

Mark Haberkorn

Hall of Fame



Mark Haberkorn stands among the most respected and accomplished high school volleyball coaches in Illinois history. Over his more than four decades at the helm of the girls' volleyball programs at Lostat High School and LaSalle-Peru High School (L-P), he has guided teams to extraordinary consistency, high achievement and deep playoff runs.

Mark Haberkorn was honored as the 2021-22 State Coach of the Year for girls volleyball by the Illinois High School Association, was inducted into the Illinois Valley Sports Hall of Fame in 2023, and was also enshrined in the Illinois Volleyball Coaches Association Hall of Fame. Additionally, he is a member of the La Salle-Peru High School Hall of Fame, with his 1990 and 2008 teams likewise honored as Hall of Fame squads.

Mark Haberkorn's legacy goes beyond wins and losses. His teams have been built around strong fundamentals, consistency, discipline and a culture of competitiveness. The frequency of 30-win seasons and regional titles reflects his ability to maintain high standards year after year, even as players graduate and new talent arrives. His commitment to program continuity and player development has positioned LaSalle-Peru as a respected program statewide.

Career overview

- Total career record: **1,092 wins, 299 losses, 18 ties.**
- At Lostat (5 seasons): 104–22.
- At LaSalle-Peru (36 seasons): 988–277–18.
- Among the only coaches in Illinois girls-volleyball history to reach over 1,000 wins
- Sixteen seasons of 30 or more wins.
- 25 regional championships.
- Third-winningest coach in Illinois girls' high school volleyball (by wins).
- Three state-tournament appearances with LaSalle-Peru:
 - 1990: 4th place.
 - 2013: 2nd place.
 - 2015: 4th place.

