GPMS Girls Win Meet By Amanda Cheney

The Golden Plains Middle School track teams travelled to Logan to compete in the Northern Valley Junior High Husky Track Meet on April 12. Many of the girls improved on their results from the first meet helping the 7th and 8th grade girls win the meet with a total of 126 points. Coming in second was Logan with 91 and Northern Valley was third with 80.

Three events won first place at the meet including Breanna Rath in triple jump with a distance of 28' 11.25", Morgan Wark in 100 meter hurdles with a time of 18.01, and Jazline Manriquez in the 1600m run with a 6:28.66 run.

Several of the girls had second place finishes adding to the point total. This included Kassie Miller beating her own school record in shot put with a throw of 34'. "It was my goal to break my record from last year," said Miller. "I was glad to get it in the second meet of the season. Hopefully, I can extend it yet again this season."

Also placing second were Breanna Rath in long jump (13' 10.25") and in the 1600m run (6:40.67), Jazline Manriquez in the 800m run (2:58.61), and Morgan Wark in the 200m hurdles (35.09).

Third place finishes included Kassie Miller in discus (74' 6.75"), McHaley Carter in triple jump (28' 4.25") and in the 400m run (1:14.77), and the 800m relay team made up of McHaley Carter, Kassie Miller, Jazline Manriquez, and Jayda Schwarz placed third with a time of 2:13.69.

Placing fourth were Morgan Wark-shot put (30' 1.5"), Breanna Rath-100m hurdles (18.25), Amie Cheney-200m hurdles (36.49), the 4x100m relay team made up of Jamie Graves, Sanjuanita Cruz, Lauren Patmon, and Alisha Brantley (1:06.89), and the 800 medley relay team which included Jayda Schwarz, Amie Cheney, Carli Nieman, and Sidney Taylor (2:21.33).

Fifth place finishes included Morgan Wark in discus (66' .5"), Rayna Taylor in the 1600m run (7:37.31), Sidney Taylor in the 400m run (1:15.50), Jayda Schwarz in the 100m dash (14.78), and McHaley Carter in the 200m hurdles (37.71). Earning one point each in 6th place were Carli Nieman-1600m run (7:39.33), and Sidney Taylor-800m run (3:11.82)

The girls will compete next in Atwood on Thursday, April 19.