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Heroic Chi-Town Athlete

Chicago Red Stars lost the NWSL final, but have a player they can be proud of

Fox 32 Chicago **Associated Press**

Debinha scored in the fourth minute and the North Carolina Courage went on to beat the Chicago Red Stars 4-0 on Sunday for the their second straight National Women's Soccer League

Jessica McDonald, Crystal Dunn and Sam Mewis added goals for the Courage, which won the NWSL Shield for the third straight year with a league-best 15-5-4 regular-season record. The Courage beat Reign FC 4-1 in extra time in the semifinals.

The Red Stars had a six-game winning streak heading into the final, including a 1-0 victory over the Portland Thorns in the semifinal.

Debinha's rebound shot got past Red Stars goal keeper Alyssa Naeher to open scoring early before McDonald's header off a feed from Lynn Williams in the 26th minute. After Dunn scored in first-half stoppage time, Sam Mewis added a goal off a long ball from Abby Dahlkemper in the 61st.

It was the third time the Courage and Red Stars had met in the playoffs. The Courage also won the first two and did not give up any

The game capped an eventful week for the league.

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2019 NWSL Numbers

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Games Played

Total Goals

23

Defence

Passes



92.3%

Total Passes



55.2% **Duel Success**



68.3% **Pass Success**



Aerial Success



33.3% Long Pass Success

Attack

Total Shots **Excluding Blocked Shots** Shots on Target



Left Foot Goals

Right Foot Goals



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Nashville Predators

Chicago Blackhawks

Hawks Clash with the Nashville Predators Blackhawks End with a Disappointing Loss for the City

Jimmy Greenfield Chicago Tribune

Jeremy Colliton often talks about the Blackhawks needing to play a complete 60 minutes.

During their 3-0 loss Tuesday to the Predators, the Hawks didn't

come close.

"I actually thought we weren't terrible in the first 10 minutes," Colliton said. "But then we needed to push back. We needed to have some sustained zone time. We needed to make a few plays. We needed to win

a race, win a 50-50, and then all of a sudden, that shapes the next 40 seconds of your shift.

"And typically we were late, they got momentum from it, they hemmed us in, and it just snowballed."

Here are three take-

aways from the loss: 1. Robin Lehner de-

serves the net as long as he wants. Enough of the talk about giving playing

time for both Lehner and Corey Crawford. Until

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