

More than a REPUTATION

Coach's kid follows his mom's footsteps, participates in multiple sports

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He gained VIP access to the players, attending practices and watching games. These were a few perks of being the varsity volleyball coach's son. **Jordan Chambers** [2] earned a reputation because of his mother, coach Nicole Thorn. Thorn had a highly successful college volleyball career at the University of Florida and also earned success as the volleyball coach. But to Chambers, coach Thorn was his mom, not the SEC Volleyball Player-of-the-Year everyone else knew her as. "It's fun being the coach's son," Chambers said. "I like getting

to play with the teams during practice and be a part of it all." Despite being in the second grade, Jordan showed athletic ability just like his mom, playing football, basketball and baseball. He was a head taller than all his class and most of the third grade, which worked to his advantage for sports. There's no doubt where his height came from with his mom being over six feet tall. "My friends all know my mom as the volleyball coach and that she's really tall," Chambers said. "I am glad that she takes time out [of her schedule] to spend time with me and my brother Logan."



To help cheer for the Ladynecks, **Jordan Chambers** [2] blows a spirit horn at the UIL Volleyball Regional Finals game against Franklin in Longview. Chambers' instrument is a vuvuzela, which makes a loud monotone note.



Posed with his Spring Hill friends, Chambers celebrates a friend's birthday at a local bowling alley. Chambers attended Spring Hill for kindergarten before coming to White Oak in 2013. photos courtesy of nicole thorn



Cheyenne Barron
Jayden Bedingfield
Maddilyn Beed
Avree Benson
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Londyn Bodovsky
Braeden Boswell

Mackenzie Boughton
Scott Breitenberg
Jenna Burk
Kelsey Burch
Jordan Chambers
Hayden Coleman
Kinlee Cook

Ashlyn Corona
Benjamin Cox
Aley Dixon
Jaxon Drake Meidinger
Samantha Dumas
Katherine Dusek
Karsyn Edwards

Seth Emanis
Layton Fancher
Blake Fitch
Ely Fulton
Kiara Fuitts
Carter Gann
Ethan Garza



Avery Goodman
Christian Grammer
Gabby Graves
Alayla Green
Brady Greenwood
Cameron Guin
Colton Hamelton

Abigail Harris
Danico Herrera
Meredith Hicks
Garrett Hightower
Alaysha Horton
Jacob Hutte
Eliana Johns

Joseph Johnson
Kyah Jones
Maci Justiss
Keaton Kerns
Brennar Kneiff
Levi Kohl
Olivia Kutch

Beau Larison
Ryder Ledbetter
Jkavion Levy
Jaden Lively
Abigail Lobue
Jake Lowry
Samantha Luscomb

Yoselin Maldonado
Jaidyn Marshall
Jessica Maaburn
Addison McClanahan
Calista McCasland
Breanna McCloskey
Gavin Meadows

Eileen Melchor
Addison Milligan
Cali Moon
Meredith Morgan
Robert Morrisett
Jonathan Mosley
Christiana Nope

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Alexis Pierce
Mallory Pinson
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