

Tough in Tamworth as heatwave returns with best results for finished heifers

Numbers continued to rise in Tamworth today as the combined effects of heat and low rainfall continue to hit. The MLA NLRS reported most categories as firm to cheaper with the exception being some well finished heifers that were dearer.

Weaner numbers continue to increase with some good quality on offer.



STEERS

Vealer steers sold to 362c/kg (395c/kg), yearlings to 311c/kg (306c/kg) and grown steers to 285c/kg (285c/kg).

Highlights included:

Vealer steers sold by PPA on account JF & JM Nixon made 362c/kg and averaged 214kg/\$773;

Angus steers sold by Pitt on account Taylor's Run made 358c/kg and averaged

Angus vealer steers (pictured below with heifers) sold by LMK on account EC & JE Clarke, Niangala made 348c/kg an averaged 254kg/\$884;

Charolais x vealer steers sold by IML on account P & R Marheine made 309c/kg and averaged 319kg/\$987;

April 2017 drop Santa x steers sold by DCM on account Greenaway made 294c/kg and averaged

Good, shapely Charolais x steers sold by IML on account R & M Cox topped at 286c/kg with the lead pen making 277c/kg and averaging 379kg/\$1051;

Angus vealer steers sold by G&C on account the McRae Family made 310c/kg and averaged 329kg/\$1021;

Angus x steers sold by B&S on account Haeney made 284c/kg and averaged 430kg/\$1222 with their Hereford x steers making the same money and averaging 428kg/\$1217;

Santa steers (pictured below middle in back pen) sold by PPA on account Boolarong made 283c/kg and averaged 449kg/\$1273;

Angus steers (pictured above left) sold by DCM on account Louise Travers made 273c/kg and averaged 528kg/\$1437;

Hereford bullocks sold by IML on account Primrose Partnership made 231c/kg and averaged 776kg/\$1794;

Angus and Angus x yearling steers (pictured above middle) sold by IML on account Belandi topped at 276c/kg with the lead pen making 270c/kg and averaged 621kg/\$1675; and

Charolais bullocks (pictured above right) sold by ELD on account Mintarl Pastoral Co made 244c/kg and averaged 772kg/\$1890.



HEIFERS

Vealer heifers sold to 292c/kg (309c/kg), yearlings to 278c/kg (309c/kg) and grown heifers to 258c/kg (265c/kg).

Highlights included:

Angus vealer heifers (pictured above left at back) sold by LMK on account EC & JE Clarke made 288c/kg and averaged 236kg/\$680;

Charolais x vealer heifers sold by IML on account P & R Marheine made 275c/kg and averaged 327kg/\$900;

Charolais x heifers (pictured above middle) sold by RWL on account P & C Pearson made 278c/kg and averaged 359kg/\$1000;

Limo x heifers sold by DCM on account Tarralee partnership made 254c/kg and averaged 510kg/\$1297; and

Santa heifers (pictured above middle in front pen) sold by PPA on account Boolarong Pastoral Co made 245c/kg and averaged 537kg/\$1316.

COWS

Cows topped at 209c/kg (225c/kg)

Angus cows off the river at Quirindi sold by IML on account Bruce Fleeting made 204c/kg and averaged 629kg/\$1304;

Hereford cows sold by CP on account Jason Taylor made 200c/kg and averaged 817kg/\$1634;

Crossbred cows sold by Pitt on account Karori Pastoral Co made 207c/kg and averaged

BULLS

Bulls topped at 260c/kg (250c/kg) for 600+ kg bulls with a top price of \$2567 for a 1145kg bull sold by IML.

Next store sale – Friday 23rd February 2018

Agent codes used for report: B&S (Burke & Smyth) | CP (Chris Paterson Livestock) | DCM (Davidson Cameron McCulloch & Co) | ELD (Elders) | G&C (Garvin & Cousens) | IML (Ian Morgan Livestock) | LMK (Landmark) Pitt (Pitt Sons) | PPA (Purtle Plevey Agencies) | RWL (Ray White Livestock) formerly NLP



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