

2016-2017 Alliance Coach Bio

Name:

Cathy B. Cram

Professional Background:

Special ED-Teacher Asst. and Volleyball Coach –Brentwood High School

Personal:

I am originally from the Philippines. I have been playing volleyball since I was eleven. I played collegiate volleyball and graduated from the University of the East in Manila, Philippines. I worked for the Supreme Court of the Philippines for almost seven years before moving to the United States in 2009 and became a US citizen in 2013. I am married to John Cram, who is a Sonographer. I have 3 children, namely Jordan, a sophomore at Mississippi State. Andrea, a junior who plays for Brentwood High School and Alliance and Ian, a Freshman and Football player also at Brentwood High School. I have coached numerous teams for Williamson County Parks and Recreation youth leagues and for Alliance Fall/Winter leagues since 2010. I was an asst. HS coach and MS Coach at Brentwood Academy for two years. I was the Freshman Coach at Ravenwood High school for a year. I am now on my third year as an assistant Coach (Varsity) and JV Coach at Brentwood High School. I am also a certified official for USA Volleyball.

Education:

Bachelor of Arts Major in Political Science and Bachelor of Laws

Coaching:

JV Coach –Brentwood High School / Asst. Coach Varsity team –Brentwood High School Head Coach –Alliance 12-3 Regional (2012-present)
Asst. Coach-Alliance Molten 14-2

Coaching Philosophy:

I always have high expectation from each of my players regardless of their level. Some parents describe my coaching style as "tough love". It is my goal to see my players become the best that they can be through hard work, discipline and being committed to the team.

Playing Experience:

University of the East - Manila, Philippines 1988-1992

Top Volleyball Highlights

Being awarded "Athlete of the Year" in High School. Winning the SRVA Regional Championship with my 12-3 Regional team in 2014. Winning the TN State AAA finals the last two years with the Brentwood Lady Bruins Volleyball team.