



## BLACKALL WEANER AND STORE SALE REPORT 26<sup>th</sup> MARCH 2015

The Blackall combined agents yarded a total of 4000 head of cattle at this week's monthly Weaner & Store Sale. With very few feeder steers yarded the main competition came on good lines of weaner steers, steers over 300kg and feeder and weaner heifers. Very good lines of cattle were sourced from Cloncurry, Hughenden, Richmond, Winton, Longreach and Barcardine districts with the local producers from Blackall also consigning great runs of cattle given the severity of the season. Good buyer support came from the Jericho, Rockhampton, Wandoan and Meandarra areas. Feeder buyers were in attendance and operating on the suitable lines.

Description	No	Av c/kg	Max c/kg	Av \$/hd	Max \$/hd
<b>STRS to 220kg</b>	300	211	256	421	505
220 to 280kg	657	206	256	521	644
280 to 350kg	723	220	249	682	839
350 to 400kg	143	197	230	719	894
400 to 500kg	27	178	196	811	1022
Over 500kg					
<b>HFRS to 220kg</b>	274	170	206	321	429
220 to 280kg	1009	183	220	450	561
280 to 350kg	534	188	218	584	699
350 to 450kg	104	182	199	669	777
Cows 300-400kgs	27	103	125	386	480
Cows 400-500kg	86	135	187	611	916
<b>Cows 500kg+</b>	13	142	147	807	895
<b>Bull -450kg</b>	11	183	202	515	619
<b>Bull 450kgs+</b>					
<b>Cows and Calves</b>				\$650	\$760

## SALE HIGHLIGHTS 26/03/2015

**RJ Murphy of "Everton", Aramac** sold Brahman cross steers weighing 517kg for 185.2c/kg to return \$958.41 per head. He also sold Droughtmaster cross heifers for 192.2c/kg weighing 252kg to return \$484 per head. Cows from the same vendor topped at 145c/kg weighing 441kg to return \$640 per head. **Everton Cattle Company of "Everton", Aramac** sold Droughtmaster cross heifers to a top of 170c/kg weighing 250kg to return \$425 per head. **Paraway Pastoral Company of "Malvern Hills", Blackall** sold Charbray feeder steers for 187c/kg weighing 397kg to return \$743 per head. **Maranda Pastoral Company of "Maranda", Barcaldine** sold a great run of Charolais cross steers for a top of 249c/kg weighing 291kg to return \$726 per head. Their heifers topped at 191c/kg weighing 263kg to return \$500 per head. **Peel Northampton Downs Pty Ltd of "Northampton Downs", Blackall** sold exceptional Santa and Santa Charolais cross feeder heifers for a top of 200c/kg weighing 351kg to return \$700 per head. Their Santa steers topped at 229c/kg weighing 297kg to return \$680 per head. **J Taylor Family Trust of "Warringah", Blackall** sold Devon cross steers to a top of 191.2 weighing 277kg to return \$530 per head, their heifers sold to a top of 199c/kg weighing 263kg to return \$524 per head. Cows from the same consignment sold to a top of 135c/kg weighing 518kg to return \$699 per head. **AJ and RJ Crawford of "Romula", Jundah** sold Droughtmaster cross steers to a top of 249c/kg weighing 284kg to return \$708 per head, their heifers topped at 185c/kg weighing 307kg to return \$566 per head. **Bernfels Pastoral Company of "Bernfels", Winton** sold Charolais cross steers to a top of 230c/kg weighing 219kg to return \$504 per head, their heifers topped at 185c/kg weighing 220kg to return \$408 per head. **Four Star Trading off agistment at "Woodview", Jackson** sold Brahman heifers to a top of 157c/kg weighing 228kg to return \$359 per head. **JE Lawrence of "Overton", Aramac** sold Braford cross steers to a top of 180c/kg weighing 179kg to return \$322 per head. **GJ Price and Son of "Hillview", Hughenden** sold Charbray steers to a top of 200c/kg weighing 330kg to return \$660 per head whilst their Brahman heifers sold to a top of 185c/kg weighing 350kg to return \$648 per head. **Theresa Murphy of "Everton", Aramac** sold Santa cross cows to a top of 145c/kg weighing 498kg to return \$723 per head. **Alice Downs Pty Ltd of "Alice Downs", Blackall**, sold a quality draft of Santa Gertrudis steers, topping the sale at 256c weighing 200kgs to return \$512. **HLH & SJ Glasson "Greenlaw", Yarka**, offered good quality Santa Gertrudis steers weighing 356kgs to 228c returning \$813. **DF Arnold & LA Anderson 'Spring Creek' Blackall** sold Charolais cross steers for 238.2 c weighing 290 kg returning \$690 per head. **Goodwood Pastoral Co 'Goodwood' Boulia** sold Angus cross steers for 228.2 c weighing 314 kg returning \$718 per head and also sold a quality line of Santa cross heifers topping at 198.2 c averaging 192.2 c weighing 308 kg returning \$592 per head. **Wando Grazing Co 'Wando' Winton** sold Charolais steers for 228.2 c weighing 317 kg returning \$724 per head and also sold Charolais heifers for 195.2 c weighing 320 kg returning \$624 per head. **FG & SA Russell 'Shannendoah Park' Blackall** sold Angus cross steers for 218.2 c weighing 234 kg returning \$511 per head. **ST & B Loudon 'Newark' Jericho** sold Santa cross steers for 212.2 c weighing 273 kg returning \$580 per head. **Bryant Grazing Co 'Ernestina Plains' Cloncurry** sold a quality line of Grey Brahman steers for 206.2 c weighing 292 kg returning \$603 per head and heifers for 182.2 c weighing 342 kg returning \$623 per head. **MJ & SE Cameron 'Romulus' Blackall** sold Shorthorn heifers for 198.2 c weighing 340 kg returning \$674/head.

**Strathmore Trust, Longreach** sold a line of excellent quality Santa Gertrudis Steers & Heifers with their line of 129 Steers topping at 248.2c/kg for 338kg to average 247.2c/kg for 304kgs, the female line of 133 heifers sold to 218.2c/kg weighing 282kg to average 213c/kg for an average weight of 251kg. **DG & GH East, Breedon, Longreach** sold Charolais steers weighing 356kg to 230.2c/kg whilst their heifer offering sold to 208.2c/kg to average 235kg. **The Longreach Pastoral College** sold Santa Steers to 236.2c/kg weighing 304kg. **Pearce Pastoral Co, Mernoo, Ilfracombe** sold a line of 143 steers topping at 208.2c/kg weighing 381kg, while **Ruthven Pastoral Co, Isisford** sold 178kg Santa/Shorthorn Cross steers to 230c/kg. **Miller Margot Grazing Co, Barcaldine** consigned 68 Santa Cross Steers selling to 236.2c/kg for 281kg, **The Ferguson Family, Barcaldine** sold a quality line of Droughtmaster Steers to 242.2c/kg for 262kg. The heifer portion of the sale saw the **Enniskillen Pastoral Co, Boongoondoo, Jericho** consign 114 quality Santa heifers selling to a top of 220.2c/kg weighing 229kg to average 215c/kg over the line with average weight of 242kg. **MJ & HF Meppem, Longreach** saw their line of 73 Santa/Shorthorn heifers topping at 202.2c/kg for 183kg to average 184.2c/kg. **Jeffrey Miller, Barcaldine** sold 355kg Santa Heifers to 192.2c/kg and 276kg heifers to 194.2c/kg. **Recruit Investments** consigned steers that topped at 233c/kg weighing 295kg to return \$687 per head. **D. Marshall** consigned cows and calves that returned \$710.00 per unit.

NEXT BLACKALL CATTLE SALE – FAT & STORE SALE – 9<sup>TH</sup> APRIL 2015

NEXT BLACKALL WEANER SALE – 30<sup>TH</sup> APRIL 2015