



Muchea Cattle Report 4/11/2024

1245 liveweight and 29 veal / total 1274

Reasonable numbers were again yarded with a good percentage of the sale consisting of well weighted grown pastoral and local steers and heifers however values eased on them by 10/12c/kg. It was a very mixed quality sale with pastoral cattle filling most of the pens in large lots along with good runs of well-presented local cattle. A large volume of pastoral bulls were on offer and several Live shipping buyers were keeping their values up.

Vealer steers sold from 280c to 342c and vealer heifers from 120c to 286c/kg. Plain yearling steers returned 242c to 312c and with more condition up to 380c while yearling heifers started from 188c to 220c and with more weight and finish sold to a top of 334c/kg.

Pastoral steer calves sold well ranging from 240c to 300c and pastoral heifers with weight and frame sold from 140c to 242c while tail end types struggled to attract bids selling from 50c to 130c/kg.

Grown steers made 180c to 280c while grown heifers returned 172c to 260c/kg. Feeder weight cows eased slightly selling from 92c to 162c/kg. medium cows made 170c to 190c and heavy cows gained 10c to return 190c to 234c/kg.

Pastoral bulls in store condition and out of spec for shipping ranged from 80c to 160c, Shipping bulls from 148c to 268c while slaughter bulls lifted 10c selling from 180c to 230c/kg.