

Coach Biography: Jodie Ferguson

Jodie Ferguson returns to help out with BVC this year while maintaining a teaching career. This will be her fourteenth year with Birmingham Volleyball Club ranging from Little Spikes to 18's and sixteenth year coaching volleyball in general. She has completed her ninth season coaching at Oak Mountain Middle School earning 8th grade Metro-South Coach of the Year in 2013. She also teaches 7th grade math and Pre-Algebra and was the OMMS 2013-2014 Teacher of the Year, Shelby County Middle School Teacher of the Year, and Shelby County Chamber of Commerce Secondary Teacher of the Year. Ferguson also teaches content specialist classes for the University of Montevallo.

Prior to becoming a coach of the Oak Mountain Middle School Lady Eagles, she served as the assistant coach at Birmingham-Southern for a season after two seasons as the Graduate Assistant coach at the University of Montevallo where she also played as a Defensive Specialist/Libero from 2001 to 2004. She has also coached on the Bring It Promotions International Volleyball Juniors Summer Tours traveling from the South Pacific to Greece to South Africa to Western Europe.

As a player at Montevallo, Ferguson was a four-year member of the Gulf South Conference Honor Roll and received the University of Montevallo Women's Athletic Sportsmanship and Women's Involvement Awards in 2005. She was a member of the Intercollegiate Athletic Committee, Student Athletic Advisory Committee, Fellowship of Christian Athletes Leadership Committee, and Academic Excellence for University Athletes.

Ferguson received a bachelor's degree in mathematics from Montevallo in 2006 and a Masters of Education in May 2007.

Outside of teaching and coaching, she loves to play indoor, sand, and grass volleyball as well as travel and spend time with family spread throughout the country.