



# Viking Football Update

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2007 National Semi-Finals 2006 National Semi-Finals 30 Wins In Three Seasons VALLEY WILL ROLL!

## Playoff Bound: MVC Rips Avila



**Chris White led the MVC offense to a 45 point first half against AU**

The Missouri Valley Vikings needed a win Saturday over the Avila University Eagles to secure their third trip to the NAIA Championship Series in four seasons. Coming off of an emotional last-second loss, the Vikings responded emphatically with a dominating 61-7 victory to improve to 8-2 on the year. Valley scored touchdowns on each of their first four possessions on their way to a 45-0 halftime advantage. David Allen rushed for 58 yards and two touchdowns before making an early

exit from the game, and Chris White threw four TD passes to four different receivers in his two quarters of work. White finished his day 11 of 14 passing for 190 yards. The Viking defense did not allow AU a single first-down in the first half, and limited the Eagles to just seventeen total yards through two quarters. AU finished the game with only 124 total yards. Valley forced four turnovers, including interceptions by Sam Toomer and Nick Williams, and limited AU quarterback Derick Barnes to just 62 passing yards on seventeen attempts. Micah Peterson led the Valley offense the entire second half and orchestrated two more touchdown drives, throwing a 65-yard TD pass to Jacob Cahill and handing the ball off to Richard Konu, who rushed nine times for 56 yards and scored a nine yard TD on his last carry. It was a record setting day for Valley placekicker Adrian Trevino, who set a new MVC best with a 54-yard field goal in the second quarter. The win cemented MVC at #11 in the final regular-season rankings and nailed down a playoff spot for the Vikings, who will travel to Sioux City, IA this weekend to take on the Morningside College Mustangs.

## Playoff Preview MVC vs Morningside

The Vikings will take on the Morningside College Mustangs Saturday, November 21st at 1:00 p.m. at Elwood-Olsen Stadium in Sioux City, IA. The mustangs finished the regular season 9-1 in second place in the Great Plains Athletic Confer-

ence, their only loss of the season coming in the final week against the defending national champion University of Sioux Falls, 49-21. The mustangs are appearing in the NAIA Championship Series for the sixth consecutive season.



## MVC Football Weekly Team Awards

- ⇒ DL of the Week  
#49 Rod Thomas
- ⇒ LBs of the Week  
#3 Davohn Dillard  
#55 Nick Williams
- ⇒ DB of the Week  
#18 Sam Toomer
- ⇒ Blocker of the Week  
#73 Ben Smith
- ⇒ Big Play Award  
#7 Walter Ingram
- ⇒ Offensive MVP  
#34 Jacob Cahill
- ⇒ Special Teams MVP  
#19 Paul Wayne Thomas
- ⇒ Scout Players of the Week  
Defense— Cantrell Andrews  
Offense— Micah Bradley

## 2009 MVC Schedule



<b>Baker</b>	<b>W 34-14</b>
<b>@ Culver-Stockton</b>	<b>W 53-0</b>
<b>Lindenwood</b>	<b>L 37-45</b>
<b>@ Benedictine</b>	<b>W 20-19</b>
<b>Graceland</b>	<b>W 36-12</b>
<b>@ William Jewell</b>	<b>W 44-11</b>
<b>Evangel</b>	<b>W 38-6</b>
<b>@ Central Methodist</b>	<b>W 24-10</b>
<b>MidAmerica</b>	<b>L 27-28</b>
<b>@ Avila</b>	<b>W 61-7</b>
<b>@ Morningside</b>	<b>11/21</b>