

## A-team Boys defeat Thunderhawks By Anette Henandez

The Golden Plains Middle School Boys Basketball team continued their season on January 27 against Grinnell/Wheatland Thunderhawks in Rexford. The A-team defeated the Thunderhawks 32-14 while the B-team lost 2-10 in a two quarter game.

The B-team boys were unable to score the first quarter while Thunderawks opened with 6 points to end the first quarter with a 6-0 Thunderhawk lead. They scored their only points of the game in the second quarter with a basket from sixth grader Tanner Todd. The Dogs had good defense but were unable to keep the Thunderhaks from scoring, and ended the game with 2-10. "We had good speed and we hustled up the floor," said Manuel Holguin, 6th grader. "We just need to work on our passing but overall we did good."

The A-team started off with a 10-2 first quarter lead against the Thunderhawks. The Dogs kept up their work and added 5 points while the Thunderhawks only added 4 in the second quarter. The boys continued to score throughout the game with 8 in the third and 9 in the fourth to win the game 32-14. "We had really good positioning and it was fun," said Tanner Todd.

Points for the bulldogs were Dylan Wark 19, Diego Perez 9, Zeke Weiner 2, and Todd 2. The boys finished their regular season against the Weskan Coyotes in Rexford on February 3.