Sixth Graders Play Flag Game By Judy Rogers Flag Team Plays First Game By Judy Rogers

The Golden Plains sixth grade flag football team finally was able to play their first game of the season against the Triplains/Brewster Titans in Rexford on September 14. They played four offensive possessions per team following the tackle game.

The Titans scored a touchdown on their first possession. They attempted the point after, but had a flag captured by Cameron Sweigart. On offense, Sweigart made several good runs along with Blake Horobik after getting the ball from quarterback Ruxin Arnberger and center Vincent Taylor.

Although they didn't score on their first possession, Arnberger intercepted a Titan pass and ran in for a Bulldog touchdown. The extra point attempt was unsuccessful and the teams were tied 6-6. "It felt exhilarating to get the interception," said Arnberger, "and to run it back for the score."

The Titans scored again on their next possession and were successful in their extra point attempt to lead 13-6. The Bulldogs then scored a safety as the Titans fumbled in the end zone to give the Dogs 2 points. Following additional carries by Sweigart and several pass attempts, the Titans claimed the win 13-8.

Additional players helping out the team on defense were Jaxon Juenemann and Liam Wright. The boys all agreed they had fun playing the game and are looking forward to playing again. "It was good to finally get to play after weeks of practice," said Sweigart. "We need to work on our blocking and awareness of where our blockers are," added Arnberger.