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SEMINOLE SOCCER FALLS FOR FIRST TIME IN 2002 2-1 TO LSU

No. 15 FSU loses for first time at home to non-ACC team since 1999.

TALLAHASSEE, Fla. — The 15th-ranked Florida State soccer team (1-1-2) hadn't lost at home in 36 months dating back to September of 1999 until Sunday. When the LSU Tigers (2-1-0) came into Tallahassee and downed FSU 2-1 in the final match of the Seminole Invitational they also became the first team to defeat the Seminoles at home since Virginia did it October 28, 2001. The Seminoles now have two days to regroup as they head on the road for three games in five days starting Wednesday.

"It was a remarkable streak but all things must come to an end and they did today," said head coach Patrick Baker. "Give LSU credit. They deserved to win. We need to comeback, regroup and make it better."

The game was evenly played statistically speaking with both teams taking 13 shots, six corners and each goalie making four saves. The Tigers were whistled for eight more fouls than FSU (18-10) and had one more shot on goal (6-5).

"The best team won today," said Baker. "I like LSU. They are hard working. They do a wonderful job and I told that to our team. They did a wonderful job in a 1-0 loss to Miami Friday and they did a great job today against us. The win was well deserved."

"This result, losing here, should send a message to our team that we are probably fortunate to be 1-1-2 right now. We were lucky to get a tie against Missouri Friday. We are not where we need to be. I take responsibility and I think our players take responsibility."

Things looked like they would go FSU's way right off the bat. Just :31 into the match sophomore Camie Bybee blasted a shot from 20 yards out that Tiger keeper Robyn DesOrmeaux had to dive just to deflect up in the air. The ball landed in front of the goal and just missed bouncing into the net at the far post.

The game settled into a rhythm after that with the next best chance coming in the 21st minute. Junior defender Kristin Boyce drove endline and found All-ACC first teamer Cindy Schofield at the far post. The senior slid to reach the ball and fired a shot on frame. DesOrmeaux couldn't hold on to the high shot and Jez Ratliff chased down the rebound. Before the sophomore could stick the rebound in the net, the LSU keeper regained control of the ball and ended the threat.

Florida State continued to search for the lead in the 26th minute when freshman Leah Gallegos sent a hard driven ball straight down the center of the pitch to a charging Ratliff. As the Oklahoman was about to get the shot off, DesOrmeaux met her at the top of the 18 and knocked the ball out of play.

The teams played evenly for the rest of the half and into the second until the Tigers broke on top in the 60th minute. Substitute Elizabeth Marschall took a corner on the right side of the pitch and found Mandy Heintz waiting at the back post. Heintz, a junior from San



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Antonio, TX, headed the ball back to the far post where the Seminole defense seemed to clear the ball off the line before the referee ruled it a goal.

Less than a minute after LSU broke on top, the Tribe went on the attack and almost got the equalizer. Gallegos pulled the trigger on a shot inside the box and about eight yards from the goal. The Los Angeles, CA native just got under the ball and sent it over the crossbar.

The Tigers padded their lead in the 76th minute on what seemed to be an innocent free kick from about 30 yards away on the left side of the field. Sophomore Stephanie Keating, a Vero Beach, FL native, blasted the shot into the upper corner at the near post beating Joy McKenzie who replaced Kerry York at halftime.

Florida State went full force looking to get back into the game and almost got on the board in the 83rd minute. Freshman Allison Ferreri sent a ball to a waiting Schofield inside the 18. The senior blasted a shot on frame but the LSU keeper was up to the task once again and came up with the save.

The Seminoles did finally get on the board in the 90th minute when a yellow card on Melissa Shelton gave FSU a free kick about 30 yards from goal. The ball was sent into the box and eventually found its way on Camie Bybee's foot. The sophomore sent the ball to Summer Corum who buried the shot to bring FSU within one goal with just :41 to play.

The Seminoles were unable to get the equalizer and dropped the first game of the year. The Garnet and Gold will take Monday off and then travel on Tuesday as they head to Coral Gables, FL to face the University of Miami (3-1-0). The Hurricanes lost to Missouri 1-0 at the Seminole Invitational in Sunday's first game.

"We have a huge regional match-up versus Miami Wednesday night and they are playing very well," said Baker. "We have three games in five days and we have to be ready. It is a start of a new season when you begin playing within your region."

After facing Miami, Florida State will stay in South Florida and compete in the UM Soccer Tournament over the weekend. The Garnet and Gold will face Virginia Tech September 13 at 4:30 pm and Charlotte at 11:30 am Sunday, September 15. For more information on FSU soccer, please visit www.seminoles.com.

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Soccer Box Score (Final)
No. 15 Florida State Soccer
LSU vs #15 Florida State (Sep 08, 2002 at Tallahassee, FL)

LSU (2-1-0) vs.
Florida State (1-1-2)
Date: Sep 08, 2002 Attendance: 483
Weather: Partly cloudy 86 degrees.

Goals by period 1 2 Tot

LSU..... 0 2 - 2
Florida State..... 0 1 - 1

LSU					
Pos	#	Player	Sh	SOG	G A

GK	99	Robyn DesOrmeaux....	-	-	- -
F	00	Mandy Heintz.....	1	1	1 -
F	3	Artie Brown.....	-	-	- -
MF	8	Stephanie Keating...	2	1	1 -
MF	9	Danielle Keath.....	6	-	- -
D	12	Leigh McGovern.....	-	-	- -
MF	14	Rachel Cohen.....	-	-	- -
MF	15	Melissa Shelton.....	1	1	- -
D	16	Ashley Mitnick.....	2	2	- -
D	19	Chelsea Agar.....	-	-	- -
D	22	Tara Mitnick.....	-	-	- -
----- Substitutes -----					
4	4	-	-	- -
5	Jenny deHay.....	-	-	- -	
6	Kasey Dexter.....	-	-	- -	
7	Elizabeth Marschall..	-	-	- 1	
20	Suzanne Drake.....	-	-	- -	
24	Stacie McDougall....	1	1	- -	
26	Julie Hadzic.....	-	-	- -	
Totals.....			13	6	2 1

Florida State					
Pos	#	Player	Sh	SOG	G A

GK	1	Kerry York.....	-	-	- -
MF	2	Amber Tollefson.....	2	-	- -
D	4	Kristin Boyce.....	-	-	- -
F	5	Jez Ratliff.....	1	-	- -
D	6	Ashlee Fontes.....	-	-	- -
MF	10	Jenny Garcia.....	3	-	- -
F	11	Cindy Schofield.....	2	2	- -
D	12	Meredith Jones.....	-	-	- -
MF	13	Summer Corum.....	1	1	1 -
MF	15	Camie Bybee.....	2	1	- 1
D	27	Tori George.....	-	-	- -
----- Substitutes -----					
3	Teresa Rivera.....	-	-	- -	
8	Shannon Coe.....	-	-	- -	
9	Leah Gallegos.....	2	1	- -	
14	Katie Talley.....	-	-	- -	
16	Allison Ferreri.....	-	-	- -	
17	Marion Cagle.....	-	-	- -	
18	Joy McKenzie.....	-	-	- -	
21	Stephanie Dame.....	-	-	- -	
22	Erica Lewis.....	-	-	- -	
Totals.....			13	5	1 1

LSU				
#	Player	MIN	GA	Saves

99	Robyn DesOrmeaux....	90:00	1	4

Florida State				
#	Player	MIN	GA	Saves

1	Kerry York.....	45:00	0	1
18	Joy McKenzie.....	45:00	2	3

Shots by period	1	2	Tot

LSU.....	5	8	- 13
Florida State.....	3	10	- 13

Saves by period	1	2	Tot

LSU.....	2	2	- 4
Florida State.....	1	3	- 4

Corner kicks	1	2	Tot

LSU.....	3	3	- 6
Florida State.....	1	5	- 6

Fouls	1	2	Tot

LSU.....	10	8	- 18
Florida State.....	6	4	- 10

SCORING SUMMARY:

GOAL	Time	Team	Goal Scorer	Assists	Description

1.	59:03	LSU	Mandy Heintz (2)	Elizabeth Marschall	Hines scores with header off of corner k
2.	75:42	LSU	Stephanie Keating (1)	Unassisted	Scores on a free kick from 30 yards out
3.	89:19	FS	Summer Corum (1)	Camie Bybee	13 scores on assist from 15 inside the b

CAUTIONS AND EJECTIONS:

YC-LSU #15 (89:11)

Officials: Referee: Syrus Atali; Asst. Referee: Kersten Schroeder; Rick Hawthorne;
Timekeeper: Katy Baker; Scorer: Elliott Finebloom;
Offsides: LSU 0, Florida State 1.
FSU looks to go unbeaten through four games to start a season for the first time ever.

FSU's unbeaten home streak ends at 12 games and its 20 game unbeaten streak versus non-ACC teams at home also ends


Referee signature

Shot Chart
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LSU

B: close left wing	<div style="text-align: center;"> ----- </div> A: in the box 00*G* 24S 9b	C: close right wing
E: far left wing 8*G*	D: top of box 9 15S 9b 8b 9 9b 9w 16S	F: far right wing 16S

Florida State

B: close left wing	<div style="text-align: center;"> ----- </div> A: in the box 9 5b 2 11S 15w 13*G*	C: close right wing 11S
E: far left wing	D: top of box 15S 10b 2b 10w 9S 10b	F: far right wing

SYMBOLS: *G*=Goal S=Save w=Wide/High p=Post/Crossbar b=Blocked

Team Shot Summary

LSU		Florida State	
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TOTAL SHOTS ATTEMPTED	13	TOTAL SHOTS ATTEMPTED	13
BLOCKED BY DEFENSE	4	BLOCKED BY DEFENSE	4
SHOTS OFF TARGET	3	SHOTS OFF TARGET	4
POSTS	0	POSTS	0
SHOTS ON TARGET	6	SHOTS ON TARGET	5
SAVED BY GOALIE	4	SAVED BY GOALIE	4
GOALS SCORED	2	GOALS SCORED	1