Armstrong Atlantic drops Lady Braves

By Curtis Brooks
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The Lady Braves soccer team surrendered two late goals to Peach Belt Confer-
ence foe and No. 22 Armstrong Atlantic. The Black and Gold lost a 2-0 game in
the 85th minute. Armstrong Atlantic took 24 shots in the match with 13 shots on goal. The Black and Gold only managed to take seven shots in the match with three of them being on goal.

The Pirates held a 7-3 edge in corner kicks and the Lady Braves were called for
nine fouls, while Armstrong Atlantic registered six.

Sophomore goalkeeper Britney Bennett kept the Black and Gold in the game
with 11 saves.

“Our team played very well. We’re very proud of them,” said UNCP head coach Lars Anderson.

“Their effort was out-
standing. We are very disap-
pointed in the results but
we’re excited about how we
played. We feel like we’re starting to hit our stride and playing UNCP really well so I’m excited about it,” said UNCP head coach Lars Anderson.

Both teams struggled to score in Savannah, Ga., on Oct. 13. The Lady Braves were called for Armstrong Atlantic registered six.

The second half was much the same as the first half as UNCP controlled the ball for most of the half. The Lady Braves got a chance at the 57th minute mark for a score and they capitalized when Colon took a pass from junior Andrea Collén in the box and maneuvered around the USC-Aiken goalie for her first goal of the season.

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trol late in the game but to no avail as its best chance at a goal came in the 75th minute when Pinero put a goal on that went past the diving Bennett, but rolled right past the post and went out of bounds.

The Pacers tallied seven fouls to the Black and Gold’s five, while UNCP had a 5-4 advantage in corner

kicks. Bennett recorded six saves in goal for UNCP and her counterpart from USC-Aiken, Alli Edens, had eight saves.

Early goal leads to shutout win for Lady Braves

By Jonathan Bym
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Brutn Bennett recorded her third shutout of the season as the UNCP women’s soccer team cap-
tured a 2-0 Peach Belt Con-
ference win over Armstrong Atlantic on October 5.

In their loss to Armstrong Atlantic, UNCP allowed 24 shots in the 2-4 loss.

The Lady Braves started their offensive attack early when less than two minutes into the game, sophomore Cassie DeQueiroz received a pass from junior Ashley Anctil on the right wing and put it in the net for an early lead.

The Pacers had few scoring chances in the game. Two came early in the first half as Caroline Gillette just missed the goal to the left, and Jenny Pinoez put a shot on goal that was stopped by Ben-
nett. The Black and Gold had 25 shots compared to just nine for UNCP. UNCP had an advantage in shots on goal and UNCP had 10 to the Pacers’ six.

UNCP closed the half with two shots from Anctil that went high, and a shot from sophomore Kayla Colon off a freshman Michelle Hernandez pass that also went high and UNCP had a score lead at the intermission.

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Women’s soccer graps blowout Peach Belt win

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The UNCP women’s soccer team took on visiting Georgia Southwestern. Oct. 1 at Varsity Grounds in Peach Belt Conference play, as junior Andrea Collén notched a hat trick on the way to the Lady Braves’ 6-0 win.

Along with Collén’s three goals, UNCP also received goals from freshman Julia Hashebeck, sophomore Cassie DeQueiroz and junior Fanny Forsman in the win.

“The game got off to a good start for us. We scored a couple early goals and it kept us rolling from there. More than the three points and the scoring of some early goals, I also thought we played well so I’m excited about it,” UNCP head coach Lars Anderson said.

DeQueiroz got the Lady Braves on the board with a shot from the right side of the box that found the bottom left corner of the goal just a little over three minutes into the match.

The early scoring continued when junior defender Fanny Fors-
man put UNCP up 2-0 in the sev-
enth minute of the game.

Collén started off her impres-
sive night with a shot in the left
corner to give the Lady Braves the 3-0 lead in the 14th minute before adding her next two goals in the 50th and 65th minutes. Both of them were headers, and both of them were assisted by junior Adi-

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