



❖ HOG MARKETS ❖



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New Holland Hog Auction

NEW HOLLAND, PA
March 17, 2003

Report Supplied By Auction
Receipts: 656. Last Week 772, Last Year 885

Compared to last week, barrows and gilts sold fully 1.00 higher, with instances of 2.00 higher in moderately active to active trading. The quality of the run was improved, with buyers taking notice as they actively pursued the better ones. Western terminal market hogs closed from 35.00-36.00 on Friday, with prices for the 220-270 pounders as high as 37.00 at times last week. Never-the-less, the firmer Western trade has added a positive upturn to the local trade. All hogs are sold by the pound, with actual weights.

Percent Lean Weight Price 49-54 220-275 lbs 34.85-37.50, up to 38.25 late 280-295 lbs 32.00-35.50 45-50 few 220-270 lbs 34.00-35.00 280-330 lbs 31.25-34.50 40-45 220-270 lbs 32.00-34.25 315-340 lbs 29.00-30.75

Sows: Prices were steady to firm. U.S. 1-3 300-450 lbs 21.00-23.50 450-500 lbs 22.00-26.00 500-700 lbs 25.50-28.50

Boars: Prices were firm to 1.00 higher on a light run. 300-700 lbs 7.00-9.00

New Holland Feeder Pig Auction

NEW HOLLAND, PA
March 12, 2003

Report Supplied By USDA
Receipts 411 Last Week: 277 Year Ago: 455.

Compared to last week's light run, U.S. 1-2 slaughter pigs weighing 20-30 lbs sold steady to weak; with a very good supply of 30-40 lb pigs trading 15.00-40.00 lower. Number 1-2 pigs weighing over 40 lbs were not tested due to last week's light run. Buyers were interested in owning the 30-40 pounders but with 135 head on offer prices definitely were lower towards the end of the run as demand began to waiver. The U.S. 2 supply was very light last week, with this week's supply trending with a lower undertone. Nearly 100 percent of the run went to slaughter. All pigs were weighed and graded on arrival and sold by the hundred weights.

Head Weight Price Slaughter U.S. 1-2 89 20-26 lbs 100.00-127.00, fancy lot 160.00 135 30-38 lbs 92.00-137.00, large lot late 65.00 40 44-50 lbs 62.00-70.00 3 60 lbs 62.00 18 113-120 lbs 47.00-50.00

U.S. 2 6 26 lbs 67.00 30 34-39 lbs 57.00-72.00 21 43-48 lbs 60.00-62.00 12 56-60 lbs 65.00-67.00 5 71 lbs 70.00 10 105 lbs 52.00.

ALL PIGS CONSIGNED TO WEDNESDAY FEEDER PIG SALE

MUST ORIGINATE FROM A QUALIFIED NEGATIVE OR MONITORED HERD.

Regional Hay

March 17, 2003

Report Supplied By USDA
HAY & STRAW MARKET FOR EASTERN PA — (All Hay Good grade & better prices paid by dealers at the farm & per ton) — Hay steady. Straw steady to firm. Alfalfa 110 00-150.00 few to 175 00. Mixed Hay 100.00-150 00 Timothy 100.00-140 00 few to 150.00 Straw 75.00-90.00. Mulch 25.00-50.00

SUMMARY OF LANCASTER CO. HAY AUCTIONS — For week ending 03/14/03. Prices per ton: 363 loads Hay; 178 Straw & 0 Ear Corn. Alfalfa 160.00-215.00. Mixed Hay 137.00-210.00. Timothy 150.00-215.00. Straw 100.00-132.00.

SUMMARY OF CENTRAL PA. HAY AUCTIONS — For week ending 03/14/03. Prices per ton: 388 loads Hay; 70 Straw & 19 Ear Corn. Alfalfa 130.00-210.00. Mixed Hay 115.00-190.00. Timothy 135.00-186.00. Straw 80.00-105.00. Ear Corn 92.50-144.00.

Green Dragon Hay

Ephrata, Pa.

Report Supplied By Auction
Friday, March 14, 2003
Hay—Straw—Grain
140 LOTS TOTAL.
MIXED HAY 56 LOADS, 80.00-200.00.
ALFALFA: 12 LOADS, 145.00-220.00
TIMOTHY: 10 LOTS, 150.00-200.00
STRAW. 53 LOADS, 80.00-127.00.
ORCHARDGRASS: 6 LOADS, 132.00-182 00.
OATS: 2.90 BU.
FIREWOOD: 45.00 LOAD

Dewart Hay

Dewart, Pa.

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Monday, March 17, 2003
HAY: 50 LOADS, 77 50-205.00
STRAW. 13 LOADS, 60 00-105 00
CORN 4 LOTS, 92 50-110 00
WOOD 4 LOADS, 60.00-90 00
OATS 3 LOTS, 2.65-2 70 BU

Lebanon Produce Hay Auction

Reistville, Pa.

Report Supplied By Auction
Tuesday, March 18, 2003
Hay—Straw—Grain
ALFAI FA. 180 00, 3.25 SMALL BALE
ALFALFA MIX. 160.00, 2.40-3 25 SMALL BALE
TIMOTHY: 110.00.
TIMOTHY AND GRASS: 150 00.
ORCHARDGRASS: 135.00.
MIXED HAY: 105.00, 2.00-3.00 SM BALE
GRASS HAY: 2.50 SMALL BALE.
MEADOW GRASS: 2.75 BALE.
STRAW: 97.00-110.00.
WHEAT STRAW: 92.00-107.00
EAR CORN: 100.00
FIREWOOD: 60.00 LOAD.

Kutztown Produce Hay Auction

Fleetwood, Pa.

Report Supplied by Auction
Saturday, March 15, 2003
Hay—Straw—Grain
82 LOTS.
ALFALFA HAY: 140.00-200.00
GRASS HAY: 105.00-250.00.
MIXED HAY: 135.00-260.00.
TIMOTHY HAY: 170.00-200 00.
CLOVER HAY: 150.00-190 00.
WHEAT STRAW: 88 00-105.00.
OAT STRAW: 90.00-120.00
RYE STRAW: 88.00
SMALL HAY BALES 2 10.
SMALL STRAW BALES: 1 50-1 70.
OATS: 2 80 BU.
FIRWOOD: 47.00-72.00 LOAD.
SALE EVERY SAT., 9 A.M

Finger Lakes Hay

Dundee, New York

Report Supplied by Auction
March 11 and 14, 2003
ALFAI FA 85 00-162 00
HAY. 67 00-160.00
STRAW 60 00-72.50
TIMOTHY 70 00-120 00
HAY SALE EVERY TUES AND FRI. 11 A.M

Diffenbach Auction Center

New Holland, Pa.

Report Supplied By Auction
Monday, March 17, 2003
TOTAL LOADS: 190.
ALFALEA HIGH 232 00, AVG 180.00.
MIXED HAY: HIGH 230.00, AVG 165.00.
TIMOTHY: HIGH 200.00, AVG 165.00
BALEAGE: HIGH 50.00, AVG. 38 00
ORCHARDGRASS: HIGH 215 00, AVG. 157.00.
STRAW: HIGH 140.00, AVG. 111.00, 105 00 AND 116.00 LOAD.
EAR CORN: HIGH AND AVG. 67.00
OATS: HIGH AND AVG. 2.60.

Wolgemuth Hay

Leola, Pa.

Report Supplied By Auction
Wednesday, March 19, 2003
Hay—Straw—Grain
106 LOTS.
ALFALFA: HIGH 185.00, AVG 157.00
MIXED HAY: HIGH 2 00.00, AVG 155 00.
TIMOTHY. HIGH 175 00, AVG 159.00
GRASS: HIGH 167 00, AVG 165 00
STRAW: HIGH 122 00, AVG 109 00.

Middleburg Hay

Middleburg, Pa.

Report Supplied by Auction
Tuesday, March 18, 2003
HAY: 134 LOTS, 90 LOTS TOTAL
ALFAI FA: 9 LOTS, 95.00-195 00
MIXED HAY 3 LOTS, 65 00-185 00
TIMOTHY. 105.00-152 00.
CLOVER: 130.00.
ROUND BALES: 15 00-41 00 BAI F
ORCHARDGRASS 115 00-150 00
STRAW. 23 LOTS, 72 50-115 00
ROUND BALES 10 00 BAI F
FAR CORN: 9 LOTS, 92 00-120 00
OATS 9 LOTS, 2 35-3 75 BU

PENNFIELD GRAIN BANK DAIRY FEEDS

Prices may vary by feed mill location.
Prices Week Of 03/24/03

Corn	\$3.02 Bu
Soybeans	\$5.76 Bu
Barley	\$2.60 Bu

- Use Grain "Same As Cash"
- Prices Updated Weekly
- Grain Back-Hauling
- No Storage Charges When Applied To Feed Purchases
- Yearly Statement of Grain Transactions Available

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pennfield Dairy feed technologies

#75021 - 16% FLAKE	\$192.39
#75023 - 20% FLAKE	\$206.02
#70100 - 35% PELLET	\$287.04
#75062 - 38% PELLET	\$285.89

Prices are for the week of 03/24/03 and include 4 ton volume, mid-week/early order, 4% cash discount paid 10 days. Prices are for farm deliveries within 75 miles of Mt. Joy, PA

PIGS

STATE GRADED SALE RECEIVING 7 30 AM
FRIDAY, Mar 28 1 00 PM at
Carlisle
LIVESTOCK MARKET, INC
Exit 44 Off I-81 turn South (717) 249-4511 or Evenings Jim, 249-2359

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HAY & GRAIN SALE EVERY MONDAY - 10:00 A.M.

TUES	MAR 25	QUILT, CRAFT & BUGGY	9 00 A.M
WED	APR 2	TOYS & COLLECTIBLES	6 30 PM
FRI	APR 11	EQUIPMENT	9 00 A.M
WED	MAY 7	TOYS & COLLECTIBLES	6 30 PM

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VINTAGE SALES STABLES, INC.

NEW MONDAY SALES

AT 10:30 AM
SELLING HEIFERS, BULLS, STEERS, FEEDER & BUTCHER COWS

BUSINESS (717) 442-4181
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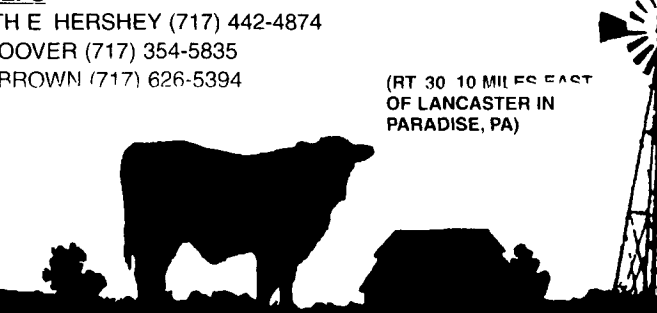
TUESDAY SALES

10:30 A.M.
SLAUGHTER CATTLE AUCTION
STEERS, BULLS, HEIFERS, COWS, FEEDER CATTLE

At Approx 1 PM
Selling Feeders

6:00 P.M.
CALVES, SHEEP, GOATS
*GET CALVES IN EARLY!
OUR STATE GRADER STARTS AT 10.30 A.M.

(RT 30 10 MILES EAST OF LANCASTER IN PARADISE, PA)



NEW HOLLAND SALES STABLES INC. THE ACTION AUCTION

Livestock Is Our Only Business.

MONDAY

SLAUGHTER HOGS EARLY BIRD HOG SALE 7:30 A.M.

Sell Your Hogs At New Holland Sales Stables Inc See them weighed sold and pickup your check

10:00 A.M. HORSES MULES

9:00 A.M. SHEEP, GOATS & CALVES

1:30 P.M. BEEF SALE

THURSDAY

BEEF AUCTION 9:30 A.M.

BULLS, STEERS, BEEF COWS

1:00 P.M. STOCKERS & FEEDERS

10:00 A.M. GOATS, SHEEP CALVES

WEDNESDAY

HEIFER SALE 10:00 A.M. COW SALE 12:00 NOON

HEIFERS BULLS DAIRY COWS

We have the usual run of 125 to 200 Heifers all ages Loads of fresh cows and springers from our regular shippers Also some local fresh cows and springers

1:30 P.M. FEEDER PIG SALE

Pigs are accepted after 6 30 A.M State graded from 8 to 12 Dairy Barn and Feeder Pig Barn are cleaned and disinfected weekly for your protection

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