

**Position Title:** Head Volleyball Coach **Reports To:** Athletic Director / Principal

Position Type: Stipend

### **Position Overview**

St. Michael Catholic High School seeks a passionate, knowledgeable, and faith-driven Head Volleyball Coach to lead our volleyball program. The Head Coach is responsible for developing student-athletes in body, mind, and spirit, in keeping with the mission of St. Michael Catholic High School to develop leaders, scholars and disciples of Jesus Christ. The role requires fostering a positive and disciplined team culture, emphasizing sportsmanship, teamwork, and excellence both on and off the court.

## Responsibilities

#### Spiritual & Character Development

- Model and promote the values of Catholic education and integrate faith formation into the athletic experience.
- Encourage student-athletes to grow in leadership, responsibility, and integrity.
- o Plan a service project for the program to participate in.

#### Program Leadership

- o Direct all aspects of the high school volleyball program, including varsity, junior varsity, and middle school levels.
- Plan, organize, and conduct effective practices and training sessions including a first period Varsity Athletic class.
- o Recruit, mentor, and supervise assistant coaches.
- Develop strategies for individual and team improvement while promoting enjoyment of the sport.

### Game & Event Management

- Prepare the team for competition through scouting, film review, and tactical planning.
- Ensure proper conduct and appearance of players during practices, games, and school events.
- Coordinate with the Athletic Director regarding scheduling, transportation, and facility use.

### Communication & Community Engagement

- o Communicate regularly with parents, players, and school administration.
- Foster positive relationships with students, faculty, and the broader school community.
- Represent the school and program with professionalism and sportsmanship at all times.

#### Administrative Duties

- o Oversee program budget and equipment needs.
- o Ensure compliance with school, AHSAA policies, including DragonFly
- Attend Alabama State High School Activities Association (AHSAA) rules meetings, and adhere to rules and regulations of AHSAA.
- Maintain player eligibility and academic accountability in partnership with teachers and counselors.

## Qualifications

- Must be 21 years or older.
- High school degree required, bachelors preferred.
- Prior coaching experience at the high school, club, or collegiate level (head coaching experience preferred).
- Commitment to the mission and values of St. Michael Catholic High School.
- Strong knowledge of volleyball rules, techniques, and strategies.
- Excellent organizational, communication, and leadership skills.
- Ability to serve as a positive role model for young men and women.
- Have a valid driver's license, be able to drive, and qualify under the archdiocesan insurance carrier when driving a school vehicle.
- Completion of required archdiocesan and state background checks, child protection training, CPR/First Aid certification, and Dragonfly training requirements.

## **Working Conditions**

 Position includes a first period class Monday-Thursday, with evening and some weekend commitments, along with some travel including overnights.

# How to Apply

- Send letter cover letter and resume to David Offerle, Athletic Director, david.offerle@stmichaelchs.org
- Closing Date: November 1, 2025 or until filled

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