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AMY WAGNER APPOINTED AS STING RECRUITING DIRECTOR

Milwaukee Sting Volleyball Club is pleased to announce that Amy Wagner will expand her responsibilities by serving as Recruiting Director beginning with the 2026–2027 club season. She will continue in her current roles as Director of Training and head coach of the 15 Gold team.

Amy brings a valuable combination of high-level playing experience, Division I coaching knowledge and a deep connection to the Milwaukee Sting community. She competed in the Big Ten at the University of Wisconsin before serving as a Division I assistant coach at Marquette University. Amy has also coached and developed many of Milwaukee Sting's top student-athletes, including players who have continued their volleyball careers at the collegiate level.

As Recruiting Director, Amy will lead Milwaukee Sting's team-based recruiting assistance program in collaboration with the club's age-division recruiting staff. Together, they will provide education, honest guidance, organizational support and meaningful connections to help student-athletes and their families navigate the recruiting process.

"Amy is the ideal person to lead our recruiting program," said Club Director Dave Bayer. "She understands the game at the highest levels, knows our athletes and families, and genuinely cares about finding the right opportunity for each player. Expanding Amy's role allows us to provide a more organized, personal and connected recruiting experience for every Sting athlete who hopes to compete in college."

Under Amy's leadership, Milwaukee Sting will help athletes identify and pursue college programs that align with their academic, athletic, financial and personal priorities. The program will include individual meetings, recruiting education, college-coach communication guidance, athlete profiles and visibility, tournament feedback, NCAA resources, and social media and highlight-video education.



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The recruiting process will remain athlete-led. Sting student-athletes will be expected to take ownership of their communication, preparation and follow-through, while their families and club staff provide perspective, organization and individualized support.

"I have been on all sides of the recruiting experience as a player, collegiate coach, mother of a recruitable athlete and as a club coach. I am excited to use this experience and knowledge to take on this new role and help our athletes and families approach the recruiting process with confidence," Amy said. "Every athlete's journey is different. Our goal is to provide honest guidance, useful resources and personal support so each student-athlete can find the college program that best fits her academic, athletic and personal goals. "

Many Sting families already know Amy as a trusted coach and mentor. Her experience, relationships and commitment to athlete development make her exceptionally well suited to guide Sting athletes through this important stage of their volleyball journeys.

Please join us in congratulating Amy and welcoming her into this new leadership role.

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