

Lady Bulldogs Open New Year With a Win By Judy Rogers

The Golden Plains Lady Bulldogs opened 2022 with a 60-33 win over the Wichita County Lady Indians in Rexford on January 4.

The girls came out ready to play as they captured a 17-4 lead in the first quarter. Although The Indians scored first, the Dogs answered and pulled ahead 13-2 before the Indians could add another basket.

The Indians fought back in the second quarter and brought the game within 8, but the Bulldogs worked together to maintain their lead. A buzzer shot by junior Sidney Taylor gave the Bulldogs a 30-15 half time lead.

The Bulldogs came on strong again in the third adding 16 points while the Indians matched their second quarter score with 11 more. Working hard, the Bulldogs continued into the fourth with an additional 14, holding the Indians to 7 for the 60-33 win.

Sidney Taylor led the Bulldogs with a career-high 21 points. "I was happy to be able to help my team get a good win," said Taylor. "I appreciate my teammates working together for the win." Kassie Miller added 13 points, Jordyn Fleckenstein 8, Breanna Rath 7, Morgan Wark 6, Rayna Taylor 2, Carli Nieman 2, and Anette Hernandez-Lopez 1.

Miller led the Dogs with 9 rebounds along with 8 by Rath, 7 by Fleckenstein, 6 by Sidney Taylor, 5 by Wark, Rayna Taylor 3, Nieman 1, and Hernandez 1. Miller also had 6 assists and 5 steals. Rath had 4 assists and 2 steals, Sidney Taylor 2 assists and 4 steals, Fleckenstein 2 assists and 1 steal, Rayna Taylor 2 assists, Amie Cheney 1 assist and 1 steal, Nieman 1 assist, and Wark 1 steal.

The Lady Bulldogs will continue their 6-0 season with a makeup game against Cheylin/St. Francis in McDonald on January 10.