

Spresser/Rush Set Records at League Meet
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Two track athletes set records for Golden Plains Middle School at the Western Kansas Liberty League meet in Logan on May 12.

Dylan Spresser, an 8th grader, set a new meet and a new school record in triple jump with a jump of 37' 5.25". The previous WKLL record was 37' 3" set in 1998 by Kellen Howard from Cheylin. Spresser, the son of Curt and Jennifer Spresser of rural Hoxie, said it "feels good" to set the record. "Good for him!" said Jesse Miller, the previous triple jump record holder at GPMS set in 2001. "This was his last chance to get it done. I hope he keeps improving." Spresser will have his work cut out for him in high school during the next four years as his brother, Zach, currently holds the high school triple jump record of 42' 8.5" set in 2013.

Wade Rush, a sixth grader at GPMS, also set a new WKLL meet record in Discus for the 7th grade division. The previous record of 104' 9" was set in 2009 by Ben Speer of Dighton. Rush had set 100' as his goal for the season and was pleased to surpass that distance for the new record.