



Western Victoria Livestock Exchange

# WVLX Market Report

## Prime Cattle - 2nd of August, 2021

### Total Yarding: 463

At Mortlake agents yarded 463 head, 68 less than last week in yarding that was mixed in quality. A near full field of buyers were in attendance but not all were fully active. Feeders and re-stockers were again very active over most categories, in a market that was firm to dearer in places.

The better quality vealers made from 530c to 632c/kg. Yearling steers made from 423c to 505c, with the heifer portion making from 400c to 540c/kg. Grown steers sold dearer making from 400c to a top of 456c/kg. The heifer portion ranged from 400c to 451c, with restockers paying to 451c/kg.

Manufacturing steers ranged from 340c up to 440c/kg. Another good run of beef bred cows saw the heavy end making from 355c to 398c, while medium cows sold to 300c/kg. The light cows sold dearer, making from 175c to 275c, with cows back to the paddock selling to 306c/kg.

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Category	Weight		c/kg	\$/Hd
Bullocks		Top	450.0	\$3152.00
		Av	420.8	\$2757.67
Light Steers	0-350	Top	632.0	\$1803.60
		Av	524.4	\$1415.01
Light Heifers	0-350	Top	504.0	\$1414.88
		Av	441.9	\$1161.59
Trade Steers	351-500	Top	520.0	\$2383.60
		Av	448.8	\$1889.28
Trade Heifers	351-500	Top	530.0	\$2376.00
		Av	409.3	\$1821.92
Grown Steers	500+	Top	500.0	\$3369.08
		Av	425.8	\$2659.24
Grown Heifers	500+	Top	450.0	\$2619.24
		Av	428.6	\$2303.19
Cows		Top	398.0	\$2978.94
		Av	337.4	\$1881.92



**Top Left:** Cows were heavily contested for today with Charles Stewart & Co selling these 2 cracking Charolais X girls for a top of 398c/kg, returning \$2677ph for JG & J Swayn.

**Right:** Topping the whole market today were these Angus vealer steers that HF Richardson sold on behalf of BC & DP Smethurst for a very handy 632c/kg, returning \$1304ph.

**Bottom Left:** Nutrien Ag sold this quality pen of Angus X bullocks for a top today of 450c/kg, returning \$2681ph for WVLX regulars DJ & MA Trigg.

### Upcoming Sales and Events:

Monday 9th August - Prime Market starts at 9am

Monday 16th August - Prime Market starts at 9am

Thursday 19th August - Store Sale starts at 10am

Monday 23rd August - Prime Market starts at 9am

Monday 30th August - Prime Market starts at 9am