1-6	2-5	2-5
Cameron	0-14	0.000	6-20	0.231	L5	1-7	2-10	3-3

LSC VOLLEYBALL

West Texas A&M remains undefeated in Lone Star Conference action at 12-0 with a 17-game winning streak. League action continues this week with three matches Friday and four on Saturday.

The field is set for the LSC Championship to be hosted by the No. 1 seed November 21-23. WT, Angelo State, Texas Woman's, Tarleton State, A&M-Commerce, Texas A&M-Kingsville, Midwestern State, and Eastern New Mexico have clinched the eight spots.

LSC volleyball teams are 130-96 overall this season. The squads are currently 12-8 combined versus Rocky Mountain Athletic Conference teams, and 22-9 against the Heartland Conference, which are the other leagues in the NCAA South Central Region.

PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

OFFENSIVE

Lexi Davis, West Texas A&M University, SO, Dumas, Texas, Dumas HS

Davis had a monster week for the Lady Buffs as the sophomore middle tallied 32 total kills on 50 attempts to hit an impressive .600 as the #6 Lady Buffs moved to 23-3 overall with a 12-0 league mark with wins over Cameron, Eastern New Mexico and Southern Nazarene. The Dumas, Texas native had a career night on Friday as she tallied 11 kills on 12 swings to hit an incredible .917 on the match to tie a West Texas A&M single match record (Cristina Pereira, 9-20-91 vs. A&M-Commerce) in a sweep over the rival Zias of Eastern New Mexico. The sophomore followed up that performance with 12 kills on 20 swings on Saturday afternoon to lead WT to a sweep of Southern Nazarene at the WTAMU Fieldhouse "The Box" in Canyon.

Marcela Alves, Texas Woman's University, SR, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, Pinheiro Guimaraes

Alves helped the Pioneers to a 3-0 record last week with a team-best 31 kills, .459 hitting percentage, 40 points and 16 total blocks. TWU swept all three games to improve its record to 18-8 overall and 9-4 in LSC. Alves reached double digits in kills in all three games while hitting a .381 or better. On the season she is the team leader in kills per set (2.33), hitting percentage (.274), solo blocks (18) and total blocks (120).

DEFENSIVE

Shelby Wilt, Angelo State University, JR, Dalhart, Texas, Dalhart HS

Wilt supplied 7.00 digs per set last week in wins over St. Edward's and Texas A&M-Kingsville and helped the Belles improve their home record to 12-1 this season. Wilt had 17 digs in a sweep of the Hilltoppers in a non-conference match before having 25 in a three-set LSC win over the Javelinas. Wilt now has 446 digs this season (4.80 per set) and 1,680 career digs in her three seasons at ASU.

Morgan Wilson, Texas Woman's University, JR, White Oak, Texas, White Oak HS

Wilson helped the Pioneers to a 3-0 record last week with a team-best 42 digs (4.67 per set). TWU swept all three games to improve its record to 18-8 overall and 9-4 in LSC. Wilson recorded 13 or more digs in all three games to lead the Pioneers' defense. On the season she has a team best 444 digs and fourth in service aces (12).

SETTER

Maggi Jo Keffury, Angelo State University, JR, Arroyo, Calif., Arroyo Grande HS

Keffury finished last week with a staggering 13.67 assists per set average in a pair of sweeps of St. Edward's and Texas A&M-Kingsville in the Junell Center. She had 43 assists in the non-conference win over the Hilltoppers and then 39 in a three-set LSC victory against the Javelinas to set the Rambelles up for a .319 hitting percentage. Keffury has 999 assists coming into this week's matches against West Texas A&M and Eastern New Mexico. She is averaging 11.10 assists per set and has supplied 241 digs and leads the Belles with 23 aces.

Kimberly Bell, Texas Woman's University, FR, Allen, Texas, Allen HS

Bell helped the Pioneers to a 3-0 record last week with a team-best 57 assists (6.33 assists per set) in a 6-2 offense. TWU swept all three games while hitting at a .262 clip to improve its record to 18-8 overall and 9-4 in LSC. Bell also recorded 19 digs and three service aces. She posted 14 or more assists in all three games including 21 or more in two games. On the season Bell has 487 assists (4.97 per set) and a team-best 25 service aces.

FIRST SERVE

- Two LSC teams are ranked in AVCA poll (Nov. 4): No. 6 West Texas A&M and No. 17 Angelo State.

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

Tuesday, November 05, 2013

Northwestern Oklahoma at Cameron, 7 p.m.

Thursday, November 07, 2013

Texas A&M-Commerce at Texas A&M Int'l, 7 p.m.

Midwestern State at Northwestern Oklahoma, 7 p.m.

Friday, November 08, 2013

*A&M-Commerce at Texas A&M-Kingsville, 7 p.m.

*Angelo State at West Texas A&M, 7 p.m.

*Tarleton State at Eastern New Mexico, 8 p.m.

Saturday, November 09, 2013

*Texas Woman's at Texas A&M-Kingsville, 1 p.m.

*Cameron at Midwestern State, 2 p.m.

*Tarleton State at West Texas A&M, 2 p.m.

*Angelo State at Eastern New Mexico, 7 p.m.

*All times are CST; * denotes LSC game*

LAST WEEK'S RESULTS

Complete results at lonestarconference.org.

WEEKLY AWARDS

Offensive

S-10	Laura Iwuchukwu, WTAMU
	Maddie Huth, ASU
S-17	Stacie Murrah, TSU
	Maddie Huth, ASU
S-24	Arielle Bond, ASU
	Josie Santos, TWU
O-1	Amy Davault, A&M-C
	Maddie Huth, ASU
O-8	Lauren Bevan, WTAMU
	Kelsey Washington, TAMUK
O-15	Halie Harton, WTAMU
	Amy Davault, A&M-C
O-22	Halie Harton, WTAMU
	Lauren Frye, ENMU
O-29	Kelle Carver, CU
	Stacie Murrah, TSU
N-5	Lexi Davis, WTAMU
	Marcela Alves, TWU

Defensive

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	Kaitlyn Molloy, MSU
S-17	Emily Klein, TSU
	Laura Iwuchukwu, WTAMU
S-24	Morgan Wilson, TWU
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O-1	Marcela Alves, TWU
	Emily Klein, TSU
O-8	Laura Iwuchukwu, WTAMU
	Stephanie Johns, TAMUK
O-15	Laura Iwuchukwu, WTAMU
	Casey Fletcher, MSU
O-22	Hayley Couch, ENMU
	Shelby Wilt, ASU
O-29	Kaelen Valdez, ASU

OTHER TOP PERFORMERS

Maddie Huth, Angelo State University, helped lead the Belles to two wins last week with 10 kills in a non-conference contest against St. Edward's before having 14 kills on Senior Night in the Junell Center against Texas A&M-Kingsville. Huth hit .321 during the two matches and finished with 4.00 kills per set. She also led the Belles with six blocks and helped the team improve to 12-1 at home this season. Huth now has 296 kills this season (3.22 per set) and 1,053 in her career at Angelo State.

Jazmine Green, Tarleton State University, was an efficient offensive power for the TexAnns last week, lifting Tarleton to a win over Texas A&M-Kingsville with a career-high hitting performance. The senior from Houston tallied 17 kills for the week on a .389 hitting percentage. In Saturday's sweep of the Javelinas, Green totaled 12 kills with a career-high .526 hitting percentage. For the week, she was the team's leader in hitting percentage - for players with at least 10 attack attempts - at .389, which made her the only TexAnn to hit over .300 for the week and was .189 points higher than the next closest TexAnn.

Ciara Holmes, Texas A&M University - Commerce, set a new career high with 19 kills in a 3-2 comeback win over Cameron on 11/2. Holmes also tied a season high with five total blocks versus Midwestern State on 10/31. In the five set win over Cameron Holmes hit .378 marking the fifth time this season that she has hit at least .300 in a match.

Kayla Bond, Texas A&M University - Commerce, recorded a season high two solo blocks and six total blocks versus Midwestern State in a five set loss. The Denton native has now recorded at least four total blocks in five of her last seven matches for the Lions. Bond also totaled 16 points versus the Mustangs and the Aggies.

Jordan Neal, Texas A&M University - Commerce, recorded 50 assists twice this past week, giving her 10 games this season with 50+. The Joshua native continues to lead the LSC in assists with 11.45 assists per set. Neal has more assists than Midwestern State, Cameron and Eastern New Mexico do as teams this season. With her two aces this past week Neal has 23 on the season and is one of five Lions to have at least 20 this season.

Danielle Barker, Tarleton State University, guided the TexAnns to a 1-1 record last week, including a home sweep of Texas A&M-Kingsville last Saturday. The senior setter played every point of every set last week and tallied 78 assists for an average of 13.0 per set. She had 30 last Tuesday at Texas Woman's and a 48-assist effort, which was a season-high for a three-set match, Saturday against the Javelinas. She has recorded at least 30 assists in eight straight games and has topped the 40-assist mark in 15 games this season. She also added five kills on a .250 hitting percentage, 14 digs and two assisted blocks for the week.

LSC NOTES (Submitted by LSC SID's)

Angelo State

The Belles improved to 12-1 at the Junell Center this season with a pair of sweeps of St. Edward's and Texas A&M-Kingsville last week. ASU hit .319 during the two matches and limited the two opponents to a .030 hitting percentage. Maddie Huth finished the two matches with 24 kills with Kaelen Valdez adding 23 kills and 22 digs in a week where they were honored along with Leah McWilliams on Senior Night last Friday. Maggi Jo Keffury and Shelby Wilt also had strong performances with Keffury finishing the two-match week with 82 assists (13.67 per set) and Wilt contributing 42 digs (7.00 per set). ASU returns to

action this weekend with road matches at West Texas A&M and Eastern New Mexico.

Cameron

0-3 last week.

Eastern New Mexico

Eastern New Mexico lost to West Texas A&M in three sets last week. Courtney Lawson had a team-high eight kills while Lauren Frye added seven kills with a .250 attack percentage. This week the Zias play three matches beginning Tuesday at Lubbock Christian. ENMU then hosts Tarleton State and Angelo State on Friday and Saturday, respectively. Saturday's match will also serve as Eastern's senior night contest.

Midwestern State

Midwestern State split a pair of Lone Star Conference matches on the road last week upending Texas A&M-Commerce in five sets on Thursday before falling to Texas Woman's in three frames Saturday in Denton... The Mustangs have won each of their last three five-setters and are 8-4 when matches extend beyond three sets... The Mustangs remain in seventh place with a 5-9 mark in league play with home matches remaining against Cameron on Saturday and Texas A&M-Kingsville the following Thursday... Senior middle blocker Caitlin Wallace (40) needs four solo blocks to pass Ashley Hester (43 from 1997-00) to move into 10th place on MSU's all-time list... Wallace (279) needs 14 total blocks to pass Molly Truelove (292 total blocks from 1994-95, 97-98) to move into the third on MSU's all-time total blocks list... Wallace put down 14 kills in MSU's matches last week and needs 24 more to eclipse Geneva Hamond (908 kills from 1987-90) to move into 10th on the school's all-time kills list... Wallace ranks second in the LSC with a .332 attack percentage... Midwestern State is one of four teams from the LSC to rank in the top 15 in NCAA Division II averaging 18.41 digs per set to rank 12th joining Angelo State (21.26/1st), Tarleton State (18.72/8th) and Texas Woman's (18.30/15th)... Redshirt freshman defensive specialist Madelyn Johnson has posted double-figure digs in each of her last five matches and in seven of her last eight... Freshman setter Sarah Rosinke posted as season-high 40 assists in MSU's five-set win over Texas A&M-Commerce... Senior outside hitter Beatriz Villalba had a season-best 14 kills in MSU's win Thursday night at Texas A&M-Commerce... Freshman middle blocker Sarah Garfield has posted multiple blocks in each of her last 14 outings... Sophomore outside hitter Marissa Olivares posted consecutive double-doubles last week notching a season-high 16 kills to go along with 11 digs and four service aces Thursday at Texas A&M-Commerce then went for 10 kills and 11 digs Saturday at Texas Woman's. She has posted four double-doubles over her last five outings... Senior middle blocker Caitlin Wallace notched her 11th double figure kill performance of the season with 10 kills and six blocks at Texas A&M-Commerce... Senior outside hitter Marija Javonovic averaged 2.38 kills per set last week while hitting .333 including an 11-kill, 11-assist effort with three blocks Friday against Texas A&M-Commerce...

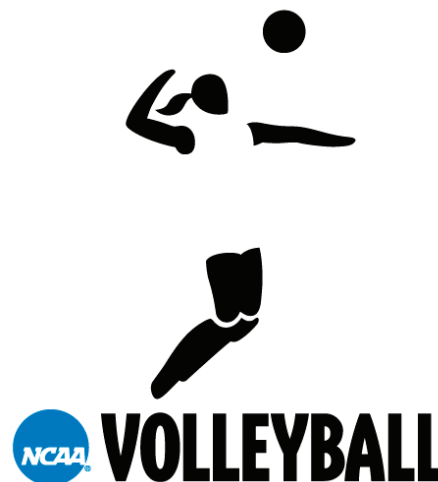
Tarleton State

Tarleton State went 1-1 last week in a pair of sweeps. On Tuesday, the TexAnns were swept by Texas Woman's before bouncing back to hand Texas A&M-Kingsville a sweep in Saturday's first match in Wisdom Gym in two weeks. The TexAnns have three straight on the road before returning home on Nov. 16 for their regular season finale.

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Texas A&M-Commerce

A&M-Commerce wanted to give the fans their money's worth this week, playing five set matches versus SE Okla., Midwestern State and Cameron. The Lions went 2-1 over those five-set matches. That makes seven of their last nine matches five-set affairs. The Lions came back from a 2-0 lead versus Cameron to get back to 6-6 in LSC play on 11/2. A&M-C is heading south this week with matches vs. A&M-International and A&M-Kingsville.

Texas A&M-Kingsville

Javelinas went 1-3 last week as they completed a stretch of six matches in nine days...The Javelinas play their final two home matches of the season this weekend as they host A&M-Commerce on Friday at 7 p.m. and Texas Woman's on Saturday at 1 p.m. Saturday's match will be Senior Day for Kingsville's lone senior Dedra Brown...Kelsey Washington has 952 kills in just under three full seasons of play ranking her seventh in career kills. She will be the seventh player in the program's history to post 1,000 in a career. Washington is sixth in career attacks with 2,624...Dedra Brown is currently third all-time in kills per set. In 222 sets, the lone senior is averaging 3.09 a game...Junior Stephanie Johns ranks amongst the career leaders in blocks. Her 178 block assists are seventh and her 214 total blocks are sixth...The Javelina volleyball team is being featured in a series of Youtube videos by Life After Sportz.

Texas Woman's

TWU volleyball swept all three opponents in straight sets last week to improve its record to 18-8 overall and 9-4 in the Lone Star Conference. Seniors Marcela Alves and Josie Santos led the Pioneers' attack with 31 kills each. Alves also posted a .459 hitting percentage and 16 total blocks. Junior Morgan Wilson was the team leader on defense with 42 digs while freshman Kimberly Bell and junior Kayla Rivero ran a 6-2 offense and recorded 57 and 52 assists respectively. The Pioneers dominated at the net with 30.0 total blocks. On the season TWU has 261.5 total blocks led by Alves with 120. Senior Chloe' Tate has 103 total blocks and leads the team in kills with 218. Five players has 151 or more kills this season led by Tate.

West Texas A&M

The #6 Lady Buffs continued to roll through the Lone Star Conference this past weekend as they registered a sweep of rival Eastern New Mexico on Friday night before handing non-conference foe Southern Nazarene a three set defeat on Saturday to move to 23-3 on the season with a perfect 12-0 mark in the LSC. The Lady Buffs were led by Lexi Davis who tallied 23 kills on 32 swings to hit .688 on the weekend including an 11 kill performance on Friday night that saw the sophomore hit .917 (11-of-12) to tie a WT single match record with Cristina Pereira (9-20-91 vs. A&M-Commerce). WT looks to clinch their 18th LSC Title this weekend as #17 Angelo State and Tarleton State come to Canyon where the Lady Buffs hold a 22 match home win streak.