



Western Victoria Livestock Exchange

WVLX Market Report

Prime Cattle - 16th Of November, 2020

Total Yarding: 1'091

Agents yarded 1,091 cattle at Mortlake this week, an increase of 250 with the overall offering very good to excellent. All the regular processors were present and active as well as feeders who were very active in a market that was firm for the trade cattle. Manufacturing steers with the heavy grown steers and heifers eased from 5c to 10c/kg, particularly the lighter to medium weight steers with less cover. The cows were firm to 10c/kg stronger especially for the medium weights.

Milk vealers to the trade made up to 450c whilst restockers paid to 449c/kg. Yearling steers to the trade sold from 375c to 425c, with a heifer portion making from 377c to 434c, feeders paid up to 389c/kg. The grown steers made from 343c to 390c while grown heifers sold from 320c and 400c/kg. Manufacturing steers made from 320c to 365c/kg.

Heavy beef bred cows sold from 300c to 339c whilst the medium weight beef cows made from 290c to 329c/kg. The very well covered dairy cows sold from 260c to 288c/kg. Cows back to the paddock made to a top of 282c/kg. Whilst grown beef Bulls sold to 280c/kg.

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Category	Weight		c/kg	\$/Hd
Bull	0-700kg	Top	354.0	\$1937.60
		Av	303.0	\$1309.01
Bull	700+	Top	280.0	\$3152.80
		Av	268.0	\$2583.60
Bullocks		Top	390.0	\$2707.54
		Av	361.3	\$2205.24
Light Steers	0-350	Top	450.0	\$1527.76
		Av	427.4	\$1399.05
Light Heifers	0-350	Top	444.0	\$1500.70
		Av	382.5	\$1193.34
Trade Steers	351-500	Top	439.0	\$1924.32
		Av	381.5	\$1666.38
Trade Heifers	351-500	Top	434.0	\$1887.60
		Av	374.8	\$1634.91
Grown Steers	500+	Top	424.0	\$2659.80
		Av	382.3	\$2122.48
Grown Heifers	500+	Top	400.0	\$2286.67
		Av	382.6	\$1978.13
Dairy Cows		Top	288.0	\$2001.60
		Av	282.7	\$1803.71
Beef Cows		Top	339.0	\$3257.85
		Av	317.9	\$1842.46



Top: Nutrien Livestock sold an outstanding pen of angus milk vealers on behalf of R & J Keast at today's Prime Market. The mixed sex vealers were sold under open auction making to \$1280 or 463c/kg. Congratulations!

Bottom Left: Elders Kerr & Co sold a pen of angus cows on behalf of JHW Patterson & Sons. The heavy weight cows went under the hammer for 333c/kg or a whopping \$3257.85!

Bottom Right: Charles Stewart & Co sold a pen of Angus milk vealers on behalf of Lochclyde Pastoral Company. Two of the vealers making to 450c/kg or \$1406.25 with the balance going under the hammer for 444c/kg or \$1332.00!

Upcoming Sales and Events:

- ***Store Sale- 19th Of November, sale starts at 10am.***
- ***Prime Sale- 23rd Of November, sale starts at 9am.***
- ***Prime Sale- 30th Of November, sale starts at 9am.***