

Mt Barker Trade Cattle 06/06/19

Numbers were down for a good quality yarding of 515 cattle at Mt Barker. The yarding was dominated by a great line up of weaner calves presented in prime and store condition. Prices remained firm and up on all categories with the quality and limited numbers on offer. Weaner steers sold to a top of 302c while heavy cows sold to a top of 220c/kg.

Grown steers weighing between 400 to 500 kg sold for 274c /kg. Heifers over 540kg were up 11c making from 240c to 254c to average 251c/kg.

Heavy weight weaner steers made from 294c to 302c/kg. Medium weights between 280 and 330kg sold for 290c to 302c while lighter weights sold for 270c to 290c to average 281c/kg. Heavy weight weaner heifers gained 21c making from 238c to 288c while the lighter weight heifers sold for 230c to 280c to average 258c/kg.

Heavy prime cows sold for 184c to 220c to average 205c/kg.

Medium weight cows made for 185c to 220c while boners made from 140c to 178c to average 163c and good frame store cows sold for 180c to 190c/kg.

Prime heavy bulls gained 10c to sell from 188c to 228c averaging 208c/kg. Medium weight bulls sold to feeders for 224c and light weight bulls made 220c to 274c to average 265c/kg.