

Vacaville High football holds on to defeat Cardinal Newman

The Vacaville High football team bounced back nicely in its third game of the season as the Bulldogs defense played stellar in a 14-7 home won over Cardinal Newman.

After losing big to Oak Ridge last week, the Bulldogs didn't allow any points against Cardinal Newman until midway through the fourth quarter in its victory. Cardinal Newman fell to 1-1 overall with the loss.

The score was 0-0 until Bulldogs running back Cristian Diosdado ran in a touchdown from four yards out to make it 7-0 with 30 seconds remaining in the first half. Diosdado finished with 74 rushing yards on 16 carries. He also had three receptions for 12 yards.

Fortunati threw for 59 yards on seven completions to go with his 36 yards rushing. Brady Mott led the team in receptions with two.

In the fourth quarter Cardinal Newman finally broke through for its only score of the game on a Kaize Steverson run from 45 yards out.

Vacaville's next game is Sept. 16 at Granite Bay. The Bulldogs have a bye this week. Their next home game is Sept. 23 against El Cerrito.