

## Where the Akron-area high school football league races stand heading into Week 9

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### Key Points AI-assisted summary ⓘ

Seven Greater Akron high school football conference titles are on the line this weekend.

Several undefeated teams, including Norton, CVCA, Highland, and Wadsworth, can clinch at least a share of their respective league championships with a win.

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[Greater Akron high school football teams](#) make up seven conferences throughout the area.

At least a share of all seven league titles can be won this weekend.

Here's a look at where each league crown race sits:

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### Akron City Series outlook

[East \(6-2, 3-0\)](#) travels to [Buchtel \(3-5, 3-0\)](#) on Oct. 18. The winner will gain at least a share of the title. The Dragons are looking for their third consecutive league title.

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### Federal League outlook

[Canton McKinley \(7-1, 5-0\)](#) wins the league outright with a win at [Jackson \(5-3, 3-1\)](#). A loss puts the [Polar Bears](#) and [Hoover \(7-1, 3-1\)](#) in the mix with the [Bulldogs](#).

### Metro Athletic Conference standings

[Norton \(7-0, 5-0\)](#) can clinch at least a share of the title with a win Oct. 17 against [Springfield](#)

(1-7). If Field (2-6, 2-3) beats Streetsboro (6-2, 4-1) and the Panthers win, Norton wins the title outright.

## **North Coast Conference outlook**

Cuyahoga Valley Christian Academy (7-0, 3-0) can clinch at least a share of the inaugural NCC title with a win at Padua (1-7, 0-3). Notre-Dame-Cathedral Latin (6-2, 2-1) and Lake Catholic (6-2, 2-1), who CVCA already beat, are still in the mix.

## **Principals Athletic Conference outlook**

Northwest (5-2, 4-0) can grab a share of the league title with a win Oct. 17 at Fairless (3-5, 0-4). Triway (7-1, 4-1) and Manchester (6-2, 3-1) have a shot at sharing the title.

## **Suburban League American Conference outlook**

Highland (8-0, 5-0) can win its third league title in the last four years with a win at Revere (6-1, 4-1). A Hornets win over the Minutemen and Copley loss to Barberton in Week 9 would give Highland the title outright.

A Revere win could create a three-way tie atop the league with Highland and Copley.

## **Suburban League National Conference standings**

Wadsworth (8-0, 5-0) wins at least a share of a third consecutive league title with a win over Stow (2-6, 0-5) on Oct. 17. If Nordonica (6-2, 3-2) beats Hudson (6-2, 4-1), it would give the Grizzlies the outright title.

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