

The Bulldogs Fall Short to the Indians By Maddy Walz

On January 10, the Golden Plains Bulldogs hosted a game at home against the Saint Francis Indians. This was the boys' first game that was on a Saturday.

St. Francis took control of the game early, but the Bulldogs held on throughout the first quarter to end with a score of 22-9. In the second quarter, two free throws from Jesus Aragon and a basket from Devin Carter put the score at 13-36 at half.

Coming out hotter than ever, the Bulldogs outscored the Indians 15-13 in the third quarter with points contributed from Kade Wessel, Koi Wessel, and Domonic Luna. In the 4th quarter, GPHS competed hard to finish the game but couldn't quite get the win, ending the game with a score of 40-62.

"This game showed us what our potential was," said high scorer Koi Wessel. "We came out in the second half and played our best, even though we didn't come out with the win." Scoring for the Bulldogs included: Cole Ziegelmeier- 2, Dawson Spresser-2, Jesus Aragon-5, Kade Wessel-7, Koi Wessel-14 including 6 out of 6 free throws, Devin Carter-2, Nick Brown-1, Domonic Luna-4, and Brett Gerbitz-3.

Koi Wessel performed well under the board with 2 blocks and 8 rebounds. Other rebounds were captured by Spresser-5, Kade Wessel-5, Cole Ziegelmeier-4, Braden Korte-3, Gerbitz-3, Aragon-3, Brown-2, Carter-2, and Luna-1. Freshman Jeron Schutte also deflected a shot. The Bulldogs will travel to Logan on Tuesday, January 13th to compete against the Trojans.