

Wednesday, April 24, 2024
Saturday, April 27, 2024
Cattle Marketed 875/734



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Market Snapshot



Choice Steers	Prices shown per CWT / per 100 pounds	Choice Heifers
\$250.00-\$350.00	300 LBS	\$225.00-\$325.00
\$250.00-\$350.00	400 LBS	\$225.00-\$325.00
\$235.00-\$325.00	500 LBS	\$200.00-\$300.00
\$225.00-\$305.00	600 LBS	\$190.00-\$270.00
\$185.00-\$260.00	700 LBS	\$165.00-\$240.00
\$175.00-\$235.00	800 LBS	\$155.00-\$220.00
\$165.00-\$210.00	900 LBS	\$145.00-\$200.00
Slaughter Bulls		Slaughter Cows
\$135.00-\$155.00	High Yield	\$115.00-\$140.00
\$115.00-\$135.00	Medium Yield	\$100.00-\$115.00
\$100.00-\$115.00	Low Yield	\$85.00-\$100.00
\$110.00-\$150.00	Feeder/Young	\$100.00-\$130.00
N/A	Heiferettes	\$110.00-\$145.00
Top Bull		Top Cow
\$155.00		\$139.00

This market did pick up this last week with most all classes bringing higher money! We saw most all of the lighter cattle sell much higher at levels we have yet to see and selling with a lot of demand as most buyers are wanting to get farther out to later months with the end result. Middleweight cattle also selling higher with good demand as these cattle get farther out for buyers that are locking them up. Heavier weight Cattle called just steady and they are not showing as much demand, simply because most feeder buyers are either loaded near term or want to get farther out with a lighter one. Look for this Market to follow closer to what the futures are doing at that time. Butcher cows also making new highs this week selling as high as ever topping at \$139 on the best cows! Look for this market to fluctuate some depending on what the meat movement is doing. Cows should stay in high demand as it looks like a good time to swap some old cows. Salvage values are high and replacement prices are moderate.

This past Saturday we had our annual April cow sale. Prices were great but more affordable than a lot of people thought they would be. The better end of the older bred hfrs at \$3100 to \$3550 with the better end of the young cows at \$2800 to \$3350. There were some one iron sets and all having the foothill vaccination as well as all being great quality rebreeds. Don't miss our next annual fall calving female sale Saturday, June 22. Look for the next six weeks to be great marketing opportunities! As always, if you have questions about what fits best for you, please don't hesitate to call.

..... See you at ringside, Randy

Your Complete Marketing Service!

Looking Ahead:

Wednesday, May 8th

Spring Calf & Feeder Special...featuring large run of all classes

Wednesday, May 15th

TCCA Off the Grass Sale...Expecting a larger run on calves, feeders and butcher cows

Wednesday, May 22nd

Later Spring Calf & Feeder Special

Wednesday, May 29th

Large Run on all Classes

Wednesday, June 5th

Parson/Nock Memorial Sale...good run on most all classes

Basic Vac (At branding)

Inforce 3

One Shot BVD

Ultrabac 8

Show this card where you purchase your vaccines to make sure you get the right ones!

Premium Vac (3 to 6 weeks prior to marketing)

First shot with Basic Vac protocol plus second shot with: Bovi-Shield Gold One Shot

Ultrabac 7 Somubac



Have you tried Multimin?

Many producers have been adding Multimin to their lineup while preg checking cows and at vaccination time on the calves. Proper trace minerals are necessary for optimal fertility, vaccine response and health in cattle. More uniform groups of healthier calves equals more pounds to sell at weaning.

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**Visalia Livestock Market Value Added Program Card
(Send This Card or Copy With Calves When Sold)**

Please select one program: _____ Basic Vac* _____ Premium Vac** (followed VLM protocol)

Date Vaccinated	No Head	Product	Route of Admin. Location of shot

Please circle if applicable NO Implants NO Antibiotics Age & Source Bangs Vac.

Comments _____

Name _____ Phone _____

Date Weaned _____ Type of Feed _____

I agree that by signing this affidavit that all shots listed above have been administered properly and that I have followed all guidelines set by Visalia Livestock Market and their vaccination program.

Signature _____ Date _____