

Grantsville Livestock

Grantsville, Maryland
Report Supplied by Auction
Saturday, July 13, 2002

STOCK STEERS AND BULLS 200-500 LBS. 55.00-102.50.
STOCK HEIFERS 50.00-90.00.
SLAUGHTER STEERS GOOD TO CHOICE UP TO 65.00, MEDIUM TO GOOD 45.00-62.00.
HOLSTEIN STEERS GOOD 42.00-57.00, LIGHT 52.00-60.00.
SLAUGHTER HEIFERS GOOD TO CHOICE UP TO 62.50, MEDIUM TO GOOD 50.00-58.50.
BULLS HEAVY 41.00-61.00, LIGHT 48.00-62.00, SLOW, NONE AVAILABLE.
COWS UTILITY HOLSTEINS 38.00-46.00, CANNERS 34.00-38.00, CULLS 35.00 AND DOWN.
BOB CALVES 50.00 AND DOWN.
HOLSTEIN BULL CALVES RETURN TO FARM 90-120 LBS. UP TO 116.00.
HOLSTEIN HEIFER CALVES RETURN TO FARM UP TO 285.00.
BEEF CROSS CALVES RETURN TO FARM UP TO 197.50.
HOGS TOP QUALITY UP TO 35.50, HEAVY UP TO 32.00, LIGHT 30.00-41.00, FEEDER PIGS BY HEAD UP TO 40.00.
SOWS 15.00-20.00.
MALE HOGS 5.00-15.00.
LAMBS 70-85 LBS. UP TO 72.00, 85-125 LBS. UP TO 74.00, 30-60 LBS. UP TO 70.00, CULLS UP TO 60.00.
SHEEP UP TO 25.00.
GOATS LARGE 55.00-100.00, MEDIUM 25.00-60.00, SMALL 10.00-30.00, ALL BY THE HEAD.
FEEDER SALE EVERY SECOND SAT. PER MONTH.

Friend's Stockyard

Accident, Md.
Report Supplied by Auction
Monday, July 15, 2002

STOCK STEERS AND BULLS: 200-500 lbs. 55.00-93.50.
STOCK HEIFERS: 200-500 lbs. 61.00-75.00.
SLAUGHTER STEERS: good to choice 63.50-66.00, medium to good 60.00-63.00, heavy choice over 1450 lbs. 57.00-63.00.
HOLSTEIN STEERS: heavy Choice 48.00-55.00, light 47.00-57.00.
SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Good to Choice 63.50-65.25, Medium to Good 60.00-63.00.
BULLS: heavy 49.50-61.00, light 40.00-49.00.
COWS: Utility (Holsteins) 40.00-46.00, Commercial to Good 36.00-40.00, cull cows 35.00 and down.
VEALS: Good to Choice 50.00-90.00, Med. to Good 50.00-67.00.
BOB CALVES: 50.00 and down.
HOLSTEIN BULL CALVES, RETURN TO FARM: 90-120 lbs. up to 126.00; HOLSTEIN HEIFER CALVES, RETURN TO FARM: 90-120 lbs. up to 465.00, BEEF X CALVES return to farm up to 160.00.
HOGS: top quality, up to 35.00.
SOWS: up to 24.00.
LAMBS, CHOICE, up to 77.00.
Goats choice up to 45.00.
Livestock prices are all given per hundred weights.

East Fluid Milk And Cream Review

Madison, Wis.
July 17, 2002
Report Supplied by USDA

Spot prices of class II cream, dollars per lb. butterfat: F.O.B. producing plants: Northeast: 1.3532-1.4129. Delivered Equivalent: Atlanta: 1.3532-1.4328 mostly 1.3731-1.4129.
PRICES OF CONDENSED SKIM, dollars per lb. wet solids, F.O.B. producing plants: Northeast: Class II, includes monthly formula prices: .9200-1.0300; Class III - spot prices - .8000-.9300.
SPOT SHIPMENTS OF GRADE A MILK: FLORIDA: This week - In 0, Out 2; last week - In 0, Out 45; last year - In 27, Out 0. SOUTHEAST STATES: This week - In 0, Out 0; last week - In 0, Out 0; last year - In 42, Out 0.
Regional Milk Market Administrators announced the following, June 2002 uniform prices: Northeast \$12.38, Mideast \$11.24, Southeast \$12.69, Florida \$14.44, and Western New York (a state order) \$11.82 at the base city or county in the orders. (For the Northeast, Mideast, and Western New York orders, statistical uniform prices are reported.)
Milk supplies have tightened in most areas of the East. Declines in milk output were significant early in July, but seem to be level now that temperatures have moderated slightly. Plant contacts report fewer incoming loads now that haulers have consolidated their routes. This is typical for this time of year. Also, fat and protein test have fallen to summer-time levels.
Florida handlers report being nicely balanced this week and expect to start importing milk in the next week or two. A slow Class I milk demand in Florida is keeping the need for milk lower than expected. Class I milk sales are reported as slow throughout the region. Bottlers have been "filling in" operating schedules with fruit drinks and water, which are good sellers during hot weather.

Surplus milk volumes are tighter and manufacturing schedules have been reduced accordingly. Most Eastern cheese and butter
owder plants have cut back operations by at least one day a week. The condensed skim market seems firmer and prices are steady to lower on Class III spot sales; steady on Class II. Demand for wet solids is steady to slightly improved.
The fluid cream market is firm. Supplies are tighter and many producers have had to purchase supplemental loads to meet their commitments. Demand is good and improving. Spot prices are lower, but multiples have increased noticeably from late-June levels. The CME average butter price was off five cents from the previous week. Most Eastern butter makers are selling cream into Class II channels and doing very little or no churning.
Ice cream consumption is seasonally high, particularly soft serve. The hot weather has greatly affected frozen dairy product sales and producers are running at or near capacity levels to keep pace. Cream cheese production is about steady.

Marshall Weekly Feeder Cattle Sale

Richmond, Va.
July 17, 2002
Report Supplied by USDA

Weekly Auction at Marshall, July 16 — FEEDER CATTLE: 129 head. Prices per hundredweight, based on in weights.
FEEDER STEERS: 70 head. Med. and Lge. 1: 300-400 lb 82.75; 500-600 lb 78.50-83.50; 600-700 lb 74.25-83.50. Small 1: 700-800 lb 60.00; 800-900 lb 61.50. Med. and Lge. 2: 400-500 lb 81.00.
HOLSTEIN STEERS: 11 head. 200-300 lb 65.00; 300-500 lb 65.00.
FEEDER HEIFERS: 40 head. Med. and Lge. 1: 300-400 lb 75.50; 400-500 lb 78.00; 500-600 lb 75.50; 600-700 lb 66.00; 700-800 lb 63.00. Med. and Lge. 2: 300-400 lb 71.25; 400-500 lb 70.50; 600-700 lb 56.00.
FEEDER BULLS: 19 head. Med. and Lge. 1: 500-600 lb 69.00; 700-900 lb 61.75. Med. and Lge. 2: 400-500 lb 78.25; 600-700 lb 61.00; 700-900 lb 52.50.

Dairy Products Prices Highlights

Washington, D. C.
July 12, 2002
Report Supplied by NASS/USDA

DAIRY PRODUCTS PRICES HIGHLIGHTS:
CHEDDAR CHEESE prices received for US 40 pound Blocks averaged \$1.11 per pound for the week ending July 6. The price per pound decreased 2.3 cents from the previous week. The price for US 500 pound Barrels adjusted to 38 percent moisture averaged \$1.10 per pound, down 2.1 cents from the previous week.
BUTTER prices received for 25 kilogram and 68 pound boxes meeting USDA Grade AA standards averaged \$1.02 per pound for the week ending July 6. The U.S. price per pound increased 1.1 cents from the previous week.
NONFAT DRY MILK prices received for bag, tote and tanker sales meeting USDA Extra Grade or USPH Grade A standards averaged 90.3 cents per pound for the week ending July 6. The U.S. price per pound increased 0.2 cents from the previous week.
DRY WHEY prices received for bag, tote and tanker sales meeting USDA Extra Grade standards averaged 15.7 cents per pound for the week ending July 6. The U.S. price per pound decreased 0.1 cents from the previous week.

Dublin Special Feeder Heifer Sale

Warrenton, Va.
July 11, 2002
Report Supplied by USDA

Dublin Special State Graded Feeder Yearling Heifer Sale, July 10 - 754 head. Prices per cwt. Prices follow with average weights and average prices in parentheses where applicable.
FEEDER HEIFERS: Med./Lge. 1: 17 head, 400-500 lb (467 lb) 74.75-75.25 (74.95); 74 head, 500-600 lb (55 lb) 75-75.50 (75.19); 100 head, 600-700 lb (650 lb) 69.25-70.00 (69.60); 97 head, 700-800 lb (756 lb) 67.50-68.50 (68.03); 36 head 800-900 lb (842 lb) 64.75-65.75 (65.28) 6 head, 900-1000 lb (938 lb) 56.25-59.50 (58.40).
Med./Lge. 2: 5 head, 300-400 lb (373 lb) 72-74.00 (72.42); 46 head, 400-500 lb (464 lb) 70-77.25 (75.32); 75 head, 500-600 lb (556 lb) 73.25-74.75 (74.35); 101 head, 600-700 lb (656 lb) 68.25-70.50 (69.83); 60 head, 700-800 lb (742 lb) 66.50-66.75 (66.58); 7 head, 800-900 lb (841 lb) 61.00.
Med./Lge. 3: 18 head 400-500 lb (436 lb) 64.50; 26 head, 500-600 lb (545 lb) 68-70.00 (69.54); 18 head, 600-700 lb (645 lb) 67.00.

ATTENTION: MANURE HAULERS and NUTRIENT MANAGEMENT SPECIALISTS

2002 Manure Hauler Certification Field Days

Dates:
July 30, 2002 - Manure Hauler Certification Program Field Day Greater Vision Farm, Fleetwood, Pa., Berks Co.
July 31, 2002 - Manure Application Field Day Greater Vision Farm, Fleetwood, Pa., Berks Co.
August 1, 2002 - Manure Application Field Day The Buser Farm, Yorkana, Pa., York Co.

Agenda:
8:45 Registration - Coffee, Doughnuts
9:00 Introduction and program recap; Some main points from the Classroom - Robb Meinen, PSU Dept. of Dairy & Animal Science
9:45 Concurrent Sessions (For concurrent sessions the group will be split and each session will be offered twice):
P-Index Exercise* - Jerry Martin, Pa. Nutrient Management Program; Joel Myers, USDA-NRCS; Mark Goodson, York Co. Coop Ext.; Jennifer Weld, USDA-ARS
Compaction Exercise - Sjoerd Duiker, PSU Dept. of Agronomy; Robb Meinen, PSU Dept. of Dairy & Animal Science
11:45 Lunch
12:30 Concurrent Sessions
Calibration Exercise* - Leon Ressler, Lancaster Co. Coop Ext.; Robb Meinen, PSU Dept. of Dairy & Animal Science
Soil Pit - Joel Myers, USDA-NRCS; Mark Goodson, York Co. Coop Ext.
2:00 Concurrent Sessions
Hand-held GPS Exercise - Brad Georgic, PSU Dept. of Ag Engineering
GPS on Field Equipment - David Wagner, PSU Dept. of Ag Engineering
3:30 Equipment Demonstrations, Injection and Variable Rate Applications - Dan Shirley, Beltsville, Md., USDA Ag Research Farm; Various local haulers
4:00 Adjourn

Registration Contact:

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Please bring a calculator to the meetings.

Participants will be asked to pay a \$10 registration fee at the farm.

Five Continuing Ed credits are offered to certified Nutrient Management Plan Writers.

A classroom session must be attended to complete hauler certification. This year's classroom session is on December 17 at the Farm Show Building in Harrisburg.

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