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Field hockey upsets #1 ODU, 5-2



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The words from Old Dominion field hockey coach Beth Anders told the story.

"We were just hit by a tidal wave," Anders said after second-ranked North Carolina whipped up on No. 1 ODU 5-2 Saturday on the AstroTurf Field.

The UNC offensive tsunami pounded in four goals in a 15-minute span to up its record to 12-2 while ODU fell to 13-1.

Imke Lempers scored her 17th and 18th goals of the year to help the Tar Heels achieve a weekend split against the nation's finest competition. On Friday, UNC dropped a 2-1 decision to fifth-ranked Northwestern. ODU rebounded from its loss by defeating Northwestern 2-1 on Sunday.

"After the Northwestern game, we knew we had to win," senior captain Leslie Lyness said. "We needed to come out strong, and we really geared ourselves well."

North Carolina coach Karen Shelton was pleased because the victory keeps UNC in the top four in the country, which means UNC would get a first-round bye in the NCAA tournament. The win may also be enough to vault the Tar Heels to the top of the national rankings.

"It's possible," Shelton said. "We'll find out Tuesday when the poll comes out."

Lempers started the scoring spree 10 minutes into the game with an unassisted goal. The Netherlands native took a ball on the far right side and ripped a liner that ricocheted off Lady Monarch goalkeeper Kathy Fosina's pads and into the net.

Lempers scored what proved to be the game-winner with 13:21 to go in the first half on a penalty corner. After junior Peggy Anthon hit in and Lyness stopped the ball, the freshman right midfielder cranked a shot past Fosina that deflected off an ODU stick into the goal.

UNC struck again just six minutes

later when Lyness scored on a penalty stroke. The 1988 All America pushed the ball to the right corner of the goal as Fosina went to the left.

Senior forward and birthday girl Kathy Staley closed out scoring in the first period at the 25:01 mark. After collecting a long pass from Laurel Hershey, Staley, who turned 22 Saturday, dribbled the ball down to the corner and advanced goalward. The fleet-footed Staley poked the ball past Fosina for her 16th tally of the year.

Old Dominion scored twice in the final 10 minutes of regulation, after Anders had added an extra field player by pulling Fosina with 18:31 left.

After a goal by Winnifred Sanders, ODU's Maaik Hilbrand pulled the Lady Monarchs to within three scores with five minutes remaining. Off a penalty corner, Hilbrand, also from The Netherlands, scored her 18th goal of the season on assists from Sanders and Carolyn Sarr when she rocketed one past UNC goalie Evelien Spee, another Dutch player.

Unlike the Northwestern game, UNC made the most of its opportunities. The Tar Heels, who outshot ODU 17-16, recorded 25 shots to Northwestern's nine. But the Tar Heels were unable to put the ball in the goal.

After early goals by UNC's Cathy Osmer and Northwestern's Becky Myers, the Wildcat offense was held in check while the UNC missed on countless chances. Northwestern, which had only two shots on goal in the second half, finally broke through with 1:18 remaining when freshman Amy Vail put the ball into a vacated net after Spee was forced to come out.

The loss was especially disheartening for UNC because the Tar Heels knew they had played well.

"I was devastated after the loss more than in any one in my career," Shelton said. "When you don't play well, you don't deserve to win. When you play well and dominate every aspect of the game and still lose, that's tough to take."

Laurel Hershey and the UNC field hockey team were able to stick it to ODU Saturday but couldn't evade Northwestern Friday

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Women's tennis finishes home slate undefeated

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The North Carolina women's tennis team mixed it up on the William & Mary Indians Saturday at the UNC Tennis Center.

The Tar Heels won a couple of quick blowouts and added victories in some long, close matches to defeat the Indians 6-3 and finish their fall home sched-

ule undefeated.

Senior Valerie Farmer helped get the Tar Heels going by again accomplishing one of her personal goals for the season. Farmer was the first Tar Heel to finish her singles match, and she avoided being the last singles player off the court.

Farmer won the first 10 games of the match at the number-five singles slot

on her way to thumping Indian Danielle Webster 6-2, 6-0.

However, Farmer barely finished ahead of freshman Cinda Gurney. Gurney gave the Tar Heels a quick 2-0 match lead by winning her number-two singles 6-2, 6-1 over William & Mary's Jane Wood.

"Cinda played more of her game today," said UNC head coach Kitty

Harrison. "She just dominated."

Sophomore Gigi Neely gave the Tar Heels a fairly comfortable 4-2 lead going into the doubles matches by winning the number-four singles 6-4, 6-4 over Indian Cynthia Mitchell.

Though the Tar Heels needed to win only one doubles match to wrap up the match, coach Harrison wasn't about to celebrate yet.

The number-three doubles team of Diana McCarthy and Neely helped Harrison breathe easier by taking their match 6-2, 6-2 over the team of Bonhoff and Mitchell.

North Carolina had clinched the overall match win, but the two most exciting matches of the day stayed on the court.

In a virtual replay of the doubles

matches against Princeton last week, the Tar Heels split a pair of three-set thrillers as both matches went into third-set tie-breakers.

The final match of the day was taken by the Indians as the team of Durak and Caister won the number-one singles 4-6, 6-4, 7-6(7-2), over UNC's Gina Goblirsch and Gurney to close out the 6-3 score.

UNC drops 5th straight as Cavs roll to 50-17 win

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CHARLOTTESVILLE, Va. — Here's a riddle: What wears blue and white and tackles?

Answer: Who knows?

When Virginia running backs, receivers, tight ends, quarterbacks, towel boys, etc. took the field against UNC Saturday afternoon in Scott Stadium, the Tar Heel defense did its matador imitation, waving the Cavaliers on through for touchdown after touchdown until the scoreboard operator begged for mercy.

Meanwhile, the North Carolina offense, which despite everything played its best game of the year, helped the UVa cause by turning the ball over four times to give the defense still more opportunities to show its generosity.

By the time the dust cleared (wait, is there dust on an AstroTurf field?), Virginia (5-2, 3-1) had a 50-17 victory, and the Tar Heels (1-5, 0-3) had a whole lot of turf burn and a long plane ride home.

"We had to play our best to have any chance to beat a team like Virginia," UNC head coach Mack Brown said. "And today we didn't play well defensively, and we turned the ball over offensively."

"When we do both, we're not near in a position where we can have a chance."

The Tar Heels allowed Virginia 513 total yards, six touchdowns, two field goals and a safety. All four UNC turnovers, which included two interceptions and two fumbles, resulted in Cavalier points — 24 of them in all. The last time a team reached the half-century mark against North Carolina was five years ago, in a 52-20 loss at Boston College.

"We did not stop what they were

doing throughout the afternoon," Brown said.

With some of the 34,600 fans still trickling in, UNC actually took a 7-0 lead at the start of the game, scoring easily on its first drive. Quarterback Jonathan Hall shocked not a few on-lookers when he took the first snap and completed a 27-yard pass to Joey Jauch. Fullback Michael Benefield did the rest of the work, carrying up the middle on seven of the Tar Heels' next eight plays before Aaron Staples plunged in from the one.

"We started off real strong," flanker Randall Felton said. "We went right down the field and did whatever we wanted to do."

That was not the Tar Heel offense anyone expected to see. It was a bolder, more powerful attack which operated so easily and efficiently that a longshot victory seemed not so long anymore.

But, alas, this romance with success was short-lived. Virginia came right back with a touchdown on its first possession, driving 77 yards on 11 plays and hinting that whatever UNC could do UVa could do better.

"To win the ballgame the way it was starting, we were going to have to get in a scoring battle with them," Brown said, "and we're not at the point where we can be that way against a good team like Virginia."

The Cavaliers then galloped away, scoring on their next two possessions to build a 21-7 lead early in the second quarter. The teams then traded field goals before the half, giving UVa a 24-10 advantage going into the third quarter.

Virginia's offense, led by quarterback Shawn Moore, seemed to baffle Tar Heel defenders. Moore, who threw for 205 yards and two touchdowns and

ran for 35 yards and another score, led an attack which offered the option play, the running of tailback Marcus Wilson and the passing of Moore to tight end Bruce McGonnigal and wide receiver Herman Moore.

"They're so diversified that it's hard to get a bead on them," UNC tackle Cecil Gray said.

The Tar Heels had by far the most trouble with Wilson and the Cavalier running game. Virginia racked up 300 yards on the ground, with Wilson responsible for 113 of them. The 6-1, 204-pound junior was more evasive than explosive, cutting and sidestepping to leave a wake of men in blue behind him.

"You never get a solid hit on him," Gray said. "He's shifty, and he's just a talented player."

The Virginia air attack featured the Moore to Moore connection, with Shawn hitting Herman four times for a total of 116 yards, 53 of which came on a post over the middle for a touchdown less than a minute into the third quarter.

That put UVa up 31-10, and the Cavaliers went on to score 19 more unanswered points before Staples scored again on a three-yard run midway through the fourth quarter.

Meanwhile, Hall and the Tar Heel offense showed promise but not results. The senior quarterback completed 16 of 28 passes for 205 yards, including a 62-yard pass play to Felton, but two fluke interceptions in the first half, one on a pass tipped at the line and the other on a throw that bounced off tailback Eric Blount's helmet, set UNC back for good.

"I thought we did some good things offensively, and it's just frustrating because we stopped ourselves," Hall said.



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Virginia and Nikki Fisher (33) were more than a step ahead of the UNC defense in Saturday's rout