

Saxons lose heartbreaker in overtime to Nazareth, 2-1

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The Alfred University men's soccer team's six-match winning streak came to an end Saturday night as they fell, 2-1, in overtime to Nazareth at Merrill Field. After falling behind early, the Saxons (11-4-1, 3-2 Empire Eight) used a strong second half surge to even the score at 1-1 with just 14 minutes remaining in regulation. Sophomore Shane Donohoe (Syracuse/West Genesee) netted the late second-half equalizing goal, while senior Marc Fittipaldi (Pittsford/Pittsford Sutherland) was credited with an assist on the play. Sophomore goalkeeper Kevin Ball (Wheeling, WV/Linsly School) grabbed three saves for Alfred before watching the game winner slip by just two minutes into overtime play. Nazareth's (10-4-1) Steve Fisher ignited the Golden Flyer attack with an early goal, while John Mahoney scored the winning overtime goal. Goalkeeper Scott Chapman collected four saves in the win for Nazareth. Alfred will be in action again on Wednesday, November 1, at 3:30 p.m. at RIT.