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Abraham Lincoln High School Welcomes Back Darrington as Head Volleyball Coach

(Council Bluffs, Iowa) – Katie Darrington will return to lead the Abraham Lincoln High School Volleyball program in 2026. She will succeed Alyssa Jeffrey who has been the head coach since 2023.

Coach Darrington was the head volleyball coach from 2016-2022. During that time, the Lynx had an overall record of 160-125, appeared at the 2019 state tournament, and made it to the regional final in the 2021 and 2022 seasons.

She had stepped down from the position to spend more time with her own children during their busy high school years.

The entire ALHS Athletic Department is excited to welcome Coach Darrington back to the Lynx family.

"Coach Darrington's passion for the game, combined with her history of success here, makes her the perfect leader to inspire our players and build upon our proud volleyball tradition." AL Activities Director Jeff Novotny said.

"Coming back to Abraham Lincoln feels like coming home. This program has meant so much to me, and I'm excited for the opportunity to give back, build relationships with our players, and be part of something bigger than ourselves," Darrington said.

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