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FSU WOMEN'S SOCCER DROP ANOTHER CLOSE MATCH 2-1 TO FURMAN

GREENVILLE, SC -- The Florida State women's soccer team (3-6) dropped another close match on the road as Furman (5-4-1) hit the game-winning goal with 1:05 left to play to take the 2-1 win and end a three-game losing streak at a rain-soaked Eugene Stone Stadium. FSU was also defeated by No. 10 Clemson 2-1 on Friday.

FSU's fourth straight loss and fourth away from the Seminole Soccer Complex came at 88:55 in the second half when Lady Paladin Sarah Tollick scored from five yards out when teammate Melissa Sutton's shot from 20 yards out died in a rain-puddle just in front of FSU goalkeeper Melissa Juhl. Tollick dodged in and hit the game-winner before FSU defense were able to clear the ball.

FSU tied the match at one apiece at 81:30 of the second half when Kasey McCall took a Danielle Foard pass and deflected the ball off of Furman goalkeeper Jen McNutt and the cross-bar before settling in the back of the net.

Tollick also assisted on the game's first score and lone goal of the first half when she set up Holly Aure with a high crossing shot that hit the left upper corner of the FSU goal.

Florida State travels nest weekend to UNC-Greensboro on Friday, before taking on Elon College on Sunday.

SCORING

FU Aure (Tollick), 40:30 FSU McCall (Foard), 81:30 FU Tollick (Sutton). 88:55

SHOTS

FU 12, FSU 8
CORNER KICKS
FU 1, FSU 7
SAVES
FU 3, FSU 2
FOULS
FU 16, FSU 11
ATTENDANCE
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FURMAN WOMEN'S SOCCER DEFEATS FLORIDA STATE

GREENVILLE, S.C. — Lady Paladin freshman Sarah Tollick scored the game-winner from five-yards out with just over a minute to play as Furman upset Florida State 2-1 Sunday at Eugene Stone Stadium on a rain-soaked field.

Tollick set up Furman's first goal at the 40:30 mark in the first half with a high cross that senior Holly Aure put in the corner of the goal. Furman's lead stood for most of the second half until Kasey McCall's shot rebounded off Furman goalkeeper Jen McNutt and the cross bar before settling in the back of the net at the 81:30 mark in the second half.

The game-winner came with 1:05 to play in the game as Melissa Sutton's shot on an open goal died in a puddle five-feet in front of the goal. Tollick then charged the goal and knocked it in before the Seminole defense could clear the ball.

"This was a big win for our program," Furman head coach Brian Lee said. "The girls played great today, especially with these field conditions. This is certainly one of the biggest wins in our four-year history. Knocking off an ACC school helps give instant recognition our program."

Furman's victory ends a three-game losing streak and improves the Lady Paladin's record to 5-4-1 overall, 1-1 Southern Conference. Florida State falls to 3-6, 0-5 in the ACC. The Lady Paladins travel to Lynchburg, Va. to face Liberty Wednesday at Noon.

Scoring:

| FU - Holly Aure (Sarah Tollick assist) | 40:30 |
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| FSU - Kasey McCall (Danielle Foard) | 81:30 |
| FU - Sarah Tollick (Melissa Sutton) | 88:55 |

Shots on Goal: Furman —12; Florida State — 8.

Corner Kicks: Furman — 1; Florida State — 7.

Saves: Furman — 3: Florida State — 2.

Fouls: Furman — 16; Florida State — 11.

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