



Jocelyn

Grade: 11

School: Redwood High School,
Visalia Unified School
District

Pillar: Citizenship

Comment: Coach Vieira says, “Jocelyn embodies everything a coach looks for in a student-athlete. She is a fantastic player and a tough competitor, but she is also a tremendous teammate. Jocelyn brings a quiet confidence to our team that helps bring calm to her teammates in big moments during games. Her versatility on the field allows us to use Jocelyn at different positions, sometimes playing two to three different positions throughout the course of a game. While some student-athletes would express frustration or confusion at this, Jocelyn welcomes the challenge and is willing to do whatever our team needs to ensure its success. While she doesn’t get the same notoriety or attention as her teammates, her contribution to our team’s success is invaluable. She cares deeply for her teammates and is always the first to provide praise or a solid “high five” for a job well done. Jocelyn Arellano personifies what it means to be a Redwood Ranger. I am very fortunate to have had the opportunity to coach her.”

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