

Boscombe Albion vs. Aldershot Town
Southern Region Women's Football League Cup
1st Round
18 September 2011

SHOTS SUFFER LAST-MINUTE HEARTBREAK

Ryan Salmon's Shots side were eliminated from the League Cup courtesy of two goals in the final five minutes.

New goalkeeper Callie Messingham made her debut between the sticks, whilst Amy Hubbort (injury) and Amy Brant (unavailable) are replaced by defender Holly Gayler and new signing Lauren Carnell.

The Shots got off to a poor start when they conceded early on, with Messingham beaten at her left hand post.

However the Shots were quickly back into the game on the restart, with Amy Lawrence finishing a great sequence of passes between Shephard, Moore and Ferguson.

On 67 minutes, an Amy Lawrence cross lured the 'keeper out of her area and left Caz Shephard to hammer home into an unguarded net.

However heartbreak was to follow in the closing minutes, and as Marsh tripped over Messingham and left the Shots net unprotected, the Boscombe attack capitalised to level the tie.

As extra-time beckoned, the Shots defence failed to clear the threat, and Boscombe scored to knock the Shots out of the competition at the first hurdle.

FT: Boscombe Albion 3 Aldershot Town 2

Squad

1. Callie Messingham
2. Amber Marsh
3. Holly Gayler (**12. Laura Wallman 46'**)
4. Di Smith
5. Naph Williams (**10. Caz Shephard 46'**)
6. Sian Houghton
11. Jade Ferguson (**7. Emma North 55'**)
14. Lauren Carnell
15. Nikki Moore
16. Katie Salmon
17. Amy Lawrence