

Lady Bulldogs Place Fifth at Hill City By Jamie Graves

The Golden Plains Lady Bulldogs track team placed third at their first meet of the season at the Hill City Invitational on April 14 with a total of 54 points.

Sophomore Emma Weiner showed why she was the cross country state champion last fall as she placed first in both the 1600m and the 3200m. She ran the 1600m in 5:45.52. In the 3200m, she ran a 12:25.42.

Junior Breanna Rath jumped over a foot further than last season record at 34'11" placing first in Triple Jump. Rath also placed third in the Long Jump with a 15' 2" jump, and placed fourth in the 300m hurdles with a time of 53.19.

The 4 x 800m relay team placed first running a time of 11:01.30 with Anette Hernandez, Rayna Taylor, Weiner, and Sidney Taylor running the laps. The girls also ran the 4 x 400m with a time of 4:46.39 run by Hernandez, Rath, Weiner and S. Taylor.

Kassie Miller placed sixth in Discus with a throw of 94'7" and sixth in Shot Put with a throw of 32'8.5". "It was a good start to the season," said Miller, "I look forward to improving and finishing off my high school track season right."

Morgan Wark just missed out on points placing 7th in Discus with a throw of 92'.1" as well as placing 7th in Shot Put with a throw of 32'8". Also falling just short of points in 7th place was Sidney Taylor with a run of 1:09.74 in the 400m and Anette Hernandez finishing 7th in the 1600m run at 6:32.01

Results of additional events included: 100m-Mariah Barnett 15.38, Ava Brantley 15.05, and Hayden Wark 15.56, 200m-Barnett 33.09, Brantley 32.82, H. Wark 33.47, 400m-Brantley 1:14.72, Barnett 1:28.46, S.Taylor 1:09.74, 800m-Hernandez 2:50.57, R. Taylor 3:01.34, 1600m-R. Taylor 7:01.13, 4x100m-Carli Neiman, H. Wark, Brantley, and Barnett 1:01.86, Javelin-Miller 94'0", M. Wark 78'3", Discus-Neiman 64'3". The girls will compete again in Oakley on April 22.