

WVLX Market Report

Prime Cattle - 31st of October, 2022

Total Yarding: 274

Numbers fell by almost half this week to 274 head at Mortlake comprising 163 export and 108 trade. Most of the regular buyers were present, however not all were fully active. Feeder competition was very active for grown cattle as well as trade cattle. The quality on offer was more mixed than previous offerings. The sale was softer to be 10c to 20c/kg cheaper over all categories.

A very small number of vealers on offer made up to 630c/kg. Yearling Steers and Heifers to the trade made between 480c and 545c/kg feeders paid to 598c/kg. Grown Steers and Heifers were making between 410c and 521c/kg. k feeders paid to 512c/kg. Manufacturing Steers were selling between 345c and 460c/kg.

The general run of Beef cows were making between 397c and 415c/kg. Dairy Cows sold from 306c to 350c/kg. Cows returning to the paddock sold from 332c/kg to 342c/kg. Beef bred bulls realized a top of 370c/kg.

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Category	Weight		c/kg	\$/Hd
Bulls	0-700	Top	370.0	\$2131.20
		Av	324.3	\$1783.48
Light Heifers	0-350	Top	535.0	\$1711.14
		Av	435.1	\$1175.52
Light Steers	0-350	Top	630.0	\$1877.72
		Av	525.1	\$1582.64
Trade Heifers	351-500	Top	530.0	\$2314.38
		Av	458.0	\$1804.04
Trade Steers	351-500	Top	545.0	\$2516.80
		Av	538.6	\$2346.61
Grown Heifers	500+	Top	505.0	\$2894.76
		Av	461.6	\$2576.80
Grown Steers	500+	Top	540.0	\$3342.64
		Av	439.8	\$2505.87
Cows		Top	415.0	\$3146.75
		Av	366.8	\$1932.08
Bullocks		Top	450.0	\$3501.00
		Av	373.2	\$2322.42

WVLX PRIME CATTLE SALE

Monday 31 October, 2022



Top Left: McNamara Dairying P/L sold this Speckle Park Bullock today for a top of 450c/kg under the Elders Kerr & Co hammer, returning a handy \$3501ph.

Top Right: These two Angus cows were sold by Elders Kerr & Co for a top of 415c/kg, averaging just shy of \$3000ph for Eddington Pastoral Company.

Bottom Left: Elders Kerr & Co sold the heavier Hereford X heifer in this pen for a handy top of 535c/kg, returning \$1519ph for WJ & RM Rundle.

Bottom Right: These Angus X grown steers on account of DA & JP Johnstone reached a top of 523c/kg under the Nutrien Ag hammer, averaging \$2986ph.

Upcoming Sales and Events:

Thursday 3rd November - Store Sale starts 10am

Monday 7th November - Prime Market starts 9am

Monday 14th November - Prime Market starts 9am

Thursday 17th November - Store Sale starts 10am