

One Win, One Loss for the Lady 'Dogs
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The Golden Plains Lady Bulldogs played the Western Plains Bobcats in Bazine on Monday, January 11. The B-team girls lost another game while the A-team remains undefeated after a close 17-13 win.

The Western Plains Bobcats came on strong for the B-team game outscoring the Bulldogs 10-0 in the first quarter. Danica Ritter was able to put one basket in during the 2nd quarter, while the defense held the Bobcats scoreless making the score 2-10 at the half.

The Lady 'Dogs couldn't match the Lady Bobcats momentum in the third as the 'Dogs were kept off the boards again as the Bobcats added 12. The Bulldogs picked it up and scored 4 more points in the fourth with a basket each from Morgan Wark and Carli Nieman, but it still wasn't enough to keep up with the Bobcats who won the game 32-6.

This was the third consecutive game that the Bulldogs only put in six points. "We played better as a team than we have in the past," said 7th grader Hannah Bange. "They were super aggressive. Next game we need to be more aggressive and take more shots.

The A-team girls started their game out with a 4-1 lead over the Bobcats. They kept up the momentum in the second quarter to lead 11-3 at the half. The Bulldogs kept their lead adding 6 more points in the third holding the Bobcats to 2. The Bobcats came alive in the fourth quarter putting in 8 points as the 'Dogs couldn't make a shot. The 'Dogs held their lead for the 17-13 win. On January 21, the Golden Plains Bulldogs will be traveling to Healy. There will only be varsity games with the A-team girls beginning at 4:00.