6th Grade Wins First Home Meet By Maggi Nieman

The Golden Plains Middle School Scholar's Bowl Teams competed in their first meet of the year at home October 23 in Rexford. The eighth grade team had 8 rounds, the seventh grade had 7 rounds, and the sixth grade had just five rounds, with Rawlins County having 2 teams.

The eighth grade didn't end up placing in the top three, but they had a tied record of 4-4. Contestants on the team were Morgan Wark, Roberto Loya, Lauren Patmon, Wyatt McDonald, Alisha Brantley, and Joshua Yanez. Heartland earned first with an undefeated record of 8-0. Rawlins County snatched second with 6 wins and 2 losses, and Greeley County grabbed third with 5 wins and 3 losses.

In the seventh grade, they had a bit of a struggle with this meet. They made it out with two wins and 5 losses. Team members were Sidney Taylor, Jamie Graves, Kloie Jones, Breanna Rath, McHayley Carter, and Jazline Manriquez. Rawlins County grabbed first with an undefeated record, while Cheylin got second with 4 wins and 3 losses. Weskan ended with third earning 4 wins and 3 losses.

This was the sixth grade's first ever meet. They placed first going undefeated in all 5 rounds! Team members for Golden Plains are: Jerrit Koerperich, Jordyn Fleckenstein, Mia Rogers, Jorja Juenemann, and Will Bruggeman. Second place went to Rawlins County Black with 4 wins and 1 loss, and rounding out the competition was Grinnell with 3 wins and 2 losses.

The next competition for the MS team will be at the Rawlins County Invitational in Atwood on November 6.