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SJR STATE VOLLEYBALL

Vikings surpass 2017 victory total

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The St. Johns River State College volleyball team had another successful weekend, this time at the Bobcat Invitational at Pasco-Hernando State College.

After losing to JUCO Division I Indian River State College, 25-16, 25-10, 25-20, the Vikings bounced back to beat highly touted Catawba Valley (N.C.), 25-18, 25-18, 26-24 on Friday. Then on Saturday, the Vikings outlasted another highly touted team, Kansas City (Kan.), 22-25, 23-25, 25-19, 25-19, 15-12, then swept Lake-Sumter, 25-14, 25-17, 26-24.

The wins left the Vikings at 10-4, and the win eclipsed the win total the Vikings had in a frustrating 9-21 season in 2017.

Lindsay Grossman had 52 kills and 37 digs, Hannah Foecker put up 33 kills and 31 digs, Skyler Martin recorded 39 digs and 30 kills, Justyn Pruski handed out 121 assists and put up three aces, Kelsi Crow had 27 assists and Eden Edgell added 17 kills and three blocks.

The Vikings will begin play in their newly formed Sun Lakes Conference on Wednesday when they travel to Lake-Sumter for a 6 p.m. match.