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- Vince Lombardi

This is a special time of year for each student-athlete, coach, administrator, and college affiliated individual to celebrate his or her team’s achievements. I encourage each of you to leave all of your efforts on the playing field and do this with the highest sportsmanship, effort, and college sense of pride. The hardest part of competing for a national championship is simply getting there and each of you have already conquered that challenge, so a special congratulations on that achievement.



This opportunity may only come once, so cherish these moments. Each of you are physically and mentally prepared to earn the right to call yourself a National Champion, so value and appreciate all of the acts of support that led you here. Remember to maintain your integrity and character, as this will represent a solid foundation of success for years to follow. Life will pass you by very quickly, so embellish the moments and find ways to open future doors for those who follow your footsteps.

You have worked hard and invested greatly to get to this stage, but remember what the great Michael Jordan had to say about winning championships. "Talent wins games, but teamwork and intelligence win championships." So go forward with passion and commitment to yourself and your team – the next championship is only a few games away.

Best of luck,

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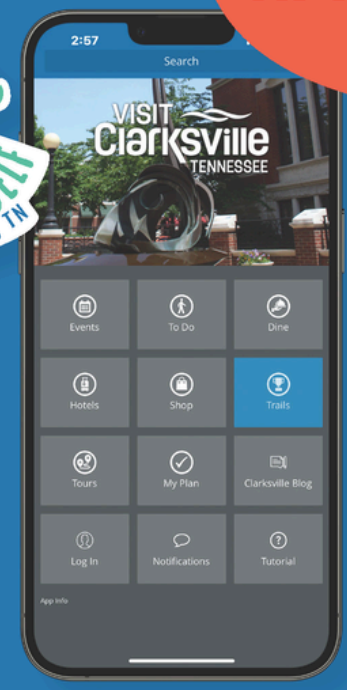
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### NJCAA Division I Women's Volleyball Championship Welcome Letter from Montgomery County Mayor Wes Golden

As the Mayor of Montgomery County, it is my distinct honor to welcome all of you to our community! As someone who was born and raised here and an APSU alum, I can confidently say that you are in the greatest town in the nation. We have a diverse community and welcome individuals from all over the world, especially since we are neighbors with Fort Campbell, Kentucky - home to the 101st Airborne military installation. What makes Montgomery County so special is our people. Montgomery County, Tennessee's estimated 2024 population is 244,845 with a growth rate of 2.07% in the past year, making it the 7th largest county in Tennessee. We are also the home to the City of Clarksville with a population fast approaching a quarter million residents. Located 40 minutes north of Nashville, Clarksville, Montgomery County is popular among military families. The diverse community offers ample opportunities for work, education, leisure, and entertainment. We are committed to ensuring that our new and longtime residents have an impactful experience while staying here.

While exploring our community, be sure to check out our County Parks! Currently, Downtown Commons hosts a variety of activities for all ages, located in the heart of downtown. The Commons is an event space and eatery that provides a vibrant atmosphere for musical performances, programs, game days on the lawn, and more.

We are very excited about your visit. If there is anything we can do to make your stay more enjoyable, please let us know. We are proud of the partnerships and collaborations from Visit Clarksville and Austin Peay that expand our community growth. Welcome to Montgomery County and enjoy your stay!

Best Regards,

Wes Golden  
Montgomery County Mayor



## CITY OF CLARKSVILLE

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Welcome to Clarksville!

On behalf of the more than 176,000 residents of the beautiful City of Clarksville, Tennessee, we warmly welcome the NJCAA Division I National Women's Volleyball Championship to our community!

It's truly an honor to be the host city for this major sporting event, on the Austin Peay State University campus which is one of the crown jewels of Clarksville, and centrally located to all of our rich history and culture.

To each individual representing all 16 volleyball teams visiting our city from all across the nation, as well as your families and supporters, we hope that you find your stay here to be most pleasurable over the next few days. When the time comes for you to depart, we also hope that you will leave knowing that Clarksville is your second home, and we want you to come back.

During your stay, we believe you will gain a sense of why so many people are choosing to live here. They come for our urban conveniences surrounded by outdoor recreational opportunities in a scenic environment. They come for our schools, our economy and cost of living, our central location in the U.S. mainland, and our overall quality of life.

Mostly, they come because of our people, and the diversity of our population. We are a mix of many races, ethnicities, and nationalities. We are youthful, and we combine a mix of military and civilian lifestyles and perspectives as the home of Fort Campbell, a major U.S. Army installation.

These are just some of the attributes that make Clarksville great, and just having your presence in our community certainly gives us added pride.

Please enjoy your stay, and call on us for anything you might need while you are here.

Sincerely,

Joe Pitts  
Mayor

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**NOV. 23 - JAN. 2 | SUN-THURS 5-10 PM | FRI & SAT 5-11 PM**



## **HOLIDAY MARKET**

As part of our Christmas on the Cumberland Grand Opening, we are excited to bring you the 2nd annual Holiday Market at McGregor Park! Our talented local vendors will bring the season's magic by showcasing their holiday traditions. From festive music to delicious global cuisines, this event celebrates the diversity of our community. Join us for a journey filled with holiday cheer!

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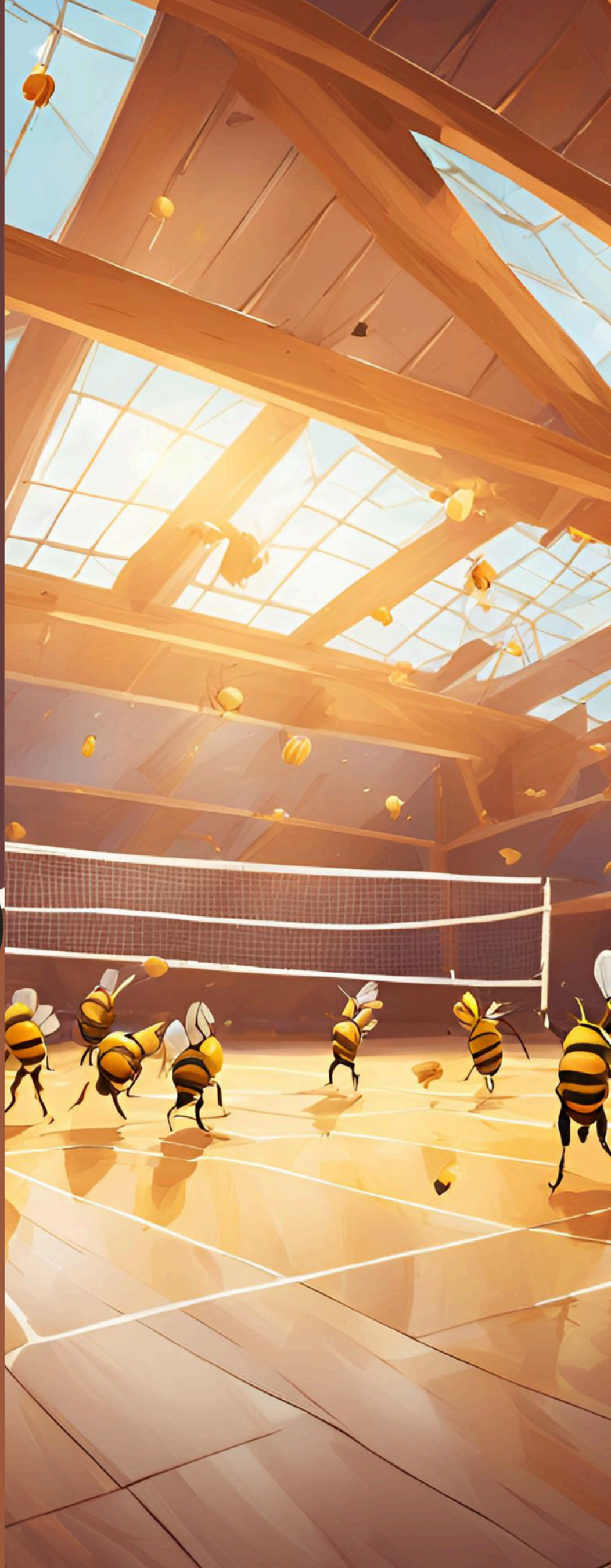
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