

**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

Spring Draft Horse
Catalog Deadline
2/1/24

Midwest Horse Pull &
Stallion Presentation
2/10/24

TLA Trotting Classic
Auction 2/16 - 2/17

Market Report 1/23/24 *267 Total Head Sold

DAIRY

Springers	12	Top of \$2275
Dairy Cows	11	Top of \$2125
Heifer Calves	30	Top of \$220
Breeder Bulls	2	Top of \$1200

FEEDERS & DAIRY FEEDERS

Dairy Feeders	2	Top of \$950
Feeder Cattle	7	Top of \$1.55/lb

SHEEP/GOATS/HOGS

Sheep	No Test	
Goats	1	\$130
Hogs	No Test	

HAY & STRAW

Hay	9 loads	\$170-\$275/ton
	5 loads	\$240 - \$275 (\$247 Avg)
	4 loads	\$170 - \$230 (\$200 Avg)
Straw	No Test	

A Note from Rick: Markets were stronger again this week at TLA. Butcher cows led the way again; cows were another \$5-\$7 higher than a week ago. This is the third week in a row that we've had these prices. I still think that this is weather driven & I look for a correction coming soon. Calves & feeders were both slightly stronger. Dairy cattle were unchanged. The hay market has been very strong & steady through the first half of the Winter. Nearly all the hay is bringing anywhere from \$200-\$300/ton. These prices are about \$50/ton higher than the last couple years. I look for these prices to continue unless there's a lot of hay out there that hasn't hit the market. The Winter Pony Sale last Saturday was a good one. We had a nice crowd & the kids had a blast! Prices overall were very similar to a year ago. Have a great week & we hope to see you soon at TLA!

SLAUGHTER

Cows	100	Top of \$129.00 Overall avg (\$96.08 avg)
		Top 10 \$116.50-\$129.00 (\$120.10 avg)
		Top 25 \$107.50-\$129.00 (\$114.78 avg)
		Top 50 \$98.00-\$129.00 (\$108.55 avg)
		Bottom 50 \$46.00-\$98.00 (\$83.60 avg)

Mixed	13	Top of \$160.50
Holsteins	2	Top of \$131.00
Bulls	2	Top of \$128.00
Organic	No Test	

BULL CALVES

Hol. Bull Calves	66	\$0.20-\$4.30/lb. (\$3.09/lb. overall avg)
		Top 10 \$4.10-\$4.30/lb. (\$4.15/lb. avg)
		Top 25 \$3.90-\$4.30/lb. (\$4.05/lb. avg)
		Top 50 \$2.05-\$4.30/lb. (\$3.69/lb. avg)
Cross Calves	13	\$4.65-\$6.50/lb. (\$5.62/lb avg)



**May 10th &
May 11th, 2024**

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



**February
16th-17th,
2024**



Top Seller of 2023 TLA Trotting
Classic "Just The Real Deal"
Sold for \$38,000
Consignor: Jared Schwartz