

WVLX Market Report Store Sale -20th Of August, 2020

Yarding: 3'397

WVLX held yet another excellent sale consisting of 3'397 head of cattle although it was a cold start this morning that didn't stop a very active and strong sale! There were 348 registered bidders through AuctionsPlus who bid on 118 different lots, purchasing 29 lots of the yarding which saw cattle head off to northern New South Wales, South Australia and Gippsland. Grown steers topped out at 432c/kg for 411kg cattle or to a top head price of \$2271.75, with the bulk of the portion making between 400c/kg-420c/kg. The weaner steers saw a top of 530c/kg for 238kg steers, with top price per head achieving \$1707.58, the balance of these making 420c/kg or 490c/kg. Open Auction steers made to a top of \$1350 per head or 511c/kg. Some Autumn drop cattle were on offer today, the well bred angus steers weighed in at 181kg on average and returned \$1150 per head or 635c/kg, the sisters weighing in at 215kg on average and returning \$1220 per head or 567c/kg.

Grown heifers made to a top of 424c/kg, or \$1803.80 per head; the balance of the portion making between 390c/kg-410c/kg. There were just short of 500 weaner heifers on offer today with top pen making to 456c/kg or \$1635.74 per head, the rest of yarding making between 410c/kg to 440c/kg. Open Auction heifers fetched to a top of \$1270 per head or 567c/kg for the well bred cattle.

There 54 Cows & Calves presented at today's sale with 4 Speckle Park cows and calves making \$2520.00 per head and the balance making between \$1800-\$2200. X-bred cattle did exceptionally well as they topped out at 376c/kg, Freisian steers topping out at 316c/kg. X-bred heifers making to 386c/kg.

Market Report: WVLX Agent's Association President, Alister Nash.

Category	Tops	
Grown Steers	Top \$/h Top c/kg	\$2200.92 432.0
Grown Heifers	Top \$/h Top c/kg	\$1803.80 424.0
Weighed Weaner Steers	Top \$/h Top c/kg	\$1707.58 530.0
Weighed Weaner Heifers	Top \$/h Top c/kg	\$1635.74 456.0
Heifer	Top \$/h Top c/kg	\$1643.50 488.0
Steer	Top \$/h Top c/kg	\$2271.75 516.0
Open Auction Heifer	Top \$/h	\$1270.00
Open Auction Steer	Top \$/h	\$1350.00
Cows & Calves	Top \$/h	\$2520.00
Cows	Top \$/h	\$1720.00
PTIC Heifers	Top \$/h	\$1400.00





Top: Charles Stewart Nash McVilly clients "Bruan Partnership" were awarded with the best presented pen of steers at today's Store Sale. These outstanding 18 Angus steers weighed in on average 467kg going under the hammer for 424c/kg, or \$1983.38 per head!

Bottom left: Charles Stewart & Co sold a pen of 29 Angus steers on behalf of Waimari Pastoral Company. The well conditioned steers weighed in at 411.7kg on average and sold for 432c/kg.

Bottom right: LMB Livestock presented an excellent pen of Autumn drop weaner cattle today. The Autumn drop weaner heifers were awarded best presented pen of heifers which sold for \$1220 head or 567c/kg. The brothers did exceptionally well weighing in at 181kg and fetching 635c/kg. Congratulations LJ & CJ Tonissen, "Trenoweth".

Upcoming Sales at WVLX:

- Prime Sale- 24th of August, sale starts at 9am.
- Prime Sale- 31st of August, sale starts at 9am.
- Prime Sale-7th of September, sale starts at 9am.
- Prime Sale-14th of September, sale starts at 9am.