

Lady Bulldogs Beat Rawlins by Three By Breanna Rath

The Golden Plains Lady Bulldogs traveled to Rawlins County on Tuesday, February 14 to take on the Lady Buffaloes. The game was a nail-biter clear to the 4th, but the Lady Bulldogs fought to the end and defeated the Buffs by 3 points, 42-39.

The jump went to the Bulldogs allowing them to set up their offense. The Buffs played aggressive and took control of the floor quickly, outscoring the Bulldogs 13-6 in the first quarter. After a quick reality check, the Bulldogs began to take care of business. Two 3-pointers in the second quarter got the Dogs rolling along with other baskets from the Bulldogs to finish the half with a 22-17 GP lead.

Both teams worked hard coming back from the half. Eight points from both teams were added to the score, putting the game a close 30-25 going into the 4th. The 4th quarter was loaded with action, as the lead was going back and forth between the two teams. The Bulldogs knocked down 6 free throws to help lead to the 3 point victory over the Lady Buffs. The game ended 42-39 in favor of the Bulldogs with several exhausted players from both teams, as it took top energy from all ten on the floor.

Points in the game came from Jordyn Fleckenstein 13, Breanna Rath 12, Anette Hernandez 10, and Sidney Taylor 7. Leading the Dogs in steals was Rath with 8, Taylor and Hernandez each with 4, and Fleckenstein 2. Rebounds came from Hernandez with 10, Emma Weiner 5, Taylor and Fleckenstein each with 4, and Rath with 2. The Lady Bulldogs advanced their record to 15-3 after claiming this much-deserved, hard-earned win. The girls return home to host their final two games of the regular season against Northern Valley and Wallace County.