



Name: Karlee Lursen

Team: Head Coach 15 REN

Coaching Experience:

- Assistant Coach, Hamline University – 1 Year
- Assistant Coach, 16-1s, Minnesota One – 1 Year
- Director of Volleyball operations, Illinois State University – 1 Year
- Assistant Coach, 18 Cardinal, Illini Elite – 1 Year
- Assistant Coach, Belmont University – 3 Years
- Assistant Coach, Ensworth High School – 1st Season
- 5th Season at Alliance (worked with 17-1s, 11-1s and now 15REN)

Playing Experience:

- Played 4 years of Division 1 volleyball at Southeast Missouri State University in the Ohio Valley Conference
- College highlight was beating the University of Iowa my senior year in their home gym to win their preseason tournament
- Played club at Northern Lights for 5 years and Minnesota One my senior year (13-1, 14-1, 15-1, 16-2, 17-1, 18-1)
- Won 2 open qualifiers my 18s year and finished in the top 15 of open at USA Nationals both my junior and Senior year
- Finished 2nd at AAUs my 16s season and was name AAU All-American
- 3-year varsity starter at Eastview High School in Apple Valley, Minnesota
- High school highlight was finishing runner up in the state tournament

Education:

- Bachelor of Science in Multi-Media Journalism – Southeast Missouri State University
- Master of Sport of Administration – Belmont University

Professional:

- I work with Music City Pickleball every morning and outside of that I coach high school and club and do training and private lessons for a living! They say if you love what you do it's not work at all 😊

Personal:

- My parents (Kelly and Cora) are in the process of retiring and moved to Cape Coral, Florida
- Brother (Jared) lives in Seattle with his wife Megan and works at Boeing
- When I'm not coaching volleyball, you can probably find me playing volleyball
- Any other free time I have I enjoy spending time with friends and traveling to new cities creating new memories!