

WVLX Market Report

Prime Cattle - 7th of November, 2022

Total Yarding: 508

Numbers rose by 234 head for a total of 508 cattle at Mortlake comprising 326 export and 177 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 better than previous offerings. The sale was firm over most categories with the exception of the cows and manufacturing steers being 5c to 10c/kg stronger.

A larger number of vealers on offer made from 594c to 630c/kg with most going back to the paddock. Yearling Steers and Heifers to the trade made between 480c/kg and 570c/kg. Grown Steers and Heifers were making between 430c and 520c/kg for feeder orders. Manufacturing Steers were making between 345c and 460c/kg.

The general run of Beef cows made between 378c and 418c/kg. Very few dairy cows were offered and sold to a top of 348c/kg. Cows back to the paddock sold from 292c to 365c/kg. Beef bred bulls realized a top of 378c/kg.

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Category	Weight		c/kg	\$/Hd
Bulls	700+	Top Av	380.0 371.3	\$4147.50 \$3611.03
Light Heifers	0-350	Top Av	594.0 464.0	\$1496.00 \$1260.43
Light Steers	0-350	Top Av	646.0 607.2	\$1719.98 \$1560.61
Trade Heifers	351-500	Top Av	550.0 473.9	\$2491.00 \$2045.39
Trade Steers	351-500	Top Av	570.0 482.2	\$2574.00 \$2124.28
Grown Heifers	500+	Top Av	515.0 485.5	\$2985.84 \$2562.23
Grown Steers	500+	Top Av	506.0 476.9	\$3423.20 \$2786.58
Cows		Top Av	418.0 380.8	\$3256.24 \$2170.96
Bullocks		Top Av	520.0 435.3	\$3803.60 \$2814.31

WVLX PRIME CATTLE SALE

Monday 7 November, 2022



Top Left: This pen of Hereford cows reached a top of 418c/kg under the JM Ellis & Co hammer, returning \$2934ph for Jigsaw Farms P/L.

Top Right: Fetching the market top price of 646c/kg was this pen of Murray Grey X Steers on account of Lochclyde Pastoral Co that Charles Stewart & Co sold, averaging \$1720ph.

Bottom Left: Nutrien Ag sold this pen of Euro X bullocks that sold from 480c/kg to a top of 520c/kg, making \$2390ph to \$2743ph for GP & ML Mason.

Bottom Right: The sisters of the above steers on account of Lochclyde Pastoral Co. also topped the heifer category when Charles Stewart & Co sold the pen for a high 594c/kg, returning \$1459ph.

Upcoming Sales and Events:

Monday 14th November - Prime Market starts 9am

Thursday 17th November - Store Sale starts 10am

Monday 21st November - Prime Market starts 9am

Monday 28th November - Prime Market starts 9am

Thursday 1st December - Store Sale starts 10am