

Lady Tigers fall in playoffs to McGehee

**NEW ORLEANS, La.** - The St. Mary's Lady Tigers' volleyball team lost in the first round of the Division V playoffs to the fifth-ranked Louise McGehee Hawks, 3-0, Tuesday afternoon on the road.

The Lady Tigers (8-15), despite the loss, finished the season as district 1-division V champions under first-year head coach Stacey Aldredge.

St. Mary's had several other high points in the season including a five-set thrilling win over Pineville on Oct. 21 at home 20-18 in the fifth set. The Lady Tigers trailed 2-0 before rallying back in sets three and four before completing the comeback in the fifth set.

SMS was also successful against Division V finishing the 2024 season 6-2 against the division.

The Lady Tigers made sure they were battle tested this season as they played eight matches (1-7) against Division I and Division II opponents.

SMS will lose two seniors to graduation in Cailah Bush and Addison Ivy. However, the remainder of the team, Tyonnah Burton, Camille Procell, Rayanna Norsworthy, Joelee Savell, Mary Hannah Churchman, Adelle Williams, Peyton Faucheaux, Emme Errington and Lily Boyd, are all slated to return in 2025.