



Western Victoria Livestock Exchange

WVLX Market Report Store Sale - 18th February, 2021

Yarding: 4,735

The February Store Sale saw a very good quality yarding of cattle which sold to a huge demand. The Grown Steers topped at 474c/kg returning just over \$2400, while most of the good-weighted steers to suit the feedlotter changed hands for between 420c/kg and 450c/kg. The heavier two & four tooth Steers that were closer to 600kg made near enough to 400c/kg. A lot of Weaner Steers changed hands between 480c/kg and 530c/kg for some big runs of good calves.

The best of the Grown Heifers sold very well and were not far off the Steers, making between 420c/kg and 450c/kg. Weaner Heifers changed hands for 460c/kg to 500c/kg for the smart pens, getting a touch more in places for Heifers to meet the Bull.

There was a reasonable yarding of Cows & Calves again today, with a big pen of 52 x 53 Cows & Calves reaching a touch over \$3000. The top price was \$3125 for a pen of Limousin Cows & Calves.

F1 steers sold very well also, making 390c/kg to 420c/kg for those with a fair bit of weight. Overall, a great day here at WVLX in Mortlake and a big congratulations to all the vendors for presenting their cattle so well.

Market Report: WVLX Agent's Association President, Matt Baxter

Category	Tops	
Grown Steers	Top \$/h	\$2403.72
	Top c/kg	474.0
Grown Heifers	Top \$/h	\$2172.95
	Top c/kg	478.0
Weighed Weaner Steers	Top \$/h	\$2160.48
	Top c/kg	600.0
Weighed Weaner Heifers	Top \$/h	\$1995.47
	Top c/kg	551.0
Heifer	Top \$/h	\$1944.80
	Top c/kg	500.0
Steer	Top \$/h	\$2266.60
	Top c/kg	552.0
Open Auction Heifer	Top \$/h	\$1580.00
Open Auction Steer	Top \$/h	\$1640.00
Cow	Top \$/h	\$2900.00
Cows & Calves	Top \$/h	\$3125.00
PTIC Heifer	Top\$/h	\$2280.00



Top left: Topping the market at an almighty 600c/kg today was this quality pen of Angus X Weaner Steers which Elders Kerr & Co sold on behalf of K & H Calvert, returning \$1447 per head!

Top Right: Furneaux of Caramut sold this top pen of 20 Angus Weaner Heifers through Elders Kerr & Co for a high of 551c/kg, returning \$1568 per head.

Bottom left: Charles Stewart & Co sold this pen of Limousin X Cows & Calves on behalf of J Beal for a very tidy price of \$3125 per head.

Bottom right: Grown Steers topped at 474c/kg for this pen of 34 Angus beauties sold by JM Ellis & Co on behalf of Ardoon Partnership, returning \$1944 per head.

Upcoming Sales at WVLX:

- February 22nd - Prime Sale, starts 9am
- March 1st - Prime Sale, starts 9am
- March 8th - NO PRIME SALE (due to public holiday)
- March 15th - Prime Sale, starts 9am
- March 18th - Store Sale, starts 10am