

## **AU men's soccer falls to Hobart in first round of Brockport tournament**

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BROCKPORT, NY -- The Alfred University men's soccer team dropped its 2006 season opener Saturday, falling 6-1 to Hobart in the first round of the Golisano Children's Hospital Tournament hosted by SUNY Brockport. The Saxons (0-1-0, 0-0-0 Empire 8), who trailed 2-0 at the half, got their lone goal in the second half when senior defender Adam Morgan (Byron, NY/Byron-Bergen) scored off a corner kick. Sophomore midfielder Gavin Beem (Noblesville, IN/Noblesville) got the assist. Dan Riso paced Hobart with three goals. Senior goalie Jim Roberts (Syracuse, NY/Westhill) played the first half and 10 minutes of the second before being replaced by senior Brian Middleton (Baldwinsville, NY/C.W. Baker), who played the final 35 minutes in net. Roberts and Middleton each allowed three goals while making four and three saves, respectively. Phil DaCosta went the distance in goal for Hobart and stopped three shots. Alfred plays next at 11 a.m. Sunday, Sept. 3, in the tournament consolation match against Westfield State, a 2-1 loser to Brockport in Saturday's other first-round game.