

Sixth Grade Boys Place Third at NV Invitational

By Judy Rogers

The Golden Plains Sixth Grade boys track team scored 56 points and placed third at the Northern Valley Invitation in Logan on April 15. The meet was rescheduled from the previous week due to weather.

Owen Patmon won both the 400m run with a time of 1:15.0 and the 800m run with a time of 3:01.1. He placed second in long jump at 11'0".

Josh Rath placed second in the softball throw with a distance of 129' 7". This was the first time he'd competed in this event. "Softball was fun," said Rath. "I think I could do well because I used to play baseball." Rath also placed fourth in long jump at 10' 9" and fourth in the 100m hurdles with a time of 25.62 seconds. His final event was the 200m dash where finished in sixth place running in 35.62 seconds. "I enjoy running because it is fun to beat someone," added Rath. "I enjoyed competing among other sixth graders."

Abe Taylor placed second in the 800m run just behind Patmon running 3:31.0. He placed sixth in discus throwing 41' 9". Additional points were scored by Dominic Stout with a fifth place run of 1:43.8. The boys will compete again on April 22 in Hill City.