

GPHS Boys Win First Game

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The Golden Plains High School Boys varsity team won their first game of the season 48-47 in Logan on January 4. They moved their record to 1-6 on the season.

The Bulldogs started the game strong with a 5-0 lead, but trailed the Trojans 7-11 at the end of the first quarter of play. The 'Dogs had a great second quarter and found ways to put points up while playing tough defense on the Trojans. They scored 30 points in the quarter—their strongest of the season—to lead 37-27 going into halftime.

Coming out of halftime the Bulldogs put in 7 points, while the Trojans added 10 more to their score. The Bulldogs still led 44-37 going into the third quarter. With late baskets from Wade Rush and Jacob Ritter the Bulldogs held on to capture their first win of the season 48-47.

“It felt nice to get our first win of the season!” said Wade Rush, “Our offense was really good in the second quarter and we worked hard to get the win. I hope we continue to win!”

Scoring for the Bulldogs were Caleb Korte with 12, Jacob Ritter with 10, Harley Weese with 9, Wade Rush with 8, Nolan Ritter with 6, and Austin Patmon with 3. The Bulldogs will take on St. Francis at home on January 5.