

Press Release

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UNION CHRISTIAN ACADEMY VS. VICTORY CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

Camden, AR - Union Christian Academy opened their 2008 season at Victory Christian School in Camden, AR on August 16 with a 26-14 win over the Conquerors. Approximately 200 fans made the trip to Camden to support the Lions on their jamboree game.

UCA Junior Brandon "Paco" Allen led the Lions in rushing yardage with 179, followed by Senior Tyler Davis, Juniors Cody Dodd, Josh Hall, and Sophomore Jonathan Baze, contributing for a combined total of 345 yards rushing.

Brandon "Paco" Allen was recognized as Player of the Week. As the halftime horn blew, Allen had just received the handoff from quarterback Josh Hall. He never slowed down, and scored UCA's second touchdown of the evening. Allen ran for about 15 yards with a defender holding onto his jersey, dragging him into the end zone with him to close out the first half.

In the second half of the game, Victory Christian made some adjustments to their game plan, and by the middle of the

third quarter, the score was 16-14. Penalties pushed the Conquerors back to their own goal line, and a tackle in the end zone gave UCA a safety, making the score 18-14 and possession of the ball. In the fourth quarter, the Lions again went to Paco Allen, who carried the ball in for the final touchdown of the game. After the two point conversion, UCA went on to win the game 26-14.

The JV and Varsity Lions will open the 2008 ALCAL season at Mt. Olive Christian School in Athens, Louisiana, on Thursday, August 28. All UCA Lions fans are encouraged to wear purple and make the short trip over to Claiborne Parish to support both of the teams as they take on the Eagles.

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