

Vacaville wins, stays pace with Vanden

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With the Monticello Empire League season winding down, both Vacaville and Vanden high schools posted dominating wins on Friday night to make sure the Oct. 27 games mean something.

Vacaville defeated Armijo 44-0 to keep itself one win away from tying first-place Vanden in the standings. Vanden — which defeated Vacaville two weeks ago to end the Bulldogs' league winning streak at 31 games — defeated Fairfield on Friday night 32-7.

Vacaville plays at Will C. Wood in the Black and Blue Bowl on Friday, while Vanden will take on Rodriguez at home the same night.

On Friday night Vacaville left no doubt early, taking a 34-0 lead into halftime. The Bulldogs scored again in the third quarter to get a running clock on Armijo.

Morgan De lago led the Bulldogs with eight rushes for 100 yards and two touchdowns. Cristian Diosdado also had two rushing touchdowns and gained 92 yards on the ground.

Quarterback Brody Fortunati threw for 110 yards, with 82 of them going to Levi West, who scored one touchdown.

The Vacaville defense was led by Massimo Menicou and Justin Albrecht, each with eight tackles.

Jaden Beamon-Santos and Colby Kovach each had a sack, while Noah Wilcox and Elijah Cline each had an interception for the Bulldogs.