

Lady Bulldogs Fight Hard Against Thunderhawks
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The Golden Plains Lady Bulldogs put up a hard fight against the Lady Thunderhawks in Rexford on February 9 but fell 26-37 by the end of the game.

The Bulldogs could only get two baskets from junior Hayden Wark to fall in the first quarter as the Hawks took the lead with 10. The Hawks extended their lead in the second with an additional 15 while the Bulldogs only managed to add a free throw from Wark and a basket by freshman Kailee Wessel. The Dogs trailed 25-7 at the half.

The Bulldogs stepped up their defense in the third to hold the Hawks to 8 allowing the offense to also score 8—5 of them from free throws along with a 3 from sophomore Anais Cepeda. The Lady Bulldogs were not about to give up as they continued to work the floor in the fourth. Cepeda hit another 3, as did Wark, and the girls hit several free throws. The Hawks were only able to add an additional 4, but their earlier lead gave them the win 37-26 over the Bulldogs.

Wark led the Dogs with 12 points along with 8 from Cepeda, and 6 from Wessel. The girls will play their last regular season home game against Rawlins County in Rexford on February 13.