

**Regular Sale
Every Tuesday**

9:30 am Hay/Straw
11:00 am Springers,
Dairy Cows,
Breeder Bulls
12:00 pm Sheep,
Goats, Hogs
Followed by Bull &
Heifer Calves
2:00 pm Feeders
3:00 pm Butcher
Bulls, Fats & Cows

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**SPECIAL
SALES**

Springer Sale 2/8
Feeder Sale 2/20

J&S Winter Pony
Auction
1/26/24 - 1/27/24

Midwest Horse Pull
&
Stallion Presentation
2/10/24

Market Report 1/16 *238 Total Head Sold

DAIRY

Springers	7	Top of \$2175
Dairy Cows	5	Top of \$2285
Heifer Calves	10	Top of \$85
Breeder Bulls	1	Top of \$1150

FEEDERS & DAIRY FEEDERS

Holstein Dairy Heifers	59	Top of \$1,400
Group of 10	842 lb. avg	\$1,350
Group of 13	790 lb. avg	\$1,400
Group of 5	644 lb. avg	\$1,025
Group of 3	611 lb. avg.	\$835
Holstein Feeder Strs	8	Top of \$120/lb

SHEEP/GOATS/HOGS

Sheep	4	\$1.80 - \$2.75/lb
Goats	2	\$150.00/ea
Hogs	No Test	

HAY & STRAW

Hay	14 loads	\$175-\$305/ton
	7 loads	\$260 - \$305 (\$283.57 Avg)
	7 loads	\$175 - \$240 (\$213.57 Avg)
Straw	1 load	\$140/ton

A Note from Rick: Markets were a little stronger at TLA this week. Butcher cows were \$3-\$5 higher this week. I'd say the weather is playing a big roll in this. Numbers are down all around the Midwest and that's created a stronger demand. I don't look for this to last once the weather straightens up and more cattle start moving. We did get a few groups of feeders in and prices were very strong. Again, numbers are an issue in this market, especially in the Holstein heifers. There's just not a lot of them around and that's created very strong prices. Springers and Fresh Cows are demanding very strong prices as well. I can see these markets continuing this trend in large part due to the lack of dairy heifers on the open market. Have a great week and we hope to see you soon at TLA!!

SLAUGHTER

Cows	75	Top of \$117.50 Overall avg (\$91.68 avg)
		Top 10 \$109.50-\$117.50 (\$112.60 avg)
		Top 25 \$101.50-\$117.50 (\$108.70 avg)
		Top 50 \$84.00-\$117.50 (\$101.44 avg)
		Bottom 50 \$40.00-\$102.00 (\$83.57 avg)

Mixed	4	Top of \$174.50
Holsteins	26	Top of \$152.50
Bulls	1	Top of \$91.00
Organic	No Test	

BULL CALVES

Hol. Bull Calves	30	\$0.25-\$3.75/lb. (\$2.84/lb. overall avg)
		Top 10 \$3.35-\$3.75/lb. (\$3.51/lb. avg)
		Top 25 \$2.20-\$3.75/lb. (\$3.15/lb. avg)
Cross Calves	6	\$4.35-\$5.00/lb. (\$4.68/lb avg)

Dutch Cross Classic

May 10th - May 11th, 2024
Call-In Monday, Feb 5th, 2024
@ 4:00PM
(260) 593-2522 (4 Lines Open)

Midwinter Horse Pull &
Stallion Presentation
February 10th, 2024

**For cattle consultations or appraisals, call Rick Welsh (219) 363-2900