

## 2020 IRONWOOD RIDGE WOMEN'S INDOOR VOLLEYBALL

Welcome to Ironwood Ridge Volleyball! The great thing about being a Nighthawk Volleyball player is that you get to be a part of a program and a school that thrive on building tradition and excellence. It means that you are committed to hard work and dedication on and off the court... It means playing in front of some of the loudest and most supportive fans in the city... It means playing against the best teams at one of the highest divisions in the State... It means wearing the school colors with pride... It means doing your best in athletics and academics...

It is a unique and special feeling to be a Nighthawk – being part of this program is a privilege and if you have what it takes to wear a uniform, we'd like to see you at the 2020 Player Evaluations!

### INDOOR VOLLEYBALL INFORMATION

<b>Volleyball Season</b>	Fall Season (August-November)
<b>Teams Fielded</b>	Varsity; Junior Varsity; Freshman
<b>Players per team</b>	14
<b>Practices</b>	Afterschool, 5 practices a week including some Saturday practices
<b>Competitions</b>	18 total (2 matches per week)

### 2020 EVALUATIONS (TRYOUTS)

<b>Official Start Date</b>	<b>August 10, 2020</b>
<b>Tryout Schedule</b>	<b>Times to be announced</b>
<b>Evaluation Criteria (in order)</b>	A. Athletic Clearance B. Academic Record (must be eligible) 1. Attitude 2. Athletic Ability 3. Positional Skill and/or Potential

### 2020 OFF-SEASON PREPARATION

<b>Athletics Open House</b>	<b>Canceled</b>
<b>Informational Meeting</b>	<b>Postponed Indefinitely</b>

The COVID-19 pandemic has created unprecedented uncertainty in planning the 2020 Off-Season and the Fall Volleyball Season. The Volleyball Program will not be hosting any **Informational Meetings** during the Spring and Summer until allowed by the State and District.

In the meantime, the coaching staff has established **Google Classrooms** for returning and prospective players to assist in preparing for the volleyball season until in-person training can safely begin.

**New Players Google Classroom Join Code:** **d3z1tgd**

For more information about the volleyball program or the Off-Season, please visit our website.

**nighthawkvolleyball.com/offseason**

### PERENNIAL POWER

Ironwood Ridge Volleyball has been setting the standard as the best high school volleyball program in Southern Arizona since it's first Varsity season in 2002...

**Local Power:** A 176-10 overall record over Southern Arizona teams since 2007

**Lucky 13:** The most Region Titles (13) since 2002 with 172-22 record

**State Streak:** 17 years in the State Tournament – the longest active streak

**Tough Enough:** Nighthawks play statistically the toughest schedule each year

**National Schedule:** Invitational include competing in three States

**Home-Sweet-Home:** Ironwood Ridge is 150-25 when playing at home

**Our House:** The Volleyball Gym was selected as the Nation's Best Home Court Advantage by prepvolleyball.com and ESPNHS in 2011.

**Athletic-Students:** AVCA All-Academic Team Award: 2002-18

### IRVB QUICK FACTS

<b>Overall Volleyball Record</b>	<b>485-241 (.668)</b>
<b>Volleyball Region Champion</b>	<b>13 (2004, 2007-15, 2017-19)</b>
<b>State Tournament Bids</b>	<b>17 (2003-2019)</b>
<b>Final-Four Appearances</b>	<b>9 ('04, '07-'10, '12-'14, '16)</b>
<b>State Final Appearances</b>	<b>2 (2004, 2014)</b>
<b>AVCA Team Academic Award</b>	<b>18 (2002-2018; 2019 pending)</b>
<b>Region Players of the Year</b>	<b>11 (2004, 2007-14, 2018-19)</b>
Michelle McLain (2004)   Krista Kallish (2007)   Malyree Harper (2008) Michaela Christiaansen (2009-10)   Chloe Heinemann (2011) Aunesty Jantz (2012, 2014)   Mykaela Hammer (2013) Katie Birtcil (2018)   Andrea Vigil-German (2019)	
<b>Southern Arizona Player of the Year</b>	
Michelle McLain (2004)   Christina Solverson (2007) Michaela Christiaansen (2010)   Kennedy Kurtz (2013) Jordan Weatherless (2014)	

### CAMP INFORMATION

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