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England Women beaten in final ODI match in New Zealand

England Women were defeated in their final One Day International match against New Zealand at Seddon Park, Hamilton.

Home captain Sophie Devine missed the opening two fixtures and hit an unbeaten century to help her side to a seven-wicket win.

England win the ODI series 2-1 having secured the T20 series 4-1.

There were two changes to the England side who sealed the series with victory in their second match of three, Lauren Filer and Sophia Dunkley coming in.

Tammy Beaumont, Danni Wyatt and Sophia Dunkley were all dismissed early while Knight was run out by Amelia Kerr for 31.

Amy Jones continued her fine form with the bat, scoring 50, while Charlie Dean scored 38 as New Zealand were set a target of 195 to win.

Georgia Plimmer and Suzie Bates were dismissed to leave the hosts 14-2.

Devine (100 not out) added 76 with Amelia Kerr and 105 with Maddy Green.

Heather Knight's post-match press conference is available to watch and download <u>here</u>

England are next in action on 11 May, when they start a three-match IT20 series against Pakistan at Edgbaston, tickets for which are available <u>here</u>

New Zealand Women v England Women fixtures and results

19 March - 1st IT20 - Dunedin – England won by 27 runs

22 March - 2nd IT20 - Nelson – England won by 15 runs

24 March - 3rd IT20 - Nelson – New Zealand won by three runs

27 March - 4th IT20 - Wellington – England won by 47 runs

29 March - 5th IT20 - Wellington - England won by five wickets

31 March - 1st ODI - Wellington – England won by four wickets

3 April - 2nd ODI - Hamilton – England won by 56 runs

6 April - 3rd ODI - Hamilton - New Zealand won by seven wickets

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