

Scotland Under-16s win UEFA Development Tournament in Serbia



Scotland Under-16s return from Serbia yesterday after a successful UEFA Development Tournament.

The squad included two Hearts' players, Aaron Reid and Anthony McDonald.

Victories over Moldova and the hosts, followed by a draw in the final game against Israel, ensured that Scotland won their UEFA Under-16 Development Tournament for the second year in a row.

Lewis Hutchison and Matthew Shiels were the scorers in Scotland's first match of the tournament, where Moldova were defeated 2-1. That score was repeated two days later against Serbia, with Zak Rudden and Andrew Irving on target for Scotland. Rudden scored once more in the 1-1 draw in the final match of the tournament against Israel. Although Israel won the penalty shoot-out to determine who would win the bonus point, Scotland won the group with seven points from three matches.

Scotland Under-16 squad for UEFA Development Tournament:

Goalkeepers

Jon McCracken (Hamilton Academical)

Ryan Mullen (Celtic)

Defenders

Kieran Freeman (Dundee United)

Stephen Welsh (Celtic)

Lewis Mayo (Rangers)

Daniel Church (Celtic)
Aaron Reid (Heart of Midlothian)
Robbie Deas (Celtic)
Joseph MacPherson (Aberdeen)

Midfielders

Jordan Houston (Rangers)
Jack Thomson (Rangers)
Elliot Watt (Preston North End)
Stephen Kelly (Rangers)
Kerr McInroy (Celtic)
Steffan Connelly (Hamilton Academical)

Forwards

Lewis Hutchison (Aberdeen)
Zak Rudden (Rangers)
Jack Aitchison (Celtic)
Christian Antoniazzi (Celtic)
Anthony McDonald (Heart of Midlothian)