

Bulldogs Go 1-1 at Home By Brianna Stoll

On Monday, September 21, the Golden Plains Junior High Lady Bulldogs hosted a Tri against Oberlin and Atwood. The Bulldogs had very competitive matches throughout the day. The A team played their first game against Atwood. The Lady Buffs came out ready to go during the first set, beating the Bulldogs 25-9. Keeping their spirits high, the Bulldogs came back and fought hard, falling just short of a win with the final score of 25-21. "We can improve on talking and moving for our next game," said Head Coach Mindy Fleckenstein. "We need to continue to work on the little things." This was the Lady Bulldogs' first loss of the season.

Ready to redeem themselves, the Lady Bulldogs picked up their game and came out victorious over Oberlin winning 25-20. The Lady Red Devils didn't back down during the second set, and they ended up beating Golden Plains 25-22. Not willing to let this game slip away from them, the Lady Bulldogs came out hot during the 3rd set winning 15-4. "We picked up our game a lot during our second game," stated eighth grader KayCee Miller. "I'm very pleased with how this season is going." The Bulldogs now have a record of 5-1.

The B team also had two games on Monday. Their first game was against Atwood. They played a very close first set against the Lady Bufs, just barely losing 15-12. This didn't discourage them, and they came back and fought very hard for a victory in the second set, ending the match 26-24. Atwood was very motivated during the 3rd set, and they got away with a win, scoring 25-18 against Golden Plains.

The Lady Bulldogs started off the second match against Oberlin very strong, defeating the Lady Red Devils 25-16. Picking up their momentum, Oberlin ended up beating Golden Plains 25-17. During the 3rd set, the Bulldogs pushed through and came out on top, beating the Lady Red Devils 15-9.

The Lady Bulldogs A-team received their first loss of the season while the B-team earned their second. The Lady 'Dogs played Cheylin later in the week and will rematch with Triplains/Brewster this week in Brewster.