



CEVA BOARD OF DIRECTORS BIOGRAPHIES

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Members are listed in alphabetical order by last name.

JENNA COX (DIVERSITY & INCLUSION REPRESENTATIVE)

Jenna Cox was elected to the CEVA Board of Directors as an At-Large representative in July of 2022. In 2023, she was elected to a two-year term as the region's Diversity & Inclusion Representative. She will serve as the Chair of the Diversity & Inclusion Committee, which oversees the region's efforts within DEI, accessibility, and financial aid.

She serves as a Regional official for CEVA, officiates middle and high school volleyball, and serves on the CEVA Officials' Committee.

She resides in Saint Helens.

SEAN DAUGHERTY (VICE PRESIDENT / AT-LARGE)

Sean Daugherty was elected to the CEVA Board of Directors in June 2023 as an At-Large member and was elected as the Board's Vice President less than a month later. He will take over the CEVA Nominating & Elections Committee, in addition to his work on the CEVA Junior Boys' Committee.

Sean owned his own sales and marketing business for fifteen years and recently retired to focus more on his roles in the volleyball community.

Sean's love for volleyball was sparked initially as a parent, and since then, he has navigated through a variety of roles within the volleyball community. His career features stints as a coach, an official, and a director, illustrating his comprehensive knowledge of the game from several perspectives. He holds dual roles at Volleyball Alliance, serving as both a Head Coach and the Director of Operations. He directs the organization's strategic initiatives, emphasizing player development and team success. Additionally, he is the varsity Assistant Coach at St. Mary's Academy.

Sean joined the Board because he "is motivated by the mission to grow volleyball within our region and to champion accessibility to the sport." Sean's daughter begins her collegiate career this Fall at the University of San Diego. He and his wife, Allison, reside in Beaverton with their two dogs.

LINDSEY GAY (PRESIDENT / ADULT REPRESENTATIVE)

Lindsey Gay was re-elected as the Adult Representative on the Board of Directors in July of 2022. She is the Chair of the CEVA Adult Committee and serves on the CEVA Finance Committee. She was elected President of the Board in June 2023 and will serve a one-year term in that capacity.

Lindsey has played, coached, watched, and loved volleyball her entire life. She still participates in adult leagues and sand leagues.

She currently works for Nike, and has an extensive club volleyball background, including a stint as the Program Manager for CEVA, as well as an administrator and coach with Athena Volleyball Academy.



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She wanted to be on the BOD because "Sports have always been the number one constant in my life. Without sports, I wouldn't have relationships that are incredibly important to me. They've taught me more about myself and my goals than anything else in life. I hope to bring that passion to the board to provide as many opportunities for people of all ages to be involved in the volleyball community, creating long lasting relationships and growing as an athlete."

Originally from Lebanon, she currently resides in Beaverton.

KELLY HAVIG (OFFICIALS' REPRESENTATIVE)

Kelly Havig was elected as the Officials' Representative on the Board of Directors in May of 2023. Kelly is a Junior National Official within USAV.

Kelly developed the region's officials' mentoring program, where each new or less-experienced official is paired with a more-experienced official for the season. The mentors routinely check in with their mentees and help them develop within their roles of officiating in the region. Mentorship of young officials has routinely been viewed as a key to retaining them.

Kelly resides in Redmond.

TIA KHACHITPHET (GEOGRAPHIC REPRESENTATIVE)

Tia Khachitphet was elected to the CEVA Board of Directors in 2022 as the Geographic Rep and began her term on the Board in July. She is the director of Ashland Volleyball Club and still maintains close ties to other club programs in the Southern Oregon area.

She spearheaded the formation of the CEVA Geographic Workgroup, with the goal of bringing more USAV-sanctioned programming to underserved areas of the region. She also helped coordinate mental health webinars that were free for all region members.

She works at La Clinica and resides in Medford.

TOM MCKEEN (JUNIOR BOYS' REPRESENTATIVE)

Tom McKeen was elected as the Junior Boys' Representative on the CEVA Board in 2022 and is the chair of the Junior Boys' Committee.

Tom graduated from Clackamas High School and played football and volleyball. He's coached youth football, CYO basketball, and CYO volleyball, in addition to his coaching with Athena Volleyball Academy on both the girls' and boys' side. He serves as a high school coach at Valley Catholic.

He brings management experience to the Board, as well as a background in athletic administration, having been an AD for CYO at St. Pius School.

He joined the Board "to help grow boys' volleyball. After watching my son play the last few years and seeing how his team competes with programs that play yearly or have high school teams got me thinking "how can I help to make the NW a recognized region for boys' volleyball teams?"

He resides in, and is originally from, Portland.

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KINDELL SOUDERS (TREASURER / AT-LARGE)

Kindell Souders was elected to the CEVA Board of Directors as an At-Large representative in July of 2022. Her peers elected her as the Treasurer of the Board in June of 2023.

Kindell is a coach and operations manager for Axiom Volleyball Club in Vancouver and serves on the ad-hoc CEVA Development Committee, where she assists the office staff in looking for grants, fundraising opportunities, and sponsorships.

She resides in Vancouver.

CHARLEY STANTON (JUNIOR GIRLS' REPRESENTATIVE)

Charley Stanton was re-elected in June of 2023 as the Junior Girls' Representative on the CEVA Board of Directors and serves as Chair of the CEVA Junior Girls' Committee.

Charley has been involved with volleyball for over 30 years and still plays occasionally outdoors.

He brings experience as a player, parent, coach, and administrator to the Board. He is currently the head coach of multiple teams at Athena Volleyball Academy and serves as the club's Technical Director. He also brings a wealth of business acumen to the Board, including running his own companies and serving on other Boards.



He is the Director of EHS & Security for Jireh Semiconductor, Inc. in Hillsboro. His daughter plays at Western Oregon and was a player at Athena.

"I'm excited to serve with the other members that are just as passionate about the sport as I am," Stanton said. "I hope to continue the great work of my predecessors."

He resides in Hillsboro.