

Lady Bulldogs Sweep Quad  
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On Tuesday, September 10, the Golden Plains High School Lady Bulldogs hosted matches against Triplains/Brewster, Heartland Christian, and Greeley County. Golden Plains had a successful day, gaining four wins, one by the JV and three by the varsity.

The first game of the day was a matchup between the Lady Bulldogs' and Triplains/Brewster's JV. Golden Plains came into this match after two tough losses last week against Triplains/Brewster and Logan. "It felt great to get our first win of the season," said Freshman Morgan Ritter. "We were more confident this week than last week which led to our win." The Lady Bulldogs took the first set, 25-21. Triplains/Brewster bounced back in the second set to win 15-25. The third set was a tough battle on both sides, but the Lady Bulldogs came out on top 15-8 to win the match, avenging their previous loss.

The Lady Bulldog varsity's first match was against the Greeley County Lady Jackrabbits. Golden Plains dominated in the first match winning big, 25-1. The Lady Bulldogs finished off the game defeating Greeley County, 25-7.

Next, Golden Plains took on the Triplains/Brewster Lady Titans. The Lady Titans had defeated Golden Plains in three hard fought matches the previous week. The Lady Bulldogs began the set on top and remained on top, winning the set 25-15. In the second set, Triplains/Brewster led most of the match until Golden Plains tied it up 16-16 and ran off with the set defeating the Lady Titans 25-18.

"The girls stepped on the floor with confidence and poise on Tuesday," said Ashley Arnberger, assistant coach for the Lady Bulldogs. "They kept their heads up and worked hard to avenge their previous loss to Triplains/Brewster. I was very proud of their effort."

The last match of the night was against the Heartland Christian Lady Crusaders. The first set ended in the Lady Bulldogs favor, 25-15. Heartland went on a six point spread in the beginning of the second set. Golden Plains gained their composure and tied it up 15-15. The Lady Bulldogs pulled through until the end of the game winning, 25-18.

"As a whole in all of our games, we hustled and picked up balls we usually wouldn't. We kept the intensity up through all the games and worked our tails off. All of these aspects led to our three wins." Kami Miller, sophomore, added. "I couldn't be more proud of the way we played and how we picked ourselves up when things weren't going in our favor."

The Lady Bulldogs next matches will be Saturday, September 14, in Tribune with rematches against Greeley County and Heartland Christian.