

MOUNT BARKER CATTLE SALE 29/04/2021

Numbers were up for a total yarding of 1,345 head of good quality cattle at Mt Barker. A highlight of the sale was a large line of angus heifers selling as future breeders up to 582c/kg. All young female categories gained with demand while the steers eased this week with a lesser quality yarding selling to a top of 558c/kg. Heavy cows eased selling to 348c/kg.

Weaner steers weighing over 330kg sold from 450c to 528c while medium weights made from 498c to 540c and lightweights returned 468c to 558c/kg.

Weaner heifers weighing over 330kg made 428c to 578c while medium weights sold for 420c to 582c and lightweights returned 430c to 482c/kg.

Yearling steers sold from 416c to 470c while yearling heifers gained returning 350c to 436c /kg.

Grown Steers weighing over 500kg sold for 368c to 386c while lighter weights gained 20c returning 434c to 460c /kg.

Grown heifers prices gained with weights over 540kg making from 330c to 378c and the lighter trade weights sold from 320c to 408c /kg.

Heavy prime cows eased selling for 274c to 348c while medium weights made 280c to 320c and boners returned 180c to 330c for young cows.

Heavy bulls sold for 270c to 318c, medium weights made 354c to 384c in a better quality yarding and lightweight bullies returned from 352c to 442c to average 394c/kg.

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