

Bulldogs Place Second at Triplains Inv.
By Judy Rogers

The Golden Plains Bulldog Track team placed second at the Triplains Invitational in Colby on April 9 with a total of 87 points scored. “This meet went well,” said Sophomore Dylan Wark. “We’ve gotten off to a good start with a lot of improvements.”

Ezekiel Weiner placed first in the 3200m run with an improved time of 12:02.88. Isaiah Gonzales finished second at 12:19.53 and Open Patmon fourth at 13:16.03. The 4 x 800m relay team also improved their time to 9:02.21 to place first with Landon Meier, Patmon, Weiner, and Dylan Wark running.

Josh Rath improved his distance in both the long jump and triple jump to place second in each. He long jumped 19’0” and triple jumped 40’ 4 ½”. Also placing 2nd was Dylan Wark with a 17.63 second run in the 110m hurdles.

Third place points were awarded to Wark in the 800m with a season best run of 2:12.53 and Landon Meier with an improved time of 5:14.4 in the 1600m run. The 4 x 400m relay team of Meier, Rath, Carlos Garcia, and Wark also placed third with an improved time of 3:52.44.

Miguel Garcia threw a season best 100’ 7” in discus for fourth place and Meier reduced his time in the 800m to 2:14.13 for fourth place. Wyatt Amlong placed fifth in shot put with a 36’ 6” throw and Tanner Black placed sixth in triple jump at 32’ 11”.

The 4 x 100m relay team of Amlong, Black, Garcia and Abe Taylor placed sixth with an improved 51.64 run. Zeke Weiner improved his time in the 1600m to 5:30.54 for sixth place, and Owen Patmon improved his time to 5:41.42. Taylor just missed out on points in seventh place with a 117’ 9” javelin throw.

Rath improved his time to 26.65 in the 200m while Carlos Garcia improved his time to 28.44. Black improved his long jump to 15’ 8” and all three 100m dash runners improved their times—Black 12.71, C. Garcia 13.60, and M. Garcia 14.16.

Additional event results include: Discus—Amlong 94’ 2”, Taylor 74’ 2”, Javelin—M. Garcia 82’ 2”, Shot Put—M. Garcia 33’ 5.5”, Taylor 31’ 9”, Long Jump—Isaiah Gonzales 11’ 4.5”, 400m—Patmon 1:00.76, Gonzales 1:02.2, 800m—Gonzales 2:35.32, 200m—Amlong 28.37.

“We should continue to improve as the season progresses,” added Wark. We hope to qualify as many as we can for state.” The Dogs continue their season at the Hill City Invitational on April 12.