

Lady Dogs Add More Victories to The Season

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The Golden Plains Bulldogs traveled to Quinter on September 22 to take on the Quinter Bulldogs and Cheylin Cougars. The Varsity girls won both games of the night to advance to 14-3 on the season. The Junior Varsity won their game of the night to move 3-3 on their season. "We played well overall, and adapted to a new change well," said Carli Nieman, "I think that if we continue to work on our new rotation and become more confident then we will be very successful!"

For the first game of the night the Varsity Lady Bulldogs took on the Cheylin Cougars. The Lady Dogs struggled in the first set, while the Cheylin Cougars continued to hustle. The Dogs fell 21-25 in the first set. The Bulldogs and Cougars battled the whole second set, but the Dogs captured the second set win 25-23. The third set was a continuous battle throughout. The Dogs kept persevering and won the set 25-21.

The second match of the day was a battle between the Bulldogs between Golden Plains and Quinter. The GPHS Lady Dogs started the game with intensity and jumped ahead and never looked back. They won the first set 25-7. Quinter came into the second set ready for revenge and jumped out to a 6-0 lead. Golden Plains continued to fight through the deficit and fought back into the game. They won the second set 25-15 to capture the game. The Golden Plains Varsity team continues to be ranked #4 in the KVA State Rankings.

The Junior Varsity girls took on the Quinter Bulldogs in a best of 5 match. The Golden Plains Lady Dogs and Quinter Dogs competed closely throughout the first set. The GPHS Dogs took the first set 26-24. The second set was another close game. The Golden Plains Bulldogs won the second set in similar fashion, 26-24. Going into the third set the GPHS Lady Dogs were determined to finish the game. They kept their excitement and pushed to win 25-18 to win the game. "I think that everyone played hard throughout the game!" said Jordyn Fleckenstein, "We need to continue to work hard and communicate to finish our season successful."

The Bulldogs will travel to Tribune on September 26 to take on the Weskan Coyotes, Sharon Springs Wildcats, and Greeley County Jackrabbits for three varsity games.