

A photograph of an ice hockey game. A player in a white jersey with the number 7 is in the foreground, leaning towards the goal. A goalie in a red and white uniform is positioned in front of the goal. Another player in a red jersey is on the ice to the right. The scene is set on an ice rink with a goal net and frame visible.

Blair Dubyk closes in on the Peterborough goal at the weekend

Lions left to lick wounds

LEE VALLEY Lions were hit for six at home to Peterborough at the weekend, in a result that ends the team's unbeaten home stretch.

Against the Islanders, the Lions were left marooned, despite the visitors' inferior position in the league standings.

Lee Valley struggled from the off and found them-

selves behind in the 12th minute when Tom Foskett took advantage of some lax defending.

James Tipple, in the hosts' goal, was beaten again soon after, and Foskett made it three after the Lions lost a player through an indiscretion.

Tipple was replaced by Ruth Cattell between the pipes, but she barely had

time to settle before she was picking the puck out of the net.

Lee Valley grabbed a consolation when Richard Hodge converted at the second attempt, but another two goals secured victory for Peterborough.

The Lions will have time to recover ahead of their next clash against top dogs Solent & Gosport Devils.