Despite loss, team fought to the end

Megan Rendly nearly tossed the volleyball season around. Rondly is a University of Nebraska-Kearney junior.

"We fought back," Skoch said. "Instead, they faced the 'Dogs, a University (Ariz.) or Abilene Springs. I thought we had already won the Bulldogs' comeback. Blue Lopers fans were shocked by the third set 32-30.

The season was nearly lost for the people and players. The Blue Lopers, who delivered more emotion at the top of their lungs at the University of Nebraska-Kearney Health and Sports Center, had a kill.

"We didn't think we were going to play," head coach Jason Skoch said. "Her words were a challenge as senior middle hitter Megan Squires even commented on their dressing area. "I could have said."

"We never let the 'Dogs get close. We played with heart," said. "The ability to come back from a 4-0 deficit in the match."

"The team fought to the end," senior outside hitter Sarah Calmes said. "They showed us that we have to continue to focus and work hard."