

GPHS Girls Win on the Road
By Morgan Ritter

The Golden Plains High School Lady Bulldogs traveled to McDonald on Friday, February 10, to take on the Cheylin Cougars.

The varsity girls stepped onto the court ready to play, but the Cougars were able to stay ahead of the Lady Bulldogs at the end of the first quarter, 6-7. In the second quarter of play, the 'Dogs took control of the game, scoring 13 points. Cheylin was able to add only 7 to the scoreboard, making it 19-14 heading into halftime.

Returning from halftime, the Lady Bulldogs maintained a solid lead and with their strong defense, were able to keep the Cougars from getting back into the game. At the end of the third quarter, the 'Dogs were ahead 35-20. The Lady Bulldogs were able to finish the game strong, outscoring the Cougars 13-5. The final score was 48-25, and the Lady Bulldogs improved their record to 14-3.

Sophomore KayCee Miller led the team with 19 points, 2 rebounds, 3 assists, 5 steals; senior Gabrielle Schiltz had 8 pts., 5 reb., 3 ast., 2 stl.; freshman Mabel Lugo with 8 pts., 3 reb., 1 ast., 3 stl.; junior Maggi Nieman- 4 pts., 2 reb., 4 ast., 4 stl.; senior Morgan Ritter- 4 pts., 10 reb., 3 stl.; junior Kaylie Schaben- 3 pts., 6 reb., 1 ast., 1 stl.; freshman Candace Taylor- 2 pts.; freshman Emily Stoltz- 1 reb.; junior Jennifer Esparza- 2 reb., 1 ast.

"It felt good to get this win on the road," said Senior Carmen Sepulveda, "and as the season is coming to an end, it is awesome to see how much we have improved over the year."

The Lady Bulldogs travel to Atwood on February 14 to take on the Buffaloes and then travel to Palco on February 17 to take on the Roosters.