

Bulldogs with OT-loss in Vienna

Vienna/10-21-2016 - On the first stop of their October road trip the Dornbirner Eishockey Club took a 2:3-OT loss at the UPC Vienna Capitals. On Saturday (5:30 p.m.) the team of DEC Head Coach Dave MacQueen will be visiting Znojmo for the Bulldogs' next away game.

In their home arena the Vienna Capitals were determined to demonstrate who the king of the castle is. From the beginning on they had several scoring chances, but - especially Riley Holzapfel (2.) and Jerry Pollastrone (6.) - missed out on putting the puck in the net. Still, it did not take long for the Caps to take the lead: Jonathan Ferland hammered the puck from the blue line, it got deflected by Collin Bowman (10.) and went in the goal, unsaveable for the DEC. Like previously in Dornbirn, the Bulldogs were behind early. Full of vim and vigor the guests returned to the ice after the first intermission. They were pushing for the tie, and at this point dominating the play. But the Bulldogs' efforts came to an abrupt end, when Collin Bowman (28.) - with a strong shot in the far corner - put the score board to 2:0 for the Capitals.

Bulldogs with powerplay goals

The visiting team kept fighting. And eventually, shortly before the second intermission, the hard work paid off: Assisted by James Livingston, Olivier Magnan (38./pp) poked the puck home for Dornbirn's first goal. Six minutes later - Dornbirn once more on a powerplay - Matt Siddall passed the puck to James Livingston (44./pp), who made for the tie. Now the home team stepped it up a notch, and was trying to go ahead again. During a Capitals powerplay Andreas Nödl actually did manage to bring the puck in the goal, but after the referees had consulted the video review, they decided on no goal. The match didn't get decided until in overtime, when Riley Holzapfel (66.) took care of the game-winning 3:2 for the Vienna Capitals.

Friday, October 21, 2016 (Erste Bank Eishockey Liga):

UPC Vienna Capitals – Dornbirner Eishockey Club 3:2 OT (1:0, 1:1, 0:1)

Albert Schultz Eishalle, 3.250 spectators

Officials: BABIC, KIMMERLY, Nagy, Soos

Goals:

VIC: 1:0 Bowman (10.), 2:0 Bowman (28.), 3:2 Holzapfel (66.)

DEC: 2:1 Magnan (38./pp), 2:2 Livingston (44./pp)

Penalties:

VIC: 16 min.

DEC: 16 min.

Line-Up:

VIC: JP Lamoureux – Philippe Lakos, Fraser; Bowman, Brocklehurst; Peter, McKiernan; Szabad, Hackl – Tessier, Sharp, Rotter; Nödl, Holzapfel, Pollastrone; Ferland, Vause, Bauer; Großlercher, Fischer, Nißner;

DEC: Hardy – Schmidt, Magnan; Crawford, Caruso; Siutz, Konradsheim – Livingston, Arniel, D'Alvise; Cody Sylvester, Sarault, Dustin Sylvester; Siddall, Achermann, Niki Petrik; Macierzynski, Häußle, Dominic Haberl; Daniel Ban;