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# BC LIVESTOCK PRODUCERS MARKET REPORT

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### **MARCH 2024 SALES**

- VANDERHOOF REGULAR SALE, FRI 15th
- MATTS RED ANGUS ONLINE BULL SALE, SAT 16th
- RED MOON ANGUS ONLINE BULL SALE, FRI 22nd & SAT 23rd
- COUNTRY ROOTS BULL SALE- VANDERHOOF, SAT 23rd
- KAMLOOPS REGULAR SALE TUES 26th

#### **APRIL 2024 SALES**

- CONTINENTAL CONNECTION BULL SALE, QUESNEL, FRI 5th
- BEST BET BULL SALE-WILLIAMS LAKE, SAT 6th
- KAMLOOPS REGULAR SALE, TUES 9th
- WILLIAMS LAKE REGULAR. THURS 11th
- VANDERHOOF ALL BREEDS BULL SALE, SAT 13th
- WILLIAMS LAKE ALL BREEDS BULL SHOW & SALE. THURS 18th & FRI 19th
- OK FALLS REGULAR SALE, MON 22nd
- KAMLOOPS REGULAR SALE, TUES 23rd
- WILLIAMS LAKE REGULAR SALE, THURS 25th
- VANDERHOOF REGULAR SALE, FRI 26th

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### MARKET REPORT FOR MARCH 13th 2024

	Total	Total receipts 955 hd OK Falls & KAMLOOPS				
STEERS	HIGH	AVG	HEIFERS	HIGH	AVG	
200-299	N/A	N/A	200-299	420.00	420.00	
300-399	445.00	410.00	300-399	460.00	428.75	
400-499	467.00	429.01	400-499	462.50	439.58	
500-599	425.00	374.00	500-599	402.00	380.70	
600-699	393.00	358.09	600-699	352.00	332.12	
700-799	360.00	326.71	700-799	321.00	297.00	
800-899	336.00	305.12	800-899	309.00	285.93	
900+	300.00	286.00	900 +	288.00	265.00	

Butcher Bulls 164.00-173.00 D1/D2 Cows 155.00-164.00 D3/D4 85.00 to 115.00 Holstein cows 138.00

## **CURRENT MARKET REPORT**

Markets have been strong. Light cattle continue to set new and all time highs as feedlots and potential cattle grazers chase the limited supply into the stratosphere taking away most of any potential profit that might be there; this is the cattle feeders Achilles heal. Heavier feeders 850 lbs plus have come into line, and as I reported in my last write up, they have turned profitable from unprofitable, but still, the field of view for homes on these weights are definitely more diminished than the lighter cattle, this always makes you more susceptible for the vicissitude in marketing. The big surprise in optics has been the price of cull cows! Wow. cows have recently exploded, and we are seeing cull cows now bringing up to \$1.65/lb at the high and \$1.50 is commonplace, now, does that not make the rancher smile? ! One would expect the seasonality of the cow trade to carry on right into June 1, we typically demand holds firm right into grilling season. LPI (Livestock Price Insurance) is out there to protect your future investments, and BC Livestock is also here to help you with forward pricing if that is in your repertoire. Producers need to be cognizant that things do change fast in this world, and if there's an opportunity to profit, one should certainly look at that.

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## OK Falls Regular Sale March 11th

Again, one powerful sale in OK Falls as just under 400 hd of cattle were sold. Lots of local interest for our feeder cattle today. We had 39 contributors. Pat Lawrence put the fine tune to our butcher cow trade with young 1413 lb cows at 149.25. The Wabnegger Ranch's 1380 lb cows today marked 150.00. Fossen Air Ltd filled the ring with 20 young cows, 1114 lb they traded to 169.50. The Dumont Ranch from Bridesville had 1390 lb butcher cows mark 154.50. The Harpur Ranch had 1280 lb young cows hit 160.00. The Pendergraft Ranch came to town with 1640 lb cows that sold to 157.00. Adrian Baiton put the pace to the feeder cattle with 940 lb strs topping 283.00. Dave and Wanda Casorso filled the ring with powerful feeder cattle, 25 in the ring all blk angus strs 737 lb and incredible quality, they hit 365.00. Their pen of 617 lb s/c today hit 407.50, their top replacement quality heifers came in the ring and set a pace weighing 687 lb that hit 375.00. Barrington Ranch's load of butcher cows hit 155.75 and weighed 1386 lb, their 2190 lb butcher bulls reached 162.50 and the 700 lb blk strs sold to 350.00. Tane Stelkia's 466 lb tan s/c hit 435.00. Aaron Stelkia had 463 lb Char s/c sell to 470.00, his 560 lb hfrs brought 350.00 and the 375 lb h/c sold to 435.00. Elkink Ranch had 1149 lb cows sell to 149.00, their 576 lb blk strs sold to 420.00 and the 500 lb blk str topped 435.00. The ring was filled with 20 beautiful 520 lb blk Angus h/c selling to 390.00 and the 423 lb h/c hit 435.00. Cheryl Terbasket's 477 lb h/c sold to 397.00. Well it was one incredible sale of quality. Thank you to all our buyers and contributors.

### Kamloops Regular Sale March 12th

Excellent sale today in Kamloops as 600 hd of cattle rolled through the show ring. Sunnybrae Farms of Salmon Arm put the power to this sale as a pen of 1002 lb RBF strs topping 283.50 and a pen of their 900 lb hfrs set the record at 283.00. The Princeton Stock Ranch had tremendous 622 lb Red & Blk Angus s/c that raced to 393.00, the 445 lb s/c top 467.00 and a pen of 690 lb hfrs saw 340.00. Norman Breen had 10 powerful Blk Angus strs weighing 648 lb and hit 389.50, the big brothers 712 lb notched 352.50. Then a pen of 611 lb Blk Angus hfrs reach 352.00 and their 1411 lb Butcher cows hit 155.00. Mitchell Cattle Co. had 2145 lb Butcher Bulls hit 173.00, their 868 lb Red hfrs brought 300.00 and the 1008 hfrs sold to 266.00. Indian Gardens Ranch showcased a beautiful ring full of Angus x h/c that hit 402.00 and averaged 562 lb and the 432 lb h/c rolled to 437.50. Butcher cows today were sharply higher with Aberdeen Farms and their 2095 lb cows that sold to 160.00. Randy Iley had 1815 lb cows that raced to 164.50. The KT Ranch from Cherryville had 1461 lb Butcher cows sell to 169.50. WOW!!! Fred Bowers had 1143 lb Red hfrs that bring 215.00. The RRTS Charolais Bull sale was the feature today with quality yearling Charolais Bull on offer from the Stoward Family. Their Zeus 3L Bull brought 5600.00 and sold to Ryan & Keegan Mack. The Oceanus 10L Bull sold to Shane Muir for 5000.00. Ted Marchand selected Eros 9L at 5200.00. Thank you to all the bidders and buyers for supporting this reputation Bull sale.











## March 12th

**RRTS Bull Sale** Kamloops Live & NextLot Online Bidding

## March 22nd - 23rd Red Moon Angus

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## April 6th

**Best Bet Bull Sale** Williams Lake Live & DLMS Online Bidding

April 13th

Vanderhoof All Breeds

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## March 13th

KT Ranches Bull Sale Cherryville, BC

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# March 23rd

**Country Roots Bull** Sale Vanderhoof Live & DLMS

Live & Online Bidding TBA

# April 18th - 19th

Williams Lake All **Breeds Bull Show &** Sale

## March 16th

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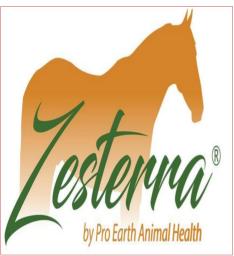
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Form 3's are legal docu-IMments and it is PORTANT you take time to fill them out correctly. In your Form 3 book there is a great example how to fill them out. Please note: If the cattle you are selling are association cattle, the association must be listed as the owner, the producers are then listed ON ACCOUNT OF CONTRIBUTOR line. For Insurance purposes the cattle are consigned transported to BC LIVE-STOCK

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