



2017-2018 Alliance Coach Bio

Name: [Chris Padilla](#)

Professional Background:

Head Coach at Providence Christian Academy, Professional Painter and “handy man”

Personal Background:

I grew up in Nashville TN. Went to John Overton High School. I have lived in Murfreesboro TN for 25 years. I have three beautiful daughters.

Education:

I attended Middle Tennessee State where I studied Physical Education and Athletic Training.

Coaching Background:

I love to coach!!! I've been coaching for 19 years.

Clubs:

I have been coaching club in our community for nearly 20 years at the following clubs- Spike VBC, Tennessee LIGHTNING, Williamson Co. Select, RCJRS, MIDTN and Alliance VBC

High School:

Hillsboro (Head Coach), University School Nashville -USN (Head MS/ Assistant HS), Webb School (Head Coach), Mt. Juliet Christian Academy (Head Coach), Providence Christian Academy (current Head Coach)

Coaching Philosophy:

I believe that life skills are taught through athletics. As a coach I try to lead athletes to develop their skills and talent within themselves. I encourage them to have self-control and self-discipline to become a better athlete.

Playing Experience:

I played on MTSU Men's Club Volleyball team. I was a middle hitter and left side attacker. I'm an advent indoor and outdoor player. I play in leagues in Murfreesboro both indoor and sand with every chance to play "pickup".

Top Volleyball Highlights:

Every volleyball play is a highlight in my book!!! It's a HUGE highlight to see former players of mine still playing. Most special has been seeing the growth in these players on and off the court eventually becoming coaches themselves!