

volleyball

The Kalamazoo College volleyball squad has an excellent chance to make 1978 a championship year. The reasons for such optimism are found in the addition of an experienced coach and the return of four key players from the 1976 Michigan Small Colleges championship team. Ruth Ann Meyer, a coach with 11 years of experience, will lead the squad. April Kenworthy, Bonnie Taylor, Gail Luecke and Wendy Hughes, all members of the 1976 team, have returned from foreign study and are expected to lead the team in its bid to return as champion. Four sophomore letterwinners return, as well as seven experienced junior varsity players, to give the team depth.

SCHEDULE

September 23	Renaissance Tournament @Wayne State	
September 27	ALMA	7:00 p.m.
September 29	Triangular with Lake Michigan College @Southwest Michigan College	7:00 p.m.
October 3.	AQUINAS	7:00 p.m.
October 5	@Albion	7:00 p.m.
October 9	ADRIAN and NAZARETH	7:00 p.m.
October 13	HOPE	4:00 p.m.
October 17	Triangular with Western Michigan @Calvin	4:00 p.m.
October 19	@Montcalm	7:00 p.m.
October 23	Triangular with Grand Valley @Spring Arbor	6:00 p.m.
October 25	OLIVET and OAKLAND	7:00 p.m.
October 28	@Hope and Adrian	12:00 p.m.
October 31	@Michigan State University, Second team	7:00 p.m.
November 4	WMIAA @Hope	
November 7	ALBION and MONTCALM	
November 9, 10, 11	SMAIAW TOURNAMENT	

COACH'S PROFILE: RUTH ANN MEYER

Ruth Ann Meyer, associate professor of health, physical education and recreation at Western Michigan University, will be taking the helm of the 1978 Kalamazoo College volleyball team. Meyer coached WMU volleyball for 11 years, guiding her squads to two AIAW national tournaments. During her tenure, WMU took two state championships, one first place regional championship, one second place regional championship and one third place state championship. She served as chair of the women's physical education department and as women's athletic director for four years at WMU. Meyer received her B.A. from the University of Northern Iowa, Cedar Falls, and her M.A. at the University of Northern Colorado, Greeley.

VOLLEYBALL ROSTER

(excluding freshmen who have not yet reported)

NAME	YEAR	HOMETOWN
*Carol Collier	Sophomore	Grand Blanc
Colleen Deady	Sophomore	Bloomfield Hills
Maureen Fitzsimmons	Sophomore	Syracuse, NY
Nancy Hall	Sophomore	Ithaca, NY
*Wendy Hughes	Senior	Pensacola, FL
*Gwen Kell	Sophomore	Ann Arbor
*April Kenworthy	Senior	Grand Rapids
*Gail Luecke	Senior	Des Peres, MO
*Kathy Michael	Sophomore	Pontiac
Margaret Muns	Sophomore	Brentwood Essex, ENGLAND
Deborah Robertson	Sophomore	Riverview
*Lee Steward	Sophomore	Portage
*Bonnie Taylor	Senior	Rochester
Barbara White	Sophomore	Downers Grove, IL

*letterwinner