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CHARGERS AND DESERT SHIELD ARE VALLEY'S ONLY UNDEFEATED TEAMS AFTER WEEK THREE

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The Clark Chargers, an overwhelming favorite for the Southern Zone title, are looking like they are already just that. Last Friday, the Chargers put it to the Spartans of Cimarron 36-0 for the second consecutive shutout in what was supposed to be a much closer contest. This week

the Chargers take on Bonanza (0-3) at home and shouldn't really have any trouble with the Bengals. The only thing Clark may want to watch out for is the Bengals' run defense; Bonanza gave up only 2 yds. per carry against Western last week in a losing effort.

In a game that really didn't seem fair, Cheyenne beat Durango 43-14. Durango, in its

first season, has given up an average of 8.7 yards per play and 418 yds., per game. The Desert Shield, whose team is comprised of more pure athletes than any other in town, look like they have one thing in mind - a Sunset Division crown. The Shield will face a tough test this week when they take on Mira-Mesa out of California.

In what was easily the most memorable game in recent prep football memory, the Valley Vikings outscored the Las Vegas Wildcats 63-62, in a game that

went into five, that's right, five overtimes. It was the Vikes first win in 12 games and bumped their record up to 1-2. The Wildcats on the other hand, even after a stellar 400 yards in the air, fell to 1-2.

Eldorado finally got in the win column with a 26-14 victory over Boulder City. The 'Devils nearly squandered their lead after coming close to tripling the Eagles in total offense. For a team that is supposed to contend, there is still a lot of room for improvement on Eldorado's part

from what this reporter has seen.

Other scores to note: After leading most of the game, Rancho came up short in their battle with Green Valley 28-20; Gorman fell to 2-1 after getting waxed by Cedar City in Utah 41-14; Chaparral beat Basic in a highly defensive game 9-0; and, Western moved to 2-1 by beating Bonanza 7-6.

This week's key matchup is between Gorman and Western. It will be interesting to see Gorman's high-powered air attack against the Warriors' fleet-

footed defensive backs, who had three interceptions last week. Offensively, Western will try to keep the ball on the ground because they have no passing game as of yet, (QB Mike Baca has three completions for the season). The last time these two met, the Gaels prevailed 16-7, but look for Western to pull this one.

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- DURANGO @ CIM.-MEMORIAL
- CHAPARRAL @ BOULDER CITY
- MIRA-MESA, CA @ CHEYENNE

SUNRISE DIVISION

CHAPARRAL	1-0, 2-1
ELDORADO	1-0, 1-2
GREEN VALLEY	1-0, 2-1
VALLEY	1-0, 1-2
BASIC	0-1, 1-2
BOULDER CITY	0-1, 1-2
LAS VEGAS	0-1, 1-2
RANCHO	0-1, 2-1

SUNSET DIVISION

CHEYENNE	1-0, 3-0
CLARK	1-0, 3-0
WESTERN	1-0, 2-1
GORMAN	0-0, 2-1
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