

B-Team Girls Kick Off the Season By Ashley Stoll

The Golden Plains Middle School B-team Lady Bulldogs played their first basketball games of the year at the Preseason Tournament in Brewster on November 11 playing two games against Triplains/Brewster and Northern Valley.

They began the day with the Triplains/Brewster Titans. Starting off strong, the Dogs pulled ahead 6-0. The girls scored 12 more points before ending the first half, holding Triplains/Brewster to 0, making the score 18-0.

The Bulldogs fought hard to finish the third quarter 28-2. The girls continued to compete and keep their lead, winning 36-6. Contributors to the score were Jordyn Fleckenstein 14, Sidney Taylor 12, Jazline Manriquez 4, and McHaley Carter, Allie Lamme, and Valentina Bermudez each with 2.

The Bulldogs went on to play Northern Valley. In the first quarter, the Lady Dogs began with a rough start, falling behind the Huskies in the first quarter 0-2. They came back fighting in the second quarter putting in 8 points, ending the second quarter trailing 8-9.

The Bulldogs stayed with the Huskies ending the third quarter 10-13. The 'Dogs never gave up in the fourth quarter as they posted up an additional 8 coming from behind for the 18-17 win.

Sidney Taylor led the team scoring 8, Jordyn Fleckenstein 6, Jazline Manriquez 2, and McHaley Carter 2. "We were tired and exhausted from two games in one day," said McHaley Carter. "We need to work on defense for our next game." The 'Dogs will be traveling to Logan on Thursday, November 16 to face the Trojans.