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Assiniboine Cougars women's volleyball recruits Brandonnite

BRANDON, Man. (May 8, 2018) — The Assiniboine Cougars women's volleyball team has added Jordanna Chartrand of Brandon, Man. to their lineup for the 2018-19 Manitoba Colleges Athletic Conference (MCAC) season.

Jordanna Chartrand is a 5'2" player, who has played club volleyball with the Westman Wild of the Westman Volleyball Club and high school volleyball at Crocus Plains Regional Secondary School. Chartrand will be studying in the college's two-year Social Service Worker program.

"There's a bit of nervousness as I have played for the same coach (Jeff Werbowski) for the past three club seasons and the same team," said Chartrand. "Werbowski has always pushed me and helped me to be confident in the volleyball player that I can be."

"We are very excited to have Jordanna join our team," said Maxwell. "She brings a high level of athletic ability and a strong desire to compete."

Chartrand plays libero on the Westman Wild team and has been the setter for Crocus Plains in the past. Head coach Jeff Maxwell expects that she will continue to play as libero and be the back up setter for the Cougars.

"I'm excited to be coming to Assiniboine Community College and playing volleyball," said Chartrand. "It's a new chapter that I am looking forward to. I am excited to be playing with and getting to know the group of girls on the team as well as the coaching staff. So, all in all, I am excited for the season to start and to be a part of the Cougars women's volleyball team."



Jordanna Chartrand

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About Assiniboine Athletics

Cougars teams in men's and women's volleyball, men's and women's soccer, and futsal (a variation of indoor soccer) compete in the Manitoba Colleges Athletic Conference (MCAC). The women's hockey team will play their first year as full time members in the American Collegiate Hockey Association (ACHA) this season (2017-18).

About Assiniboine Community College

Assiniboine Community College has been providing exceptional learning experiences for more than 55 years. For staff and students alike, Assiniboine offers unparalleled learning environments and responds well to the demands and requirements of the Manitoba labour market. Instructors follow the philosophy of 'learn by doing', combining theory with hands-on learning inside classrooms, labs, kitchens, shops, fields and the college's sustainable greenhouse.

Assiniboine offers more than 40 diploma and certificate programs across a variety of disciplines including culinary arts and hospitality, business, agriculture and environment, health and human services, and trades and technology. The college also delivers apprenticeship programming in a range of skilled trades disciplines.

The college welcomed more than 3,600 full-time and 6,000 part-time students last year. With campuses in Brandon, Dauphin and Winnipeg, Assiniboine provides comprehensive educational opportunities

throughout Manitoba. The college also partners with many communities and organizations across the province to deliver customized education and training.

Assiniboine's annual provincial economic impact is \$613 million.

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