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8<sup>th</sup> Grade Football splits with Navarro

The Bandera 8<sup>th</sup> grade traveled to Geronimo on Thursday, October 20 to play the Panthers of Navarro. The 8<sup>th</sup> grade B game final score was 12-0. The game was a defensive battle which was tied at 0-0 at the end of the first half. The Bulldogs were able to move the ball behind the blocking of the offensive line consisting of Colton Duncan, Charlie Barnett, Colton Kleinsiek, Victor Vrazel and Chris Wise. Aaron Love was able to score 2 touchdowns to give the Dogs the 12-0 victory. The defense led by linebackers Calvin Starnes, Garrett Reeves and Elijah MacNeil were able to keep the Panthers out of the end zone on 2 great defensive goal line stands.

The 8<sup>th</sup> grade A team lost to a powerhouse team from Navarro. The Bulldog lineup was hit hard this week with injuries from last week's game, illness and other absences. The Dogs went into the game with no subs for the offensive line and only one sub in the backfield. They continued the fight until the end with several players never stepping off of the field. The Bulldogs passing game led by Quarterback Utah Hicks and behind the offensive line consisting center Nick Salas, guards Zach Bower and Jacob Kenney, tackles Andrew Bachman and Josh Salinas were able to move the ball after some half time adjustments. Passes caught by Ethan George and J.T. Milner helped to move the ball to inches from the goal line only to be denied from the score.

Submitted by Coach Randy Morrison