

**Regular Sale  
Every Tuesday**

Hay & Straw 9:30  
Springers, Dairy Cows  
11:00  
Sheep, Goats, Hogs  
12:30  
Bull Calves & Heifer  
Calves 1:00  
Breeder Bulls &  
Feeders 2:00  
Butcher Bulls, Fats &  
Cows 3:00

# Topeka Livestock Auction

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**Special Sales**

**Special Feeder  
Sale 9/20**  
Alt. Animal Auction  
9/30-10/1  
Driving Horse Auction  
10/22  
Draft Horse &  
Carriage Auction  
10/25-10/28  
Organic Dairy Sale  
11/4

## Market Report August 30th, 2016

### DAIRY

Springers 20 Top \$1635  
Fresh Cows 17 Top \$1550

### HOLSTEIN REPLACEMENT HEIFERS

Heifer Calves 20 Top of \$270  
Holstein Open Heifers 36 Group of 4 763 lbs. \$860  
Group of 3 738 lbs. \$910

### REPLACEMENT FEEDER CATTLE

Bull Calves 123 Top of \$1.40/lb. avg  
Top 100 \$1.031/lb. avg  
100 lb. avg  
Feeder Steers 43  
Group of 8 573 lb. avg  
\$.92/lb.  
Group of 8 552 lb. avg  
\$.92/lb.

### SLAUGHTER

Mixed Steers Top of \$115.00  
& Heifers Top 20 \$105.43 avg  
82  
Holstein Steers Top of \$105.00  
Top 17 \$103.15 avg  
Cows 148 Avg of \$63.87  
Top of \$ 79.00  
Top 10 \$75.50  
Top 25 \$73.90  
Top 50 \$71.87  
Bulls 6 Top of \$ 96

### SHEEP/GOATS/HOGS

Butcher Lambs 128 Light \$67.50-\$207.50  
Heavy \$60-\$200  
Butcher Goats 31 \$40-\$320 per head  
Butcher Hogs 11 \$8-\$45

### HAY & STRAW

Hay 23 loads \$ 50-\$180/ton  
Straw 2 loads \$ 80-\$95/ton

**A Note from Rick:** The beef market continues to trend downward and doesn't look to be changing direction anytime soon. Bull calf prices continue to struggle as well. We are looking forward to our upcoming dairy sales. To me, all signs point toward a strong market on the dairy side. Thanks to all who helped to make the Driving Horse sale on the 27th a success. The sale went well despite the rain. I'm hoping for a little drier weather and that everyone has a safe and happy harvest. See you at the sale!

**DRIVING HORSE SALE RESULTS**  
**August 27<sup>th</sup> Sale**  
127 HORSES SOLD  
Top 10 horses \$8165 avg  
Top 25 horses \$6,806 avg  
Top 50 horses \$5868 avg  
**Top Seller**  
\$10,250 4 yr old gelding  
Cherry Hills/The Right Kind

**Organic Cattle Sale**  
**November 4<sup>th</sup>, 2016 11:00 AM**  
*Where the market for Organic Dairy is made- whether you are buying or selling*  
**CONSIGN YOUR COWS EARLY.**  
**Catalog Deadline: Friday, Oct 28<sup>th</sup>**  
Eli Miller Jr. Leland Mast  
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