

**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 8/9
Feeder 8/21

Driving Horse
Auction 8/25

Labor Day Pony
Auction 9/3

Fall Frenzy
9/20

Market Report 7/31* 532 Total Head Sold

DAIRY

Springers	24	Top of \$1200
Dairy Cows	11	Top of \$1200
Heifer Calves	27	Top of \$ 100
Breeder Bulls	10	Top of \$1185

FEEDERS & DAIRY FEEDERS

Dairy Feeders	18	Top of \$585
Feeder Cattle	41	Top of \$1.10/lb

SHEEP/GOATS/HOGS

Sheep	19	\$70-\$180
Goats	19	\$52.50-\$180/Head
Hogs	39	\$ 6-\$116
Pigs \$105-\$115 Hogs \$33-\$39 Sows \$20-\$32		

HAY & STRAW

Hay	9 loads	\$110-\$220/ton
Straw	1 load	\$100/ton

A Note from Rick: Markets struggle to hold their position and in most cases have slipped downward in the last couple weeks. The Slaughter market has been under the most pressure recently with an over supply of cattle hitting the market. The Calf market continues it's instability, which is a direct result of Slaughter and Dairy markets being what they are. The Dairy Cattle market has not showed any signs of improvement and I don't see any relief in the near future. Again, an abundance of cattle on the market and with milk and meat prices being what they are, there is very little demand. The Hay market has been steady for the last couple months after new hay has been made. With pretty good weather in June and July, there should be a decent supply of hay for the first half or two-thirds of the hay season. The ups and downs in the grain markets continue as trade and tariff issues are the big unknown. This also plays a big role in the Livestock industry as to how prices will be affected and what feed prices are going to be. Exciting and, in some cases, agonizing times. Eventually, these things will all work themselves out and we will get a clearer picture of what the future will look like for these markets. In the mean time, the best thing we can do is to try to stay positive and focus on those factors that we can control and not those that we can't (like the weather and the markets). Hang in there and we will see you at TLA!

SLAUGHTER

Cows	151	Top of \$63 Overall avg (\$44.86 avg)
		Top 10 \$58-\$63 (\$59.45 avg)
		Top 25 \$55-\$63 (\$57.62 avg)
		Top 50 \$52-\$63 (\$55.68 avg)
		Bottom 50 \$ 8-\$40 (\$36.54 avg)

Mixed 89 Top of \$106

Holsteins Top of \$90
Top 10 \$85.50-\$90 (\$87.05 avg)

Bulls 7 Top of \$83.50

BULL CALVES

Bull Calves	49	\$.20-\$1.20 (\$.51 overall avg)
		Top 10 \$1.00-\$1.20/lb. (\$1.11/lb. avg)
		Top 20 \$.55-\$1.20/lb. (\$.94/lb. avg)

**Draft Horse Catalog Deadline
August 15th**



Friday, October 19th
Horse Check-in Thurs afternoon
Friesian Keuring 10:00 am
Sale Preview in hand 12:00 pm
Auction begins 2:00 pm
Stallion Presentation 6:00 pm
Sat Sale Preview Following pres.

Saturday, October 20th
Driving of Sale Horses 7:30 am
In Hand Stallion Pres 8:00 am
Auction Begins 9:00 am

3 yr M Full sister to Lot #1



Lot #1 4 yr Mare



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