

## JV Girls Face Two Hard Opponents By Brittany Fringer

The Golden Plains High School JV girls had a busy weekend with back-to-back games. Their first game was on Friday, January 8<sup>th</sup> facing the Triplains/Brewster Lady Titans in Winona. On Saturday GP traveled to St. Francis to take on the Indians.

The Lady Bulldogs fell behind 4-7 in the first quarter of the Triplains/Brewster game. Coming back in the second quarter, the Bulldogs tied the game 11-11. The Lady Titans pulled back ahead in the 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter holding a 17-15 lead going into the fourth. The Bulldogs fell short in the fourth, losing 17-22. Scoring for the Bulldogs were Sierra Finlay-6, Morgan Ritter-3, Kaylie Schaben-3, Amanda Cheney-2, Noel Ritter-2, and Maggi Nieman-1.

St. Francis came out on fire, dominating the first quarter 11-3 of the two quarter game on Saturday. The Bulldogs picked up their momentum in the second quarter, but it was not enough to beat the Indians who won 22-13. "I think we worked better on Saturday than we did on Friday," commented Sophomore Sierra Finlay. "We showed a lot more effort against Saint Francis," agreed Sophomore Maggi Nieman. "Having good momentum really helped us play better."

Putting up points for the Bulldogs against the Indians, were Morgan Ritter-6, Kaylie Schaben-4, Sierra Finlay-2, and Maggi Nieman-1. The Bulldogs now have a record of 1-2. They will host their next game on Tuesday, January 12<sup>th</sup> against the Logan Lady Trojans.