

Rough Homecoming for Vacaville with a 34-13 loss to visiting Granite Bay

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VACAVILLE — The Granite Bay High School football team scored 27 first-quarter points and rolled to a 34-13 win over host Vacaville on Homecoming night at Tom Zunino Stadium.

Vacaville is now 2-2 overall and will play its final non-league game next Friday night at El Cerrito before the start of the Monticello Empire League season in two weeks.

Granite Bay piled up 268 yards on the ground against the Vacaville defense. Running back Carter Jackson rushed 17 times for 151 yards and three touchdowns. Isaiah Ene added 43 yards on the ground and had a score. Quarterback Lucas Gruia also threw a 42-yard touchdown pass to Joseph Cattolico.

Vacaville scored once in the first quarter and another time in the fourth. Morgan De Lago had a 4-yard touchdown run in the first quarter that was followed by a Micah Navarro point-after kick. Cristian Diosdado rushed for an 18-yard touchdown in the final period.

De Lago rushed for 85 yards and Diosdado had another 68. The Bulldogs finished with 146 yards on the ground but could only add another 25 yards in the air from the passing game.