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GROSSMONT COLLEGE MEN'S VOLLEYBALL PROGRAM 2007





HEAD COACH - FRED FEATHERSTONE

Coach Featherstone will be entering his eighteenth year as head coach of the Griffins men's program. In '05 the Griffs reached post-season playoff competition for the twelfth time since 1990, Featherstone's first year. During Featherstone's tenure, Grossmont has secured three, third place finishes at the State Tournament since '90; one Orange Empire Conference Championship ('00); and he has been selected Coach of the Year four times ('94, '98, '00-men; '95-women). Last year, the Griffins started six freshmen and fell one win short of making the regionals. In addition to coaching the Grossmont program since '90, Featherstone founded the Seaside Boys Junior Development Program in San Diego and remains the club director.

Seaside has experienced unprecedented regional and national success under Featherstone's leadership. The club has medaled eight times in the open division of the United States Volleyball Association Junior Olympics including three ('92, '97, '06) National Championships at the 18 and under level. This past summer, Seaside 18 Black, led by California and San Diego Athlete of the Year, Chase Budinger (La Costa Canyon High School), and All CIF, two-sport standout Garrett Muagututia (Francis Parker High School), Seaside won its third National Championship at the Junior Olympics in July, in Minneapolis, Minnesota. This year ('06-'07), Featherstone is back coaching Seaside 18 Black along with Grossmont College men.

Seaside has sent over 200 boys to college programs during the past sixteen years with Featherstone directing the club. Coach Featherstone has had the privilege of coaching (5) former Seaside players who have been a part of the USA Men's National Team over the past ten years: Erik Sullivan (LCC), Scott Bunker (Orange Glen), Richard Lambourne (Serra), David Lee (Granite Hills) and Reid Priddy. From Grossmont College, Featherstone coached former Olympians James Hammerstrand and Ben Bodipo, and current Pro Beach (AVP) star Mat Olson. In addition, Grossmont has sent over 40 student-athletes on to four-year programs since 1990.

Coach Featherstone prepped at Mira Costa High School in Manhattan Beach, California. Fred began the school's first boy's volleyball program at the school in 1964. Since then, Micohi has produced more high school All Americans (both male and female), and won more state titles than any high school in the nation. In Featherstone's words . . . "volleyball has been good fun both as a player and coach . . . I was raised four blocks away from the Manhattan Beach pier, the site of the famous Manhattan Beach Open, the 'Wimbledon' of beach volleyball . . . and was fortunate to be able to play in this tournament and many others over the years from age 16 on. . . volleyball and surfing have been a major part of my lifestyle! I see the sport as the ultimate indoor team game and the beach game as the premier outdoor sport . . . Out West, this is the lifestyle and sport of choice for thousands of young males . . . Simply, this is what we do--ride waves and spike volleyballs . . . The sport belongs . . . It is my mission to help the process along as long as I'm physically and mentally able to do it."

Featherstone's other volleyball coaching stints include the U.S.I.U. (United States International University) women's program from 1980-86, where he led the Division I program into national prominence in 1986; La Jolla High School boys ('73, '74); Southwestern College men ('76, '77) and girls and boys club with the San Diego Volleyball Club ('87-'89). In 1991, Fred coached the men's west team in the Summer Olympic Festival in Los Angeles. Fred is a certified USVBA Cap II program coach and his college career victory total stands at 262.

Featherstone was a three-sport athlete at San Diego State (football, track, volleyball) from '65-'70 and holds a master's degree in physical education from SDSU. At SDSU, Fred was an All American as a sprinter in '66 and '67 and played wide receiver and defensive back on the 1966 and '67 small college national championship football teams coached by Don Coryell. In volleyball, Featherstone has won numerous beach volleyball tournaments including two back-to-back Masters beach doubles championships ('99 and '00) at the 50-54 age level.

Fred is married to wife Cheryl who has two children, Denny and Stacy. Fred's brother John is the Head Football Coach at El Camino College in Torrance, California. Fred and Cheryl like to spend time at the beach in San Diego and travel often through Baja California.

2006 SEASON RESULTS

| | | |
|------------------|-----|-----|
| Long Beach City | (L) | 1-3 |
| @ El Camino | (W) | 3-1 |
| Santa Barbara | (L) | 0-3 |
| Moorpark | (L) | 2-3 |
| @ Santa Monica | (L) | 1-3 |
| @ L.A. Pierce | (L) | 1-3 |
| Palomar | (W) | 3-0 |
| @ Orange Coast | (L) | 3-1 |
| San Diego Mesa | (W) | 3-0 |
| @ Irvine Valley | (L) | 2-3 |
| Golden West | (W) | 3-2 |
| Orange Coast | (W) | 3-2 |
| @ San Diego Mesa | (L) | 0-3 |
| Irvine Valley | (L) | 2-3 |
| @ Palomar | (W) | 3-1 |
| @ Golden West | (L) | 0-3 |

Final Record: 6-10

State Championship Results:

3rd Place: Irvine Valley, Santa Monica
2nd Place: L.A. Pierce
1st Place: Long Beach City



Travis Lee attacking

GROSSMONT FACTS

Enrollment16,500
 NicknameGriffins
 School Colors . . .Forest Green, Gold, and Black
 Gym Capacity2,000
 Interim PresidentDean Colli, Ed.D.
 Athletic DirectorJim Spillers
 Head Trainer(s) . . .Donivan Marthis, Chris Ray

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SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA MEN'S VOLLEYBALL MEMBER COLLEGES

Grossmont, Palomar, Orange Coast, Golden West,
 San Diego Mesa, Irvine Valley, Long Beach City,
 Santa Monica, L.A. Pierce, Santa Barbara, El
 Camino, Moorpark, San Diego City

WHERE HAVE THE GRIFFINS GONE?

| | | |
|-------|---|--|
| 1990: | Ben Bodipo John Riley | Men's National Team '93-'94 SDSU |
| 1991: | Ed Jackson Phil Jackson Sean Sullivan Brian Cremascoli | Sacramento St., '92-'93 SDSU 1992-93 SDSU 1992-93 Loyola, Chicago, 97-'98 |
| 1992: | James Hammerstrand (Men's National Team 1995) Louis Borowitz | SDSU '93-'94 Ohio St. 1994 |
| 1994: | Chuck Moore Drew Naifeh Mike Downey (After Mormon Mission 1995-96) | Long Beach St. BYU (Fall '95) BYU |
| 1995: | Ryan Niles | SDSU 1996-1997 |
| 1996: | Joe Knight | Rutgers 1998 |
| 1998: | Jed Stotsenberg | SDSU 1999 |
| 1999: | Justin Jones | SDSU 2000 |
| 1999: | Mike Burke Derran Cannon | BYU 2001 BYU 2001 |
| 2000: | Mat Olson | U. of Arizona, 2000 |
| 2000: | Nate Michael | U. of La Verne 2000 |
| 2001: | Jerry Stevens | William Woods U. 2002 |
| 2002: | Reuban Danley Corey Fox Nick Brockman Steve Bixby | UCSD 2003 USD 2003 UC Santa Cruz 2003 William Woods 2003 |
| 2003: | Jeff Conover Justin Harris | CS Northridge 2004 Univ. of Hawaii 2004 |
| 2004: | Cory Dudley | UCSD 2005 |
| 2005: | Brian Vilven | New York Univ., 2006 |
| | Tyler Roberts | Univ. of Hawaii, 2006 |
| | Nick Ellis | CS Northridge, 2006 |
| | Mike Ortiz | UC Irvine, 2006 |
| | Scott Crusey | Univ. of Arizona, 2006 |
| 2006: | Alex Garibay | CS Long Beach, 2007 |



GROSSMONT COLLEGE MEN'S VOLLEYBALL

CAREER STATISTICAL LEADERS

Total Kills:

Scott Downey - '96, '98 - 529
 Mat Olson - '99-'00 - 490
 Corey Dudley - '03-'04 - 473
 Ed Jackson - '90-'91 - 404
 Tyler McCallan - '02, '04 - 403
 Mike Downey - '93-'94 - 390
 Matt Clark - '92-'93 - 365
 Dave Stepp - '94-'95 - 344
 Chuck Moore - '93-'94 - 313
 Lance Laxson - '95-'96 - 309
 Nate Michael - '00 - 303
 Hakuin Haas - '95-'96 - 295
 Ryan Motter - '01-'02 - 287
 Paul Cook - '91-'93 - 280
 Ryan Niles - '94-'95 - 278
 Justin Harris - '02-'03 - 254
 Rob Pitois - '96 - 253
 Kerry Sagers - '95-'96 - 253
 Mike Adamosky - '97 - 242
 Tyler Schielke - '06 - 237
 Jerry Stevens - '00-'01 - 222
 Ryan Kiser-'97, '98 -220
 Tony Comacho - '91-'92 - 215
 Sonny Knight - '95-'96 - 210
 Mike Burke - '99 - 209
 Reuban Danley - '01-'02 - 209
 Corey Fox - '01-'02 - 206
 Sean Sullivan -'90-'91 - 204
 Merl Woods - '03, '05 - 200
 Derran Cannon - '99 -182
 Frank Effron - '92-'93 - 177
 Brett O'Keefe - '93-'94 - 176
 Nick Kent - '04-'05 - 175
 Leonardo Moraes - '99-'00 - 174
 Phil Jackson - '90-'91 -168

Single-Season Kills:

Scott Downey - 304 - '98
 Mike Downey - 281 - '94
 Tyler McCallan - 279 - '02
 Corey Dudley - 264 - '04
 Matt Olson - 258 - '99
 Lance Laxson - 257 - '95
 Rob Pitois - 253 - '96
 Bryan Simons - 245 - '98
 Ed Jackson - 244 - '91
 Mike Adamosky - 242 - '97
 Tyler Schielke - 237 - '06
 Paul Cook - 237 - '93
 Scott Downey - 225 - '96
 Justin Harris - 215 - '03
 Mike Burke - 209 - '99
 Ryan Niles - 198 - '95
 Sonny Knight - 190 - '96
 Matt Clark - 189 - '93
 Jason Yhost - 188 - '05
 Jerry Stevens - 182 - '01
 Derran Cannon - 182 - '99
 Tony Comacho - 181 - '92
 Chuck Moore - 177 - '94
 Dave Stepp - 174 - '94
 Ryan Motter - 170 - '02
 Ryan Kiser - 169 - '97
 Serio Meredith - 167 - '00
 Junior Boncz - 163 - '97
 James Hammerstrand - 159 -'92
 Nate Michael - 157 - '99
 Leonardo Moraes - 151- '00
 Mike Belsky - 150 - '92

Akitomo Suzuki - 143 - '06
 Sonny Jensen - 144 - '00
 Hakuin Haas - 144 - '95
 Chris Steineke - 142 - '98
 Brett O'Keefe - 142 - '94
 Nick Kent - 138 - '04
 Frank Effron - 137 - '93
 Matt Mallay - 130 - '93
 Josh Snyder - 128 - '94
 Kerry Sagers - 125 - '95
 Tyler Roberts - 122 - '05
 Reuben Danley - 111 - '01
 Corey Fox - 101 - '01
 Corey Fox - 105 - '02
 Merl Woods - 104 - '03

Hitting Percentage (Based on 100 attempts or more):

Leonardo Moraes - '00 - .583
 Tim Ranson - '00 - .548
 Mike Burke - '99 - .541
 Jeff Conover - '02-'03 - .520
 Sonny Jensen - '00 - .505
 Bryan Simons - '98 - .479
 Justin Harris - '02-'03 - .478
 Tim Taber - '91 - .469
 Paul Cook - '91,'93 - .462
 Merl Woods - '03, '05 - .456
 Ryan Niles - '94-'95 - .448
 Serio Meredith - '00 - .435
 Jeff Conover - '02 - .433
 Rob Pitois - '96 - .426
 James Hammerstrand - '92 - .408
 Brian Vilven - '05 - .408
 Ryan Niles - '94 - .406
 Ben Bodipo - '90 - .401
 Tevita Mickelson - '06 - .393
 Matt Touchstone - '99 - .389
 Derek Rockwell - '04 - .386
 Mat Olson - '99-'00 - .385
 Derran Cannon - '99 - .385
 Sonny Knight - '95-'96 - .384
 Brandon Booth - '03, '04 - .383
 Mike Ortiz - '04, '05 - .364
 Mike Ortiz - '04 - .360
 Chris Kern - '98 - .359
 Steve Rindfleish - '06 - .355
 Jerry Stevens - '00-'01 - .349
 Ed Jackson - '90-'91 - .344
 Phil Jackson - '90-'91 - .344
 Dave Stepp - '94-'95 - .344
 Corey Fox - '01-'02 - .340
 Mike Downey - '93-'94 - .334
 Greg Ronshauson - '97 - .338
 Nate Michael - '00 - .328
 James Conly - '98 - .325
 Scott Downey - '96, '98 - .323
 John Shirk - '91-'92 - .320
 Chuck Moore - '93-'94 - .312
 Chris Steineke - '98 - .312
 Matt Mallay - '93-'94 - .308
 Tyler Schielke - .06 - .307
 Brian Bernzen - '98 - .306
 Brett O'Keefe - '93-'94 - .304
 Ryan Motter - '01-'02 - .301
 Mike Belsky - '92 - .300
 Alex Garibay - '05, '06 - .300

Blocks:

Justin Harris - 140
 Dave Stepp - 137
 Mike Ortiz - 112
 Cory Dudley - 109
 Leonardo Moraes - 108
 Corey Fox - 103
 Paul Cook - 95
 Sonny Jensen - 91
 Jeff Conover - 90
 Chuck Moore - 86
 Rob Pitois - 85
 Ryan Motter - 83
 Mat Olson - 83
 Scott Downey - 81
 Ryan Niles - 75
 Sonny Knight - 74
 Nate Michael - 74
 Corey Dudley - 73
 Brandon Booth - 71
 Drew Naifeh - 71
 Merl Woods - 71
 Mike Downey - 69
 Mike Burke - 68
 John Shirk - 60
 Matt Touchstone - 60
 Reuban Danley - 55
 Phil Jackson - 55
 Tyler McCallan - 54
 James Hammerstrand - 52
 Ben Bodipo - 50
 Hakuin Haas - 49
 Kerry Sagers - 47
 Dane Jensen - 46
 Frank Effron - 45
 Tyler Roberts - 45

Digs:

Mat Touchstone - 277
 Justin Peterson - 224
 Scott Downey - 220
 Mat Olson - 212
 Matt Clark - 184
 Nick Ellis - 164
 Frank Effron - 159
 Mike Downey - 150
 Chuck Moore - 144
 Nick Brockman - 132
 Hakuin Haas - 132
 Matt Olson - 127
 Sonny Knight - 120
 Nate Michael - 119
 Paul Araiza - 118
 Tyler McCallan - 112
 John Shirk - 110
 Derran Cannon - 103
 Drew Naifeh - 105
 Mike Belsky - 99
 Kerry Sagers - 95
 Dave Stepp - 90
 John Zuffinetti - 86
 Mike Adamosky - 78
 Phil Jackson - 75
 Lance Laxson - 71
 Brett O'Keefe - 70
 Cory Dudley - 67
 Chris Yturralde - 66

Serving Aces:

Scott Downey - 47
 Cory Dudley - 35
 Jason Yhost - 33
 Chuck Moore - 32
 Mat Touchstone - 30
 Justin Harris - 28
 Lance Laxson - 28
 Hakuin Haas - 27
 Dave Stepp - 27
 Nate Michael - 26
 Mike Downey - 25
 Ed Jackson - 25
 Tyler McCallan - 24
 Mike Adamosky - 24
 Ryan Motter - 20
 John Zuffinetti - 19
 Jeff Conover - 19
 Brett O'Keefe - 18
 Corey Dudley - 17
 Rob Pitois - 17
 Matt Clark - 16
 Ryan Kiser - 16
 John Shirk - 16
 Jerry Stevens - 16
 Mike Ortiz - 15
 Tyler McCallan - 15
 Phil Jackson - 15
 Rocky Koenig - 15
 Brian Bernzen - 14
 Kerry Sagers - 14
 Bryan Simons - 14
 Mat Olson - 14
 Jed Stotsenberg - 14
 Tyler Roberts - 12
 Jeff Conover - 12
 Mike Belsky - 12
 Josh Kendall - 12
 Justin Jones - 12
 Greg Ronshausen - 12
 Mat Wilkinson - 12
 Tyler Roberts - 12
 Drew Naifeh - 11
 Serio Meredith - 11
 Reuban Danley - 11
 Paul Araiza - 11

Assists:

Mat Wilkinson - 930 - '00 (17.55/game)
 Drew Naifeh - 885 - '94 (14.75/game)
 Brian Cremascoli - 798 - '91 (15.6/game)
 Kurt Vesecky - 744 - '95 (13.05/game)
 Justin Jones - 701 -'99 (14.01/game)
 Jeff Conover - 649 - '03 (11.0/game)
 Dan Limon - 650 - '96 (10.48/game)
 Jed Stotsenberg - 585 - '98 (11.04/game)
 Derek Larson - 583 - '04 (9.89/game)
 Jason Sanders - 511 - '05 (8.24/game)
 Rocky Koenig - 371 - '01 (5.8/game)
 Jaime Lopez - 272 - '06 (6.63/game)
 Ryan Motter - 203 - '01 (3.27/game)

Career:

Drew Naifeh - 1327 - '93-'94 (13.68/game)
 Jeff Conover - 1294 - '02, '03 (11.25/game)
 Mat Wilkinson - 930 - '00 (17.55/game)
 Dan Limon - '841- 96-'97 (7.0/game)
 Kurt Vesecky - 801 - '94, '95 (12.32/game)
 Brian Cremascoli - 798 - '91 (15.6/game)
 Mark Nolan - 710 - '97, '98 (7.88/game)
 Justin Jones - 701 - '99 (14.01/game)
 Jason Sanders - 686 - '04, '05 (6.6/game)
 Derek Larson - 583 - '04 (9.89/game)
 John Strasner - 548 - '91-'92 (7.83/game)
 Louis Borowitz - 502 - '92-'93 (11.16/game)

GRIFFIN MEN'S VOLLEYBALL ACCOMPLISHMENTS DOWN THROUGH THE YEARS

- 1981** 3rd Place State Tournament
All Conference - Greg Glassman, Dale Hoffman, Mike Sernet, Jeff Lane
- 1982** 3rd Place State Tournament
All State - Dale Hoffman, Tim Meredith
- 1990/91** All Conference - Ben Bodipo, Ed Jackson, Phil Jackson
Olympic Festival - Ben Bodipo ('90)
USA Men's Team - Ben Bodipo ('94, '95)
- 1992** 3rd Place South Coast Conference; record 7-5
Southern California Regional Playoffs
All Conference - James Hammerstrand, Mat Clark, Mike Belsky, Louis Borowitz
USA Men's Team - James Hammerstrand ('94-'96)
- 1993** 2nd Place Orange Empire Conference; record 14-5
Southern California Regional Playoffs
All Conference - Paul Cook, Drew Naifah, Mat Clark, Frank Effron
- 1994** 2nd Place Orange Empire Conference; record 16-5
Southern California Regional Playoff Champions
Champions - 1st Annual Susie Haywood Memorial Tournament
- 3rd Place State Tournament
All Conference - Mike Downey, Chuck Moore, Brett O'Keefe
All State - Drew Naifeh
Coach of the Year - Fred Featherstone
- 1995** Overall Record 9-8
All Conference - Ryan Niles, Dave Stepp
- 1996** Overall Record 11-6
2nd Place Santa Barbara Tournament
All Conference - Rob Pitois, Scott Downey, Sonny Knight
Olympic Festival - Scott Downey ('97)
- 1997** All Conference - Mike Adamosky
- 1998** 3rd Place Orange Empire Conference; Record 11-6
Southern California Regional Playoffs
All Conference - Scott Downey; Bryan Simons
Coach of the Year - Fred Featherstone
- 1999** 2nd Place Orange Empire Conference; Record 13-3
Southern California Regional Playoff Champions
Champions - Long Beach City Tournament
Champions - Golden West Tournament
3rd Place State Tournament
All Conference - Justin Jones, Mat Touchstone, Mat Olson, Mike Burke,
Derran Cannon
- 2000** Orange Empire Conference Champions
Best record in State - 15-1
Second place - Long Beach City Tournament
Second place - Grossmont Tournament
Second place - University of Arizona Tournament
3rd Place State Tournament
All Conference - Mat Wilkinson, Leonardo Moraes, Nate Michael, Serio Meredith,
Gary Jensen, Mat Touchstone
MVP Orange Empire Conference - Mat Olson
All State - Mat Olson
Coach of the Year - Fred Featherstone

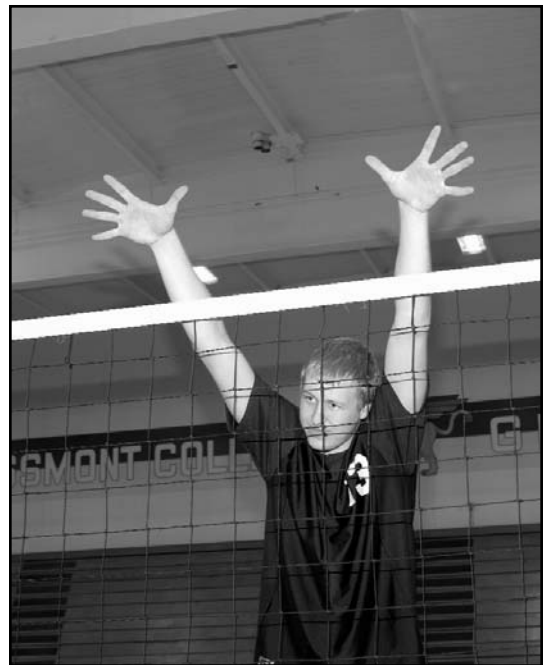
GRIFFIN MEN'S VOLLEYBALL ACCOMPLISHMENTS

DOWN THROUGH THE YEARS *(CONTINUED)*

- 2001 All Conference - Jerry Stevens, Rocky Koenig, Ryan Motter
- 2002 2nd Place Orange Empire Conference; Record 11-6
Southern California Regional Playoffs
All Conference - Ryan Motter, Jeff Conover, Corey Fox, Justin Peterson,
Tyler McCallan
- 2003 2nd Place Orange Empire Conference; Record 10-6
Southern California Regional Playoffs
All Conference - Jeff Conover, Justin Peterson, Justin Harris, Corey Dudley
- 2004 3rd Place San Diego State University - Invitational Volleyball Tournament
All Conference - Corey Dudley, Derek Larson
- 2005 3rd Place Orange Empire Conference; Record 9-7 - Southern California Regional Playoffs
All Conference - Merl Woods, Tyler Roberts, Jason Sanders, Mike Ortiz
- 2006 3rd Place Grossmont Invitational Tournament and Long Beach City Invitational All Conference -
Akitomo Suzuki, Jaime Lopez, Tyler Schielke



*Dane Jensen attacking
Jimmy Lopez setting*



Tyler Schielke blocking