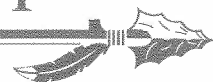




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FSU WOMEN FALL TO NC STATE 4-1

RALEIGH, NC -- The Florida State women's soccer team (3-3, 0-3 in the ACC) were dealt their third conference setback of the 1997 season as No. 24 NC State (5-1, 1-0 in the ACC) scored four goals in the second half to defeat the Seminoles 4-1 at Method Road Soccer Stadium.

After a scoreless tie at halftime, Florida-native Shane Gallo dished off three assists to fuel the Wolfpack's second half eruption. Gallo started off by feeding Lisa Boggs near the left post of the FSU goal for a left-footed kick past Seminole goalkeeper Melissa Juhl at 47:56. A little over nine minutes later, Gallo passed the ball to Jennifer Marsh for a wide-open shot 20 feet in front of the goal for the eventual game-winner at 57:03.

FSU's Lauren Lynch scored the 'Noles lone goal with a shot over NC State goalkeeper Kat Mertz at the 71:33 with the assist by April Murphy and Kasey McCall.

NC State outshot FSU 16-4, while the 'Noles had a 5-1 corner kick advantage.

SHOTS ON GOAL: NC State 16, FSU 4
CORNER KICKS: FSU 5, NC State 1
GOALIE SAVES: FSU 4, NC State 1
FOULS: NC State 14, FSU 10

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Wolfpack Downs Florida State 4-1 In Women's Soccer

RALEIGH, N.C. -- Florida native Shane Gallo dished off three assists in the second half to fuel a four-goal eruption by the NC State women's soccer team, which rallied from a scoreless tie at halftime to down Florida State 4-1 in an Atlantic Coast Conference game at Method Road Soccer Stadium.

The win lifted the 24th-ranked Wolfpack to 5-1 overall and 1-0 in conference action. Florida State fell to 4-3 overall and 0-3 in the ACC.

Gallo, a freshman from Boca Raton, Fla., got the Wolfpack into the scoring column 2:56 into the second half, taking a pass from Laura Ferguson near the midfield stripe and feeding Lisa Boggs near the left post of the FSU goal for a leftfooted kick past Seminoles goalkeeper Melissa Juhl.

Just over nine minutes later, Gallo went to work again, feeding Jennifer Marsh for a wide-open shot 20 feet in front of the goal. Six minutes after that, Gallo gave the ball to fellow freshman Kasey Christian about 15 feet in front of the FSU goal.

Shannon Blair capped the scoring for the Pack at the 67:05 mark with an unassisted bomb from about 35-40 feet in front of the Seminoles goal.

Lauren Lynch scored Florida State's lone goal on what appeared to be a miskicked floater that took a crazy bounce over the head of Wolfpack goalie Kat Mertz at the 71:33 mark.

FSU	0	1	--	1
NC State	0	4	--	4

Scoring Summary

NC State: Boggs (assisted by Gallo and Ferguson) at 47:56

NC State: Marsh (assisted by Gallo) at 57:03

NC State: Christian (assisted by Gallo) at 63:07

NC State: Blair at 67:05

Florida State: Lynch (assisted by Murphy and McCall) at 71:33

Shots on goal: NC State 16, Florida State 4.

Corner kicks: NC State 1, Florida State 5.

Goalie saves: NC State 1, Florida State 4.

Fouls: NC State 14, Florida State 10.

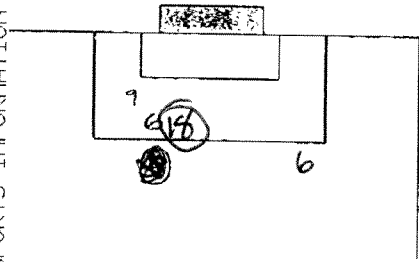
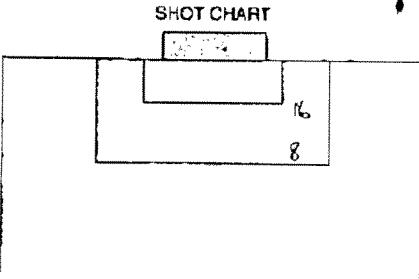
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Lynch - Ford 18527

VISITOR FLORIDA STATE		HOME VS. NC STATE	
DATE SEPTEMBER 14, 1997	OFFICIALS DAVID HARRIS MIKE STUTT JIM CARPENTER		
WEATHER 78° Overcast		ATTENDANCE 219	

	1	2	OT	OT	F
VISITOR FLORIDA STATE	0	1			1
HOME NC STATE	0	4			4

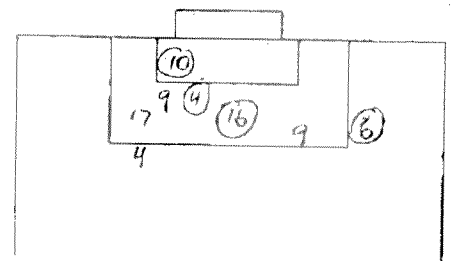
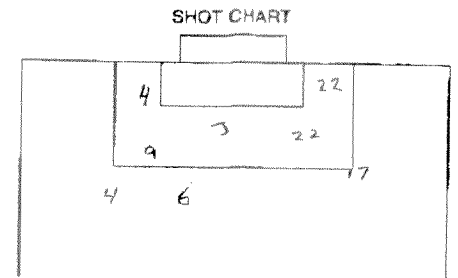


VISITOR				HOME			
SHOTS	GOALS	ASSTS	NO.	NAME	POS.	NAME	NO.
			5	ALEXANDRA OSKIN		KAT MERTZ	GK
			6	LAUREN LYNCH		JEANNE SULLIVAN	2
			7	JAMINE LYNCH		JENNIFER MARSH	4
			9	ERIN GRIMSLEY		SWANSON BLAIR	6
			10	JANNA WILKINSON		LAURA FERGUSON	7
			13	MELISSA JUNG-GK		JANE WALTON	9
			14	TARYN CERRI		LISA BOOGS	10
			18	JILL FORD		MEGAN JEDY	17
			20	ROCHEL WATKIN		BRIDGET DUKAKIN	19
			21	DANIELLE FORD		HAYSEI GONZALEZ	20
			22	SALLY SHELLEN		MONICA HOLLMAY	21

SUBSTITUTIONS							
			16	APRIL MURPHY	JESSICA GELI	3	1
			4	NICOLE SEDGWICK	SHANE GALLO	22	11
			8	KASEY MCCALL	RAISTIN MILLION	15	
			1	JUSTINA TORRES	MARRIAN BRYAN	14	
			12	ANGELA BONAFINO	KASEY CHRISTIAN	16	1
			3	MOLLY NYE	CARLA LINLEY	5	
			24	ASHLEY WALTER			

GOAL BY:	TEAM	TIME*	ASST(S)	DESCRIPTION
BOOGS	NC STATE	47:56	GALLO, FERGUSON	LEFTFOOTED BY THE LEFT POST
MARSH	NC STATE	57:03	GALLO	20 FEET IN FRONT OF GOAL
CHRISTIAN	NC STATE	63:07	GALLO	15 FEET IN FRONT OF GOAL
BLAIR	NC STATE	67:05		35 FEET - RIGHT SIDE
Lynch Ford	FLORIDA ST	71:33	Lynch, Grimsley	CHIP SHOT

CAUTIONS & EJECTIONS: YELLOW - BOOGS - NC STATE (53:17)



SHOTS

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30
31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40

CORNER KICKS

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20

GOALIE SAVES

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20

FOULS

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30

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