

**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 3/12
Feeder 3/24

Spring Draft Horse &
Carriage Auction
3/16 to 3/20

Organic Dairy
Auction 3/26

IHHA Sale 4/3 & 4/4

Market Report 2/25* 418 Total Head Sold

DAIRY

Springers	19	Top of \$1460
Dairy Cows	31	Top of \$1350
Heifer Calves	12	Top of \$ 100
Breeder Bulls	11	Top of \$1400

FEEDERS & DAIRY FEEDERS

Dairy Feeders	3	Top of \$ 430
Feeder Cattle	10	Top of \$.86/lb

SHEEP/GOATS/HOGS

Sheep	1	\$80
Goats	4	\$60-\$165/Head
Hogs	8	\$54-\$57

HAY & STRAW

Hay	33 loads	\$ 25-\$310/ton
	10 loads	\$200-\$310 \$243.50/ton avg
	20 loads	\$145-\$195 \$173.50/ton avg
Straw	1 load	\$135/ton

A Note from Rick: Mixed market trends this week at TLA. The calf market was stronger again this week and I feel this is definitely driven by the fact that the calf numbers just aren't out there on the open market like they were. We've seen a steady decline in calf numbers for awhile now. The slaughter cow market took a \$4-\$6 slide this week, along with slaughter cattle. These markets have made nice gains recently and we had to give some back this week. Markets on the Chicago Board of Trade had a tough month of February with significant losses. The uncertainty pertaining to the outbreak of the Coronavirus in China has played a major part in this, along with no new news or business on foreign trade. Draft Horse Catalogs are out and March 16 will be here before we know it. The catalog is available online at www.topekalivestock.com and there is also a link and a lot of pictures on our Facebook page. Check out what's coming to TLA!

SLAUGHTER

Cows	155	Top of \$73 Overall avg (\$52.20 avg)
		Top 10 \$64-\$73 (\$67.00 avg)
		Top 25 \$62-\$73 (\$64.38 avg)
		Top 50 \$59-\$73 (\$62.35 avg)
		Bottom 50 \$20-\$51 (\$39.35 avg)

Mixed 36 Top of \$115.50

Holsteins		Top of \$93.50
Bulls	8	Top of \$94
Organic	26	Top of \$77.50

BULL CALVES

Bull Calves	56	\$.01-\$1.65 (\$.99 overall avg)
		Top 10 \$1.40-\$1.65/lb. (\$1.49/lb. avg)
		Top 20 \$1.20-\$1.65/lb. (\$1.69/lb. avg)
		Top 40 \$.65-\$1.65/lb. (\$1.17/lb. avg)
5 4-H calves		\$1.80/lb -\$2.85/lb avg \$2.25/lb



Monday- 9:00 am Tack, Equipment & Carriage Sale

Tuesday- 8:30 am Horse Pull, followed by Auction beginning with Pulling Bred Horses followed by Pulling Horses

Wednesday- 9:00 am Catalogued and Uncatalogued Percherons, followed by Clydesdales, Suffolk, Spotted Drafts, Mules and Crossbreeds

Thursday- 9:00 am Catalogued Belgians

Friday- 9:00 am Catalogued Belgians followed by all other horses

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