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BC LIVESTOCK PRODUCERS MARKET REPORT

NOVEMBER 25, 2015

NOVEMBER & DECEMBER SALES

- ◆ VANDERHOOF SALE—FRIDAY NOV 27TH
LAST VANDERHOOF SALE UNTIL FEBRUARY 19TH
- ◆ OK FALLS BRED COW & BRED HEIFER SALE—NOV 30TH
LAST OK FALLS SALE UNTIL FEBRUARY 22ND
- ◆ KAMLOOPS SALE - TUESDAY DEC. 1ST
- ◆ WILLIAMS LAKE BRED COW & HEIFER SALE —DEC 2ND
- ◆ WILLIAMS LAKE REGULAR SALE—DEC 3RD
- ◆ KAMLOOPS SALE & BRED COW & BRED HEIFER SALE TUESDAY DEC. 8TH
- ◆ WILLIAMS LAKE SALE—THURSDAY DEC. 10TH
LAST WILLIAMS LAKE SALE UNTIL FEBRUARY 18TH
- ◆ KAMLOOPS SALE—TUESDAY DEC. 15TH
LAST KAMLOOPS SALE UNTIL JANUARY 12TH
- ◆ ****NO SALE IN KAMLOOPS DEC. 22ND OR 29TH
- ◆ ****NO SALE IN KAMLOOPS JANUARY 5TH
- ◆ NEXT SALE IN KAMLOOPS TUESDAY JANUARY 12TH
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MARKET REPORT FOR NOV 25, 2015

Total receipts 5280 head for Williams Lake, Vanderhoof, Kamloops, & Team Sales

<u>STEERS</u>	<u>HIGH</u>	<u>AVG</u>	<u>HEIFERS</u>	<u>HIGH</u>	<u>AVG</u>
0-299	295.00	285.61	0-299	255.00	237.00
300-399	300.00	280.47	300-399	270.00	245.01
400-499	322.00	288.43	400-499	261.00	242.35
500-599	274.00	250.92	500-599	251.00	230.15
600-699	248.00	236.46	600-699	221.50	207.60
700-799	230.75	218.03	700-799	213.00	185.51
800-899	219.00	205.59	800-899	211.00	195.06
900 +	209.50	200.37	900 +	199.25	183.07
Butcher cows	90.00-110.00		Butcher bulls	105.00-118.00	
Bred Heifers	1900.00-2650.00		Bred Cows	1500.00-2575.00	

WILLIAMS LAKE SALE NOVEMBER 18 & 19TH

Well another powerful Wednesday Special calf sale of top quality calves with 2080 head on offer. The **Char Springs Ranch** built the fire under this top sale. 24 head of their 506 lb. Red Angus cross s/c topped 260.50. Their 452 lb. s/c marked 275.00. Their pen of 483 lb. h/c's saw 265.00. 24 head of their 424 lb. h/c saw 276.00. The **Australian Ranch** today showcased a powerful group of calves. 45 head of their 645 lb. Simmental Angus cross s/c raced to 233.75. 22 head of their 568 lb. s/c saw 240.50. 27 head of their Simm/Angus cross h/c 614 lb. traded to 213.00, their 543 lb. X bred h/c hit 224.25. **Bruce Donaldson and Pam Blain** saw their 418 lb. Black Angus s/c march to 299.50. Howard Briscoe's heavy 660 lb. Angus cross s/c powered to 227.00, the big brothers 715 lb. notched 220.50. **153 Mile Ranch's** 415 lb. Black s/c topped 315.50. The **Chilango Ranch** today showcased 243 head of premium quality calves. A ring full of 52 s/c notched 327.50. A ring full of their 494 lb. Black & Bwf h/c traded to 260.50. 57 head of their 408 lb. h/c marched to 272.00. The **Stirrup Ranch** today showcased one incredible load of calves. 39 head of their 638 lb. Black & Bwf s/c raced to 231.75, the big boys 679 lb, notched 225.25. **Redl Ranch** sold a load of 460 lb. h/c at 281.00, their 338 lb. s/c hit 338.50. **Gang Ranch** came to town with a liner load of 440 lb. Black s/c which topped 325.00, their 390 lb. s/c hit 339.00, and the 440 lb. h/c rolled to 272.50. **Peter Vandermerwe** of Prince George had 443 lb. Black s/c sell to 318.00, their heavy 549 lb. Angus X s/c notched 244.50. A beautiful pen

of their 544 lb. h/c hit 248.00, their 474 lb. h/c notched 264.00. **Reg Desmond** had 558 lb. Bwf h/c top 252.00. **Lars & Carol Satre** with a great pen of calves. Their pen of 62 s/c Angus/Limo/Simm cross 538 lb. and fancy traded to 262.25. 31 head of their 460 lb. s/c saw 299.00. **Lars and Carol Satre** put the test to our yearling trade with a liner load of premium yearlings. 22 head of their 811 lb. yearling steers raced to 228.50. Their load of 768 lb. heifers today high marked 209.75.

A Sincere Thank you to all our contributors and buyers for one strong sale.

VANDERHOOF SALE FRIDAY NOV. 20TH

Diamond X Ranch Ltd. was the highlight of the sale for **Audrey and the Late Walter Read**. Its been a pleasure selling these folks top quality Red Angus cattle over the years. Bred heifers Red Diamond X 571K Boniter 19B sold for 3100.00 along with Red Diamond X 10Y Bunny 18B traded for 3200.00. Red Diamond X Benita 16B sold for 4000.00. Red Diamond X 4U Anna 13A and Red Diamond X 17W Allese 22A sold for 3250.00 each. Red Diamond X 429 M Tara 6T sold for 3200.00. Audrey's purebred h/c averaged 1597.00 per head. Thanks Audrey for a powerful set of top quality cattle. **KC Ranch Chet & Maryanne Larson** from Fort Fraser saw their 1200 lb. bred Simm/Angus X heifers trade to 3100.00 and Chets 1180 lb. bred heifers sold for 3200.00 and Chets young cows sold for 3050.00. **Double W Ranches** sold some fancy Gelbvieh X cows bred Black Gelbvieh sold for 3000.00. Solid Reds traded to 2750.00 and heifers set 2800.00 each. **Clayton Steiner** also sold 1100 lb. Simm/Angus X heifers for 3100.00 and Clayton's bred cows traded to 2150.00 each. **Tatla Rose Ranch Inc/John & Cya Solecki** of Burns Lake sold 822 lb. steers for 220.00 and fancy 825 lb. heifers for 203.25. 769 lb. heifers at 209.00 even and 763 lb. steers at 230.00. **Vern Badry** sold 1712 lb. Char X cows for 106.00 and Vern's 2000 lb. bull traded to 1126.00 even.

Thanks to all contributors and buyers for supporting this sale.

Al's last sale Nov. 27th. 500 calves on paper for this sale.

KAMLOOPS SALE NOV. 23 & 24TH

The quality in Kamloops Monday at the **Bred Cow & Bred Heifer Sale** was outstanding as **Peter & Sharon Philip** started this sale. Their top quality Red baldie 1st calf heifers 1200 lbs. and sound sold to a top of 2650.00. **Hugh & Shelly Graffunder** were right on their heels with a top set of Simmental Red Angus 1st calf heifers also 1200 lb. marking 2550.00. The **Buse Creek Ranch/Larry & Holly Campbell** also presented a top pen of Simmental/Red Angus cross 1st calf heifers, they traded to 2450.00. the Cox Valley Hereford Cow Herd Dispersal sale saw their

beautiful Hereford cows mark 2150.00. **Ian & Jo Nelson** saw their Simmental Angus cross bred cows power to 2350.00. **Mel & Anne Campbell** showcased a beautiful pen of Red baldie 1st calf heifers, they weighed 1270 lb. and topped 2500.00. Their powerful young cows hit 2300.00. The **Bob Mohr Estate** Dispersal sale saw their young Black Angus cows race to 2400.00 with their fancy bred heifers selling to 2450.00, his young Black Angus bred cows hit 2500.00. **Ken and Lisa Roos of Liske Farms** featured 120 head of reputation 3rd calver Angus cows, they sold to the top of 2575.00. **Len Schmidt** with a top pen of Red baldie Bred heifers they traded to 2275.00. **Mary Cumow** set the quality standard today as she showcased a beautiful pen of Simmental/Red Angus cross 1st calf heifers, they traded to 2425.00

KAMLOOPS SALE—TUESDAY Nov. 24

Well the numbers just keep rolling in with another **1300 head** again today. Quality again this week was huge as 9 contributors had over 800 head in. **LAC Holdings** from Grand Forks put a fire to this sale with 561 lb. Hereford s/c marking 240.50. **Fred Woodman's** 503 lb. Angus h/c sold to 226.50. **Ray & Joyce Doll** of Heffley Creek saw their 754 lb. s/c hit 222.00, their load of 605 lb. s/c reached 248.00 and 630 lb. Angus h/c sold to 220.75, with their 536 lb. h/c selling to 239.25. **George Little's** 715 lb. Red s/c rolled to 225.50. The **Trails Creek Ranch** 715 lb. s/c marked 230.00, a top group of their 660 lb. h/c notched 217.00. The **Benedict Ranch** today showcased 93 top calves, the big end 752 lb. Black Angus s/c hit 219.00. 36 head of their 658 lb. s/c marked 234.00. 44 head of their 550 lb. Angus cross s/c notched 254.25. **John & Anne Grawehr** saw their 17 head of 414 lb. s/c mark 322.00. **Eric Bergstrand's** 663 lb. Red s/c rolled to 234.50, the 614 lb. s/c brought 237.00. **Chuck Crosby** had 718 lb. heavy good s/c trade to 230.75 and 640 lb. s/c trade to 237.75. The **Indian Gardens Ranch** top pen of 34 s/c 549 lb. they raced to 255.55, their pen of 482 lb. s/c notched 288.00, their 500 lb. h/c notched 245.00. **Pat Lawrence** from Keremeos showcased just under 200 top calves. 56 head of their top 634 lb. Angus cross s/c marked 240.75. 31 head of their 569 lb. h/c notched 240.00 with a pen of their 558 lb. s/c stopping 268.50.

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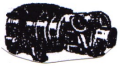
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March 8th Kamloops Valley Charolais Bull Sale

March 12th Williams Lake Harvest Angus Bull Sale

March 19th Kamloops 12:30pm Angus Advantage Bull Sale

March 21st OK Falls All Breeds Bull Sale

March 26th Vanderhoof 12:00pm Northern Alliance Black & Red Angus Bull Sale

April 2nd Williams Lake 1:00pm Best Bet Bull Sale, Mitchell Cattle Co. & Guest

April 9th Vanderhoof 12:00pm All Breeds Bull Sale

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- learn key factors shaping North American and international beef markets
- understand trends shaping the Canadian cattle industry
- discover why managing price risk is important in today's market

When – 10:30-3:00 pm on Tuesday, February 9.

**Where – Coast Kamloops Hotel & Conference Centre – 1250 Rogers Way,
Kamloops, BC**

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Hope to see you there and should you have any questions don't hesitate to call me,

Free to Register

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