



Western Victoria Livestock Exchange

## WVLX Market Report Store Sale - 19th of October, 2023

### **Yarding: 3,152**

Numbers over doubled with 3,152 penned. A larger buying gallery attended from Victoria, South Australia and Southern NSW and operated in a firm to dearer market to a fortnight ago. A better quality yarding with very good lines of well bred cattle offered, quality did drop away throughout the yarding which reflected in the prices with the plainer secondary types.

The better quality weaner steers sold to 20c/kg better in places, and yearling and older heavier steers sold mostly firm to 10c/kg dearer. The better quality weaner heifers sold firm and the yearling and heavy heifers sold slightly cheaper.

Weaner angus steers made from 198c to 268c/kg for the heavier weights and 142c to 248c/kg for the lighter weights and plainer lots. Black Baldy weaner steers made 178c to 258c/kg and other breeds sold from 92c to 128c/kg. Weaner Angus heifers made from 116c to 218c/kg, Black Baldys sold from 132c to 198c/kg and other breeds 92c to 142c/kg.

Yearling and heavy Angus and Black Baldy steers sold from 210c to 258c/kg. Herefords made from 210c to 246c/kg, other breeds and lighter weights sold from 120c to 190c/kg. Yearling and heavy Angus heifers made from 140c to 210c/kg, Black Baldys made from 180c to 212c/kg. Hereford heifers sold from 120c to 216c/kg, Shorthorns made from 180c to 225c/kg and other breeds from 150c to 198c/kg.

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Category	Tops	
<b>Grown Steers</b>	Top \$/h	\$1459.93
	Top c/kg	250.0
<b>Grown Heifers</b>	Top \$/h	\$934.52
	Top c/kg	216.0
<b>Weighed Weaner Steers</b>	Top \$/h	\$1013.94
	Top c/kg	268.0
<b>Weighed Weaner Heifers</b>	Top \$/h	\$793.75
	Top c/kg	218.0



**Top Left:** This pen of Angus weaner steers was sold by HF Richardson for 262c/kg on behalf of Warrnambool Ag, averaging \$1012ph.

**Top Right:** Damien Phillips of Willaura sold 72 grown steers today through Charles Stewart & Co, including 33 Angus X Hereford steers that made 214-242c/kg returning \$1087-\$1370ph, and 39 Hereford steers that fetched 224-242c/kg, making \$1142-\$1385ph.

**Middle Left:** Charles Stewart Nash McVilly sold this pen of Angus weaner heifers for a top of 218c/kg, averaging \$574ph for JA Fraser Holdings.

**Bottom Left:** Don Kosch presented this pen of Angus steers that Nutrien Ag sold for 242c/kg, returning \$1190ph.

**Bottom Right:** This pen of Hereford grown heifers made the top of 216c/kg under the Charles Stewart & Co hammer, making \$907ph for Ennerdale Proprietors.

### Upcoming Sales at WVLX:

Monday 23rd October - Prime Market starts 9am

Monday 30th October - Prime Market starts 9am

**Thursday 2nd November - Store Sale starts 10am**

Monday 6th November - Prime Market starts 9am

Monday 13th November - Prime Market starts 9am

**Thursday 16th November - Store Sale starts 10am**