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This year should be interesting to see just how much the new varsity status will affect the volleyball program at UK.

This past summer, Sue Feamster the Athletic Director, decided it was time to begin building volleyball at UK into a state and regional powerhouse. In 1977 volleyball was elevated from the club level to the varsity level.

Mary Freitag, a native of South Bend, Indiana, was the first and only recipient of a volleyball scholarship for women and men in the University's history. The freshman chose UK over several other schools that already had successful volleyball programs. She thought she could learn more about the sport from coach Delphine Nemeth. Nemeth hopes that Freitag can help the Lady Kats become one of the best women's volleyball schools.

The Lady Kats, who finished 3rd in the state meet last year, have ten girls on the roster. Seven members are either freshman or sophomores and one is a senior.

The UK spikers play most of their games on the road. They hope to be able to make Memorial Coliseum, which just may be the finest volleyball facility in the nation, their home in the future. If this becomes a reality the Lady Kats will undoubtly have many home games scheduled, including international exhibition matches.

## 1977-78 UNIVERSITY OF KENTUCKY WOMEN'S VOLLEYBALL

## OFFICIAL ROSTER -

No.	Name	Classification	Hometown
11	Lynn Anderson	Freshman	Kettering, Oh.
7	Linda Quodomine	Senior	Bloomfield, NJ
16	Amy Beiting	Sophomore	Ft. Thomas, Ky.
13	Pam Hugan	Junior	Park Hills, Ky.
8	Ellen French	Senior	Kinksey, Ky.
12	Heidi Hineline	Sophomore	Akron, Ohio
14	Jean Pritchard	Sophomore	Ft. Thomas, Ky.
18	Mary Freitag	Freshman	South Bend, Ind.
17	Julie Holzderber	Freshman	Elsmere, Ky.
15	Rose Elpers	Freshman	Louisville, Ky.