MS Boys Place Third at Northern Valley By Judy Rogers

The Golden Plains Middle School boys placed third at the Northern Valley Invitational in Logan on April 13 with the 7th and 8th grade boys competing together.

Wade Rush led off their points with a first place shot put throw of 39' 11.5". He also placed second in discus (133'9"), sixth in high jump (4' 8"), and was a member of the third place 800 medley relay along with Roberto Loya, Alex Gonzalez, and Rolis Loya with a time of 2:09.1—the best time this season.

Rolis Loya also placed second in the 1600m run with his season best time of 5:50.1. He improved his time in the 800m run to 2:52.1 for sixth place. Roberto Loya placed fifth in the 100m dash with his personal best time of 13.51 and finished fifth behind his brother in the 1600m run at 6:00.8

In addition to the medley, Alex Gonzalez placed third in long jump (13' 11"), fourth in the 200m hurdles with a personal record time of 34.36, and sixth in triple jump (30' 4.5").

Toby Korte placed fourth in discus with a 95' 4" throw. The relays also did well with the 400m relay finishing in 1:12.1 for sixth place run by Wyatt McDonald, BJ Rogers, Ashton Schiltz, and Jovanny Infante. The 800m relay team of Fabian Cepeda, Infante, Korte, and Kole Butts placed fifth with a season best time of 2:16.1.

The sixth grade competed in a separate division. Jesus Monge was the only competitor to place as he finished fourth in the 800m run with a personal best time of 3:05.6 and sixth in the 100m hurdles running another season best 26.6 seconds. They are scheduled to compete again at the Quinter Invitational on April 28.