

## WVLX Market Report

Prime Cattle - 29th of August, 2022

## Total Yarding: 283

Agents yarded 283 at Mortlake an increase of 142 head comprising 162 export, 101 trade cattle and 8 bulls. Not all the regular buyers were present however feeder competition was active. The quality on offer was much better this week and presenting with more cover.

The sale was generally firm for most categories with the exception of heavy beef cows which were 25c to 30c/kg stronger. Dairy cows were back by 8c to 10c/kg. Vealers with shape made to 467c/kg. Yearling steers and heifers were making between 48oc and 512c/kg. Feeders were paying to a top of 512c/kg. Grown steers and heifers made between 39oc and 528c/kg with manufacturing steers selling to 378c/kg.

Best beef cows to 400c/kg with the general run making between 340c and 400c/kg. Dairy cows sold from 270c to 340c/kg with the very light dairy cows making from 210c to 242c/kg. Beef Bred bulls to 335c/kg. Cows back to the paddock, chance mated, sold between 388c to 450c/kg.

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Category	Weight		c/kg	\$/Hd
Bulls	701+	<b>Top</b> Av	<b>335.0</b> 320.3	<b>\$3479.36</b> 43052.06
Light Heifers	0-350	<b>Top</b> Av	<b>485.0</b> 459.1	<b>\$1687.09</b> \$1510.07
Light Steers	0-350	<b>Top</b> Av	<b>310.0</b> 267.3	<b>\$1004.40</b> \$866.35
Trade Heifers	351-500	<b>Top</b> Av	<b>510.0</b> 392.9	<b>\$2383.33</b> \$1586.65
Grown Heifers	500+	<b>Top</b> Av	<b>512.0</b> 494.6	<b>\$3200.00</b> \$2677.98
Grown Steers	500+	<b>Top</b> Av	<b>528.0</b> 449.8	<b>\$3630.96</b> \$2409.01
Cows		<b>Top</b> Av	<b>450.0</b> 347.8	<b>\$2867.70</b> \$1809.01





**Top Left:** This pen of grown heifers topped the heifer category when Charles Stewart & Co sold them for 512c/kg with the Angus X returning \$2560ph for I Kelly, while the Hereford X made \$2734ph for J Parker.

**Top Right:** JS & KL Tanner P/L sold this pen of Angus X grown steers for the market top today of 528c/kg under the Charles Stewart & Co hammer, averaging \$2740ph.

**Bottom Left & Right:** Cows were hotly contested for today with HF Richardson Livestock selling these two pens for a massive top of 450c/kg on behalf of Eureka Concrete P/L. The Black Baldy's (left) averaged \$2130ph and the Angus girls (right) returned \$2138ph.

## **Upcoming Sales and Events:**

Monday 5th September - Prime Market starts 9am Monday 12th September - Prime Market starts 9am **Thursday 15th September - Store Sale starts 10am** Monday 19th September - Prime Market starts 9am Monday 26th September - Prime Market starts 9am