remain steady for alfalfa and grass hay and movement remains slow. Demand for grinder hay remains down at feed yards as they continue working through silage and corn chop. Producers were busy in the field harvesting ahead of the rain. Between September 30th and October 3rd most counties received at least a little precipitation. Rain totals ranged between 5.5 inches to a trace. According to the NASS Crop Progress Report, Pasture and range conditions rated 8% very poor, 17% poor, 38% fair, 35% good, and 2% excellent. According to the U.S. Drought Monitor for the week of September 28th, abnormally dry conditions (D0) increased to 34%, moderate drought (D1) increased to near 11%, and severe drought (D2) remained at 4%. If you have any extra hay to sell and/or need hay here in Kansas, use the services of the Internet Hay Exchange:www.hayexchange.com/ks.php. \*\* Prices below reflect the average price. There could be prices higher and lower than those published.

## **Southwest Kansas**

Dairy alfalfa, grinding alfalfa, ground and delivered steady; movement slow. Alfalfa: horse, premium small squares 260.00-280.00 with an instance at 300.00. Dairy 1.05-1.10/point RFV, Supreme 195.00-250.00.00, Premium 180.00-205.00, Good 155.00-185.00. Stock or Dry Cow 185.00-195.00. Grinding alfalfa 175.00-185.00. Ground and delivered locally to feed lots and dairies, 200.00-210.00; Grass Hay: Bluestem, small squares 7.50-8.50 per bale, 3x3's 115.00-125.00, Brome, none reported; Sudan: none reported. Wheat straw, large rounds 65.00-75.00. The week of 9/26-10/2, 7,888T of grinding alfalfa and 125T of 3x3 square 135.00-145.00; Sudan, none reported. Wheat dairy alfalfa was reported bought/sold.

# **South Central Kansas**

Dairy alfalfa, alfalfa pellets, grinding alfalfa, ground/ delivered steady; movement slow. Alfalfa: horse, small squares 255.00-275.00. Dairy 1.05-1.10/point RFV, Supreme 195.00-250.00.00, Premium 180.00-205.00, Good 155.00-185.00. Good, Stock cow, 165.00-175.00. Fair/good grinding alfalfa 160.00-170.00 delivered. Ground and delivered 190.00-200.00. Alfalfa pellets: Sun cured 15 pct protein 220.00-235.00, 17 pct protein 240.00-250.00, Dehydrated 17 pct 310.00-315.00. Grass Hay: Bluestem, large squares 100.00-110.00. Brome: large round 80.00-90.00. Oat hay, good 3x4 squares 110.00-120.00. The week of 9/26-10/2, 7,087T of grinding alfalfa and 295T of dairy alfalfa was reported bought/sold.

## **Southeast Kansas**

Dairy alfalfa, grinding alfalfa steady, grass hay steady; movement slow to moderate. Alfalfa: horse or goat, 250.00-260.00. Dairy 1.00-1.05/point RFV. Stock cow 160.00-170.00. Fair/Good grinding alfalfa, 145.00-155.00. Ground and delivered, none reported; Grass hay: Bluestem, small squares 120.00-130.00, good 3x3 squares 115.00-125.00, good, 3x4 and 4x4 squares 100.00-120.00, large rounds 70.00-85.00. Brome, good, small squares none reported, 3x4 to 4x4 squares 115.00-125.00, large rounds 85.00-95.00. Wheat Straw: 3x4 and 4x4 squares 60.00-80.00. The week of 9/26-10/2, 1,724T of grass hay was reported bought/sold.

## **Northwest Kansas**

Dairy alfalfa, ground/delivered steady, grinding alfalfa steady, movement slow. Alfalfa: Horse or goat, small squares 300.00-400.00 delivered. Dairy, Premium/ Supreme 1.05-1.10/point RFV. Stock cow, fair/good 175.00-185.00. Fair/good grinding alfalfa, 160.00-170.00. Oat hay, straw, large squares 75.00-85.00.

North Central-Northeast Kansas Dairy alfalfa, grinding alfalfa, ground/delivered, grass hay steady; movement slow. Alfalfa: horse, premium small squares, 9.00-10.00/bale. Dairy 1.05-1.10/point RFV, Supreme 195.00-250.00, Premium 180.00-205.00, Good 155.00-185.00. Stock Cow, 160.00-170.00. Fair/good, grinding alfalfa 130.00-140.00; Ground and delivered 155.00-165.00. Grass hay: Bluestem, small squares 5.50-6.00/bale, 3x4 to 4x4 squares, new crop large squares 120.00-130.00, good, large rounds new crop 100.00-120.00, premium, large rounds 120.00-130.00. Brome, small squares 7.25-8.00/bale, 3x4 to 4x4 squares 125.00-135.00, large rounds 95.00-110.00; Wheat Straw: Small squares 5.00-6.00/bale, Large 3x4 to 4x4 squares 85.00-100.. Certified weed free grass mulch large rounds, 80.00-90.00. The week of 9/26-10/2, 510T of grinding alfalfa and 104T of dairy alfalfa was reported bought/sold.

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\*\*\*Prices are dollars per ton and FOB unless otherwise noted. Dairy alfalfa prices are for mid and large squares unless otherwise noted. Horse hay is in small squares unless otherwise noted. Prices are from the most recent sales.

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Source: Kansas Department of Agriculture - Manhattan, Kansas, Kim Nettleton 785-564-6709.

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For our sale held Friday, October 8th, weaned cattle with quality and condition were finding good interest at mostly steady prices. Unweaned calves and calves of lower quality sold accordingly. Stocker feeder cattle sold fully steady on

the kind offered. Cull cows and bulls were selling \$2-\$3 lower with many lower quality cows offered.  STEER CALVES — 425-550 LBS.						
SIEER CAL	VES - 42	5-550 LBS.				
Washington	5 blk	439@179.00				
Wamego	15 blk	479@176.50				
Council Grove	13 bwf	518@175.50				
Onaga	4 blk	445@174.50				
Pomona	5 blk	513@173.00				
Onaga	7 blk	470@173.00				
Onaga	7 blk	519@172.50				
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Waterville

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Wamego	8 blk	623@162.00	Randolph
Randolph	3 blk	688@159.00	Blue Rapids
Onaga	15 blk	568@158.00	Onaga
Alta Vista	5 blk	705@157.00	Auburn
Frankfort	5 blk	564@157.00	Onaga
Council Grove	5 blk	699@156.00	Onaga
Tonganoxie	5 blk	737@154.00	Onaga
Blaine	3 blk	593@153.00	Onaga
Tonganoxie	5 bwf	820@150.00	Frankfort
Waterville	3 blk	751@149.50	Alta Vista
Washington	5 Cross	616@148.00	Olsburg
Onaga	7 blk	655@147.25	Perry
	1/20		

# HEIFER CALVES — 325-550 LBS.

Council Grove	4 blk	461@161.00
Onaga	4 blk	326@160.00
Pomona	5 blk	419@159.00
Junction City	5 blk	489@155.00
Waterville	7 blk	510@153.00
Alta Vista	6 mix	544@152.00

5 blk

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- 5 blk hfrs, long weaned, 1 rd shots, 600-700 lbs. 60 blk BWF & Red cross strs, long weaned, 700-825 lbs.
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- 60 Mostly Blk strs, long weaned, 600-700 lbs.
- 60 Blk & Crossbred hfrs, long weaned, 600-700 lbs.
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- 8 choice blk Fall calving 1st calf hfrs w/ 30-60 day Blk & Red calves by side. Hfrs
- 20 choice blk Fall calving 1st calf hfrs w/ 25-45 day Angus sired calves by side. 3 choice Red Gelv 1st calf hfrs w/ July Angus sired calves by side - ready to
- breed for Fall calves.
- 15 gentle, mostly Heref, few blk & Crossbred 1st calf OCV hfrs w/ Angus sired
- May & June 300-350# calves by side, Running back Angus bulls.
- 16 big fancy Angus 1st calf hfrs w/ 45 day Angus sired calves. Calves all worked & shots.
- 4 Mill Creek Genetic Angus 1st calf hfrs with Waygu cross steers by side.
  - **BRED 1ST CALF HEIFERS**
- 50 blk Spring bred 1st calf hfrs bred to LBW SimAng bulls. 9 Mill Creek Genetic Ang 1st calf hfrs bred Waygu for March 1-April 20 calving.
- **BRED COWS**
- 5 blk cows, 5-7 yrs, bred Angus, heavy bred.

- 24 blk Fall calving cows, 3-5 yrs, bred blk Angus for Oct.-Nov. calving.
- 6 Angus cows, 4-6 yrs, bred Red Gelv bull to calve Nov. 16 to Dec. 10.
- 3 Polled Herf cows, 7-8 yrs, pasture exposed 90 days to Polled Herf bull. All current on vaccinations.

- 30 blk cows, 5-7 yrs w/ mostly 30-60 day Angus sired calves by side.
- COMPLETE DISPERSAL OF: 11 blk Fall calving cows, 6-7 yrs w/ 30 day Angus sired calves by side.
- 40 blk & Red cows, 5 yrs+, w/ Sept.-Oct. Angus calves by side.
- 10 Red Angus cows (3 to 6) with big summer calves by side, cows exposed back Hubert Char bull
- 10 Blk Fall calving cows (3 to 6 yrs) with Angus-sired calves by side
- 2 Polled Hereford cows, 6-7 yrs, pasture exposed the last 60 days to Polled Herf
- bull, w/ 90 day Polled Herf heifer calves by side. All current on vacc.
- 3 older Red Angus cows w/ 2-4 week blk Angus calves by side.
- 2 Herf cows, 8 yrs w/ RWF 1 month hfr calves by side.

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# Farmer sentiment declines in Sept., inflation expectations jump

The Purdue University/ CME Group Ag Economy Barometer declined in September, down 14 points to a reading of 124. With producers feeling less optimistic about both current conditions on their farming operations as well as their expectations for the future, this is the weakest farmer sentiment reading since July 2020 when the index stood at 118. The Index of Current Conditions declined 12 points to a reading of 140 and the Index of Future Expectations fell 16 points to a reading of 116. The Ag Economy Barometer is calculated each month from 400 U.S. agricultural producers' responses to a telephone survey. The previous month's survey was conducted Sept. 27-29.

The Farm Financial Performance Index was unchanged from the previous month with a reading of 110. However, examining the detailed responses reveals there was a shift among producers with regard to their farms' financial performance. In September, fewer farms said they expected their farm's financial performance to match last year's, while the percentages of producers expecting both worse and better financial performance rose.

"Although the combined responses left the Farm Financial Performance Index unchanged from a month earlier, the increasing divergence in expectations among respondents from August to September could reflect differences in how individual farms managed risk in a period of rapidly fluctuating commodity prices," said James Mintert, the barometer's principal investigator and director of Purdue University's Center for Commercial Agriculture.

The decline in farmer sentiment spilled over into the Farm Capital Investment Index, which declined ten points to a reading of 43, down 50% since the beginning of the year and the lowest investment index reading since April 2020. Fewer farmers this month said they planned to increase their machinery purchases than on the August survey as just 8% of respondents plan to increase purchases, down from 10% last month. In a follow-up question, over half (55%) of respondents reported that their farm machinery purchase plans have been impacted by low farm machinery inventories, likely contributing to weak sentiment regarding whether now is a good time to make large investments. Although plans for machinery purchases fell, producers' plans for new construction rose this month with 13% expecting to increase construction of grain bins and farm build-

ings, up from 8% in August. Producer concerns

about rising input costs rose sharply with over one-third of respondents saying they expect input prices to rise by more than 12% in the coming year, which is six times the average farm input inflation rate of the last decade. Inflation expectations were higher this month across the board with the percentage of respondents expecting input inflation to rise above 12% doubling since July with an increase to 34%, up from 21% last month.

Despite September's decline in farmer sentiment, farmers remain bullish about farmland values. The Short-Term and Long-Term Farmland Values **Expectations Indices rose** this month, with the longterm index hitting a record-high reading of 159, which is four points higher than the previous month. The short-term index rose nine points to 155, which is its third-highest reading since data collection began in 2015. Additionally, about one-half of corn/ soybean growers continue to say they expect farmland cash rental rates to rise above 2021 levels in 2022. Among growers who expect cash rents to increase, 44% said they expect rental rates to rise from 5 to less than 10%. and three out of ten respondents indicated they expect rates to rise by 10% or more.

In early 2020, about 70% of producers expected agricultural exports to increase over the next five years. Since then, farmer expectations regarding future agricultural trade prospects have continued to weaken with only a few exceptions. September recorded the lowest percentage (37%) of growers expecting agricultural exports to increase since the question was first posed early last year. Concerns regarding the future of agricultural trade could be another factor behind weakness in the Future Expectations Index.

Each month, the Purdue Center for Commercial Agriculture provides a short video analysis of the barometer results. For even more information, check out the Purdue Commercial AgCast podcast. It includes a detailed breakdown of each month's barometer, in addition to a discussion of recent agricultural news that affects farmers.

The Ag Economy Barometer, Index of Current Conditions and Index of Future Expectations are available on the Bloomberg Terminal under the following ticker symbols: AGECBARO, AGECCURC and AGECF-



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# Livestock Field Day to be held in north central Kansas

Make plans to attend the Central Kansas Beef Summit on Wednesday, November 3rd, 2021. The event will be highlighted by a market outlook from Derrell Peel, Oklahoma State University Extension livestock marketing specialist, and a presentation on preg-checking and managing your opens from our very own K-State Research and Extension Beef Specialist, Dr. Sandy Johnson.

The field day, held in Phillipsburg, will be a collaboration among numerous K-State Research and

chance to not only hear from industry leaders, but to also take part in conversation with one another.

In addition to the speakers, the program will offer breakout sessions where attendees can pick and choose which topics apply to them. This year's topics will be stock water considerations with state specialist, Ron Graber, weaning and calf health with Dr. Gregg Hanzlicek, DVM, and feed inventory with K-State Research and Extension, beef systems specialist Dr. Justin Waggoner.

RSVP today to make sure you get a plate of deli-

cious roast beef meal from Third Street Bakery. Cost to attend is \$10 if you register by October 27th, otherwise late registration is \$15. For more information, or to register, visit www.postrock.ksu.edu. This event has been generously sponsored by several agribusinesses in collaboration with K-State Research and Extension Districts, Central KS, Cottonwood, Midway, Phillips/Rooks, Post Rock and Walnut Creek. Further questions can be directed to your local Extension

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15 to Highway 18 then 5 miles east and 2.75 miles north to

TRACTORS, SPRAYER & GATOR (sell at 5:30): Massey Ferguson 65 utility tractor w/3pt., good 13.6x38 rears, rear wts., looks

very good but engine needs work; Farmall F30 on low steel, NF

not stuck; John Deere 535 pull type sprayer, PTO pump, 350G tank, 24ft. wide; 5 wheel John Deere Gator w/tilt bed.

MACHINERY, CAR, TRAILERS (sell after 5:00): Old JD horse

drawn manure spreader, shedded; circa 1950 Chevy and Dodge short bed pickup bed trailers; small sprayer w/poly tank & gas

engine; Chevy Citation, ran when parked years ago; IH #9 horse

ANTIQUES, PRIMITIVES & MISC.: Lg. safe w/combination from the Dickinson Co. Courthouse in Abilene; wooden standing corn

sheller; hundreds of feet of heavy rope, new on spools; Ig. wooden pulley; old bikes; license tags; old car & machinery parts; galv.

single chicken nest; hitch & dbl. tree; galvanized buckets & tubs;

rack or 2 of old items around the farm.; old gas tank & barrels.

NOTE: This farm will be sold at auction at 7:00 on November

11th at the Abilene Elks Lodge by Greg Kretz, Agent for Clay

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By Miranda Reiman "Why are we doing this, Dad?'

That question came sometime during 2001 when Joe Elliott's teenage sons were helping him run a cow into a chute to milk her engorged udder.

"So you can remember why we're going to carry this cow off to the sale barn when this udder gets straightened out. We don't want to have to do this again," Elliott replied.

That was two decades ago, and as the seasoned Angus breeder recalls the story today, Elliott notes one of those now-grown "boys" is back home on the Adams, Tenn., farm. Today the father-son team assign udder and teat scores to every cow shortly after calving.

It's both a guard against increased labor and future problems in their own females, and part reputation management as a seedstock supplier.

"If you sell a guy a bull with bad teats in his pedigree and he keeps replacements, he's not going to be happy if that gene pops out," Elliott says.

Initially, the breeder collected data on his own pass/fail scale. When the Angus Information Management Software (AIMS) began including it as a measure to track, he adopted that system.

'We don't have that many bad udders anymore. We just don't," he says, noting they treat poor udders like they do disposition problems. "We just don't keep bad ones

This summer, the American Angus Association added udder and teat scoring as optional fields in Angus Herd Improvement

Records (AHIR®). "It's all about making functional cows for the commercial cattleman," says Esther McCabe, director of performance programs. "You want to be able to make improvements for them, and udder scores are a step to creating trouble-free cows for your customers."

# Teat and udder scoring

how-to In AHIR, just under the birth weight and calving ease fields, there are two separate measures: one for dam teat score and one

for dam udder score. "There is no optimal or right answer as long as the udder is functional and problem-free," McCabe says. "The most important thing is that the calf gets ample colostrum in them in the first few hours of life. We know that the antibodies from colostrum must be absorbed before the gut wall starts to close in order to provide passive immunity. The effects of colostrum follow the calf through life."

The Association has adopted a one-to-nine scale for teat size, where one is the largest and nine is the smallest. There is a similar one-to-nine scale for udder suspension score, with one being very pendulous and nine is very

Eventually the current AIMS system will be converted to match, and the Association will help AIMS users who are inter-

Udder scoring is illustrated in the above graphic. ested in submitting histor-

ical scores. "Teat size and udder

suspension are highly correlated traits, and they tend to move in the same direction, but it's not a one-to-one correlation,' McCabe says. "That's why they're being scored independently." Elliott looks for a small-

er teat — big enough for a calf to grab hold, but small enough to be able to suckle well right away — with good attachment and a tight udder. The more pendulous the bag, the more likely a calf can't empty it and they'll have problems, he says.

The scoring is based on the Beef Improvement

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Federation (BIF) guidelines, but unique Angus sketches (see Figures 1 and 2) should help members identify what it looks like within the breed's population, she notes.

McCabe provides a few quick tips for scoring suc-Limit the number of

people taking measures in a management group since it's subjective. Score within 24 hours of

calving. Evaluate the worst com-

bined quarter for udder suspension and teat size. Making mamas that stay

Data helps cattlemen make decisions within their own herds. Elliott says they have real-world proof: now very few females leave the herd because of their udders today compared to 20 years ago. It also helps the Angus breed continue to improve on the maternal traits it's known for.

enough records to develop a research expected progeny difference (EPD) and continue building a body of data that will inform future genetic tools down



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the road. Those who submit data early will already be in a good routine, and "It's just



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you submit information on: you want your animals represented in that population," McCabe says.

Elliott remembers his dad collecting weaning weights long before it was the norm, but he insisted the more they knew about the cattle, the better.

Today Elliott sees the udder and teat scoring as a small investment of time for the return.

"We're tagging the calf. We're treating the calf and giving a nasal vaccine. It doesn't take long to get a score when you're already doing all that," he says.

calving book, which is then entered into his computer each night.

"It's about longevity, and it's not just about appearance — it's about function," Elliott says.

A cow that gets mastitis once is more likely to have udder problems later on. A cow with a bad quarter will have a calf that's shorted on milk.

He'd rather deal with a few more numbers to type in than to run a cow through the chute. That's a lesson Elliott learned a long time ago.

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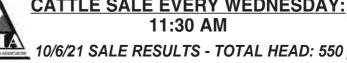
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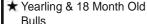
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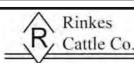
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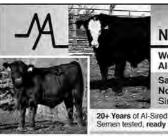
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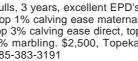


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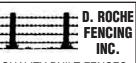
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Earning top honors in Swine Showmanship were, from left: William Lukert, Reserve Junior Showman; Colton Imthurn, Champion Junior Showman; Lillian Wilson, Reserve Intermediate Showman; Brinley Davis, Champion Intermediate Showman; Kaylee Lukert, Reserve Senior Showman/Reserve Champion Showman; Jalyn Davis, Champion Senior Showman/Grand Champion Showman.



The Reserve Champion Breeding Heifer was shown by Ty Jones of the Maple Hill Hustlers.



The Reserve Champion Market Beef was shown by Jalyn Davis of the Maple Hill Hustlers.



Winners in Beef Showmanship were, from left: Jalyn Davis, Champion Senior Showman/Grand Champion Showman; Taegan Miller, Reserve Senior Showman; Danica Davis, Champion Intermediate Showman/Reserve Grand Champion Showman; Karsten Breiner, Reserve Intermediate Showman; Ty Jones, Champion Junior Showman: Bravden Greenwood, Reserve



The Grand Champion Dairy Goat was shown by Nova Duehring of the Friendly Farmers 4-H

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The Reserve Champion Dairy Goat was shown by Hemi Duehring of the Friendly Farmers 4-H



Enzo Gomez of the Happy Valley 4-H Club earned Grand Champion Bucket Calf.



The Reserve Champion Bucket Calf was shown by Paisley Ellis of the Newbury 4-H Club.



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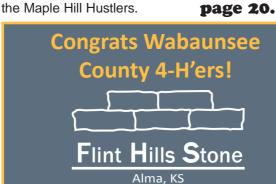


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Goat Showmanship winners were, from left: Ty Jones, Reserve Junior Showman; Colton Imthurn, Champion Junior Showman; Teagan Ellis, Reserve Intermediate Showman; Hemi Duehring, Champion Intermediate Showman; Kaylee Lukert, Reserve Senior Showman; Aubrey Imthurn, Champion Senior Showman.



The Grand Champion Breeding Ewe was shown by Reese Michaelis of the Maple Hill 4-H Club.

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Report from October 6, 2021								
	<b>STEERS</b> 17 752 147.00							
3	683	159.50	11	780	142.75			
7	741	154.50	3	858	139.00			
49	49 838 154.00 <b>TOP BUTCHER COW</b> :							
15	15 828 154.00 <b>\$77.50</b> @ <b>1,600</b> LBS.							
18					•			
6 802 146.50				\$96.50 @ 2,120 LBS.				
25	949	146.00		_	,			
18	930	145.00		COWS:	\$875-\$1,175			
	HEIFERS		PAIRS	3:	NO TEST			
9	728	151.50	FAT H	IOG TOP:	\$45 @ 238			

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		STEERS	3				
	1	440	167.00	TOP BUTCHER COW: \$83.00 @ 1,785 LBS. TOP BUTCHER BULL: \$98.50 @ 2,250 LBS.			
	5	615	164.00				
	9	552	164.00				
	3	615	162.00				
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Deever of the Tallie showed the Reserve Champion Breeding Ewe.



Exhibiting the Reserve Happy Valley 4-H Club Champion Market Lamb was Ty Jones of the Maple Hill Hustlers.



The Grand Champion Market Lamb was led out by Kaylee Lukert of the Maple Hills 4-H Club



Sheep Showmanship winners were, from left: Ty Jones, Reserve Junior Showman; Bristol Miller, Champion Junior Showman; Reese Michaelis, Reserve Intermediate Showman; Tallie Deever, Champion Intermediate Showman; Kaylee Lukert, Reserve Senior Showman/Reserve Grand Champion; Tate Deever, Champion Senior Showman/Grand Champion Showman.

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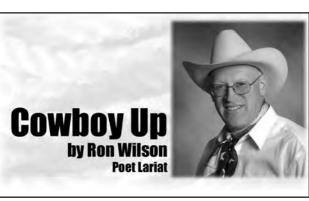
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# Mixed up

Among crops, there is hybrid corn. In crossbred steers, there is hybrid vigor. Now there is another type of hybrid: Hybrid meetings

Apparently that means a meeting which is held in person, but in which people can join by Zoom also. It is a mix of virtual and in-person. It is a hybrid and it is a challenge.

Back in spring 2020, we got locked down altogether by stay-at-home orders. People quickly transitioned to remote work, masks, social distancing, and Zoom calls. "Pivot" became the theme of the time. As Operation Warp Speed brought vaccines to market, some face-to-face meetings began to resume. Then the Delta variant

reared its ugly head.

Now the word "hybrid" might be the theme. There are lots of hybrid meetings. People are trying to meet in person, but some folks are reluctant or have various reasons for not doing so. For them, having a hybrid option to participate in a meeting virtually is a blessing. I know it has saved me a lot of wind-

ing. State employees are required to wear masks in state facilities during the work week, while state university stadiums are packed with unmasked fans on the weekends. Does that make sense to

The 2021 Chisholm Trail Conference is try-

**Heterosis** 

By Ron Wilson, Poet Lariat

Heterosis is a word not everybody knows.

It was in animal science class

that I was first exposed.

(The term should not be confused

with the word Halitosis,

That refers to had breath

when it hits the people's noses.)

Heterosis is a fancy term

that sounds scientifically bigger,

To describe the outcome

that my dad called "hybrid vigor."

It's when the offspring

from a cross-breeding exercise

Is superior to the parents in quality or size.

It shows easily in cattle

when doing our cross-breeding,

To get the kind of steers

that we think the market's needing.

Crossing certain breeds

seems to cause genetic boost,

That exceeds the sire and dam

in the qualities produced.

So cross-breeding can have value

in the product of a herd,

Achieving hybrid vigor or that heterosis word.

It reminds me of a joke, one that I used to hear,

Of a hired hand at a ranch

that had a cross-bred steer.

"Why do you call him cross-bred?"

the cowboy asked his boss.

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anyone at all?

## ing to respond to current needs, so it is being held in hybrid format. On October 15, 2021, people can attend the one-day conference at Old Cowtown in Wichita, or they can join virtually. This is challenging because the meeting organizers need all the elements for a Zoom call, plus the sound and projection equipment for those present in person. It would be simpler if it was all one or the other, but those are not the times in which we find ourselves.

One good thing about Zoom is that it is possible to have excellent speakers from all over the country without having to pay travel expenses to bring them in. The Chisholm Trail Conference will include speakers from Washington D.C. to New Mexico. There will be state reports from Texas, Oklahoma and Kansas, and speakers from the Partnership for a National Trails System. Another speaker is the CEO of AIANTA, the American Indian Alaska Native Tour-

ism Association. There will be reports on the pending legislation that would designate the Chisholm and Western cattle trails as national historic trails while protecting private property

rights. The conference is scheduled to hear from Congressional speakers as well as State Treasurer Lynn Rogers plus state historical commission and tourism officials. Congressmen Frank Lucas and Tom Cole will be recognized for their support of western history, rural tourism, and private property rights, with the same award as Senator Jerry Moran and Congressman Ron Estes were honored last year.

For those who attend in person, there will be excellent food from the Monarch Restaurant, a Drover's Gather sponsored by the National Drovers Hall of Fame, and a delicious steak dinner from the Ellsworth Steakhouse. Evening entertainment will include the Caldwell saloon girls and "Cowboy Mike."

The agenda begins with a membership meeting at 10 a.m. The formal program begins at 11 a.m., and ends at 3:45 p.m. Registration is online for either virtual or face-to-face participation at www.chisholmtrailassn. com/chisholm-trail-conference. Anyone is welcome to join.

Maybe hybrid vigor will help the conference

# State 4-H leader shares tips on raising resilient youth

Learning by doing has been the experience for generations of young people who have grown-up through the 4-H program. From crafting through woodworking to turning a creative lens on photography to caring for livestock from a young age, 4-H teaches many life lessons through hands-on experi-

But sometimes there are lessons beyond the project that carry into life, said Wade Weber, state program leader for Kansas 4-H.

"There are skills that we need to practice in order to create a supportive environment for young people to help them see their value while also being able to handle adversity in a positive way," Weber said.

To that end Weber sees three obstacles that adults and young people must learn to overcome.

Stress and fatigue.

Mistrust of authority. Misinformation.

"These factors are corrosive to any organization," Weber said.

To combat the negative influences, Weber names three individual opportunities to move ahead.

Focusing on self-care. Choosing to trust rather than be suspicious.

Engaging with others for a better understand-

Weber said understanding these principles will help young people later in life to overcome the obsta-

cles set before them. He said: "Our mission is to help young people connect with resources and opportunities to help them grow in their capacity to see themselves as a learner, communicator, collaborator and ultimately a contributor to their local communities.

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# Beginning again

By Morgan Boecker

Sometimes I write out a to-do list just to see what I accomplished.

Write news release. Wash the laundry. Order groceries. Check, done. What's next?

Life is about phases. Some occur just once and some are on repeat. We tend to spend a lot of time and energy trying to build momentum to summit the final arc of a cycle.

When it ends, space is created for something new to start, and off we go again.

Raising cattle is cyclical, too. Each year we face the same decisions between which bulls to use, heifers to keep and how to market calves. Even cattle prices ebb and flow at an expected pace year to year.

We're in a cycle many cattlemen have faced before: tough markets and bad weather. The drought of 2012 was hard in the central part of the country and today it's hard on the

Just like in 2012, the cow herd is plentiful, but inventory will begin to decline as drought forces ranchers to liquidate their herds. First, the bottom string of cows will be sold. If conditions don't improve, better quality cows may have to leave the herd.

That begins a tale as old

as time: tighter supplies equal higher prices. That's something to look forward to, even though right now it may feel like things can't get any worse. The time waiting for things to get "better" is the hardest.

Still, the message we keep hearing is hold on, leverage is coming.

When it does, there may be time for growth and improvement. A fresh start often indicates opportuni-

Will you seek new, better genetics to increase the quality in your herd? Will you try something new, like backgrounding or retaining ownership of calves? Will you find time to analyze data you've been holding onto?

There's more demand for high-quality beef than ever before. There are more mouths to feed and consumers across the world are buying beef, an entire market ready to be served.

A new cycle is just beginning. Change often imitates similar motions as the past, but that doesn't mean history has to repeat itself. Maybe the to-do list just needs adjusted.

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2595 SE Highway 54, P.O. Box 622, El Dorado, KS 67042 Market Report - Sale Date 10-7-21. 1603 Head.

300-400 lb. steers, \$180-\$213; heifers, \$150-\$174; 400-500 lb. steers, \$155-\$198; heifers, \$121-\$160; 500-600 lb. steers, \$140-\$176; heifers, \$137-\$155; 600-700 lb. steers, \$134-\$165; heifers, \$126-\$151; 700-800 lb. steers, \$138-\$159.75; heifers, \$128-\$150; 800-900 lb. steers, \$127-\$154.25; heifers, \$117-\$147.50. Trend on Calves: Choice calves mostly steady, calves without shots or lower quality would be \$8-\$10 cheaper. Trend on Feeder Cattle: Heifers under 800# steady-\$4 higher; over 800# \$4-\$6 higher; steers 700-900# mostly \$4-\$5 higher. Butcher Cows: high dressing cows \$70-\$85.50; Avg. dressing cows \$50-\$60; low dressing cows \$35-\$50. Butcher Bulls: Avg. to high dressing bulls \$55-\$94. Trend on Cows & Bulls: Fat cows, steady; \$5-\$8 lower on the rest; bulls steady. Some Highlights Include:

	HEIFERS	STEERS		
3 blk	315@174.00	7 blk	425@196.00	
23 blk	438@160.00	6 blk	497@182.50	
11 blk	470@159.00	10 blk	527@176.00	
16 blk	502@149.00	22 blk	568@171.00	
17 blk 4 blk	503@155.00 545@145.00	11 blk	621@153.50	
11 blk	645@150.25	11 blk	674@155.50	
9 blk	717@147.00	59 mix	733@159.75	
11 blk	735@150.00	18 mix	800@153.00	
51 blk	786@148.50	58 mix	846@154.25	
65 mix	797@142.50	67 blk	886@152.50	
59 blk	832@147.50	30 mix	1017@140.00	
65 blk	836@145.00			
14 mix	932@132.25			
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# Thursday, October 14, 11 AM

• 100 mostly black steers & heifers

20 mixed steers, off cows, 500-650lbs 60 Angus & Hereford cross steers & heifers, home raised,

long weaned, 550-600lbs

80 Red Angus 3 yr old cows coming with 2nd calf. Bred to Red LimFlex Bulls to start calving in Dec

25 Sim Angus cows, 3-5 year olds bred to CowCamp Sim Angus bulls. Start calving end of Oct

15 Angus cross cows 4-8 year old bred to Hinkston Angus bulls start calving aprox Nov 1 125 Angus cross steers & heifers, HR, LTW, 2 round shots,

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# **Holton Livestock Exchange, Inc.** 1/2 mile East of Holton, KS on 16 Highway Livestock Auction every Tuesday at 12 NOON \*\*\*\*STARTING TIME: 12:00 NOON\*\*\*\*

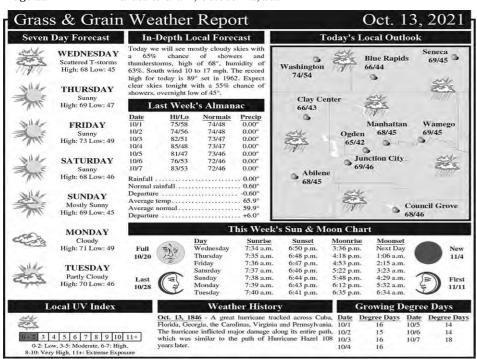
MARKET REPORT FOR TUESDAY, OCTOBER 5, 2021 **RECEIPTS: 937 CATTLE** FOR FULL RESULTS, VISIT OUR WEBSITE: WWW.HOLTONLIVESTOCK.COM

	STEEF	RS		3 holsx	Mayetta	648@103.00
4 blk	Effinghan	n 256@22	7.50	6 holsx	Mayetta	690@101.00
4 blk	Effinghan	n 383@20	0.00	4 hols	Easton	997@69.00
8 blk bwf	Emmett	419@19	2.00		HEIFER	S
7 blk	Everest	512@18	5.50	10 blk red	Emmett	375@158.00
20 blk bwf	Smithville, M	0561@18	2.00	6 red	Easton	362@150.00
14 blk	Everest	592@17	6.50	4 blk bwf	Osage City	445@149.00
8 blk	Troy	609@17	1.00	6 blk rwf	Emmett	466@147.00
9 blk bwf	Smithville,	MO476@16	67.00	15 blk	Topeka	714@147.00
21 bwf blk	Fairview	670@16	1.00	7 blk	CamdenPt., MO	425@145.50
16 blk	Everest	660@15	9.00	12 blk bwf	Holton	758@144.50
9 blk	Topeka	710@15	6.50	6 blk	Troy	524@143.50
10 blk	Topeka	794@15	5.00	6 red	Easton	440@142.00
39 blk red	Fairview	782@15	3.85	7 blk	Everest	532@140.00
16 mix	Cameron, M	0675@15	1.50	6 blk		521@139.00
14 blk	Holton	878@14	6.50	5 blk	Osage City	546@136.50
11 blk bwf	Seneca	930@14	2.10	8 blk	Oskaloosa	a633@136.00
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# Hiebert joins Adrian and Pankratz, P.A.

Reece D. Hiebert has joined Adrian and Pankratz, P.A. as an Associate Attorney. Reece graduated from Washburn University School of Law in 2021. During law school, Reece served as an executive officer for two terms with the Agricultural Law Society, and also served as an executive officer with the Oil and Gas Law Society. Reece was also awarded two certificates of concentrated study in Oil and Gas Law and Natural Resources.

Reece grew up on his family's farm outside of Walton, where he has enjoyed farming and raising

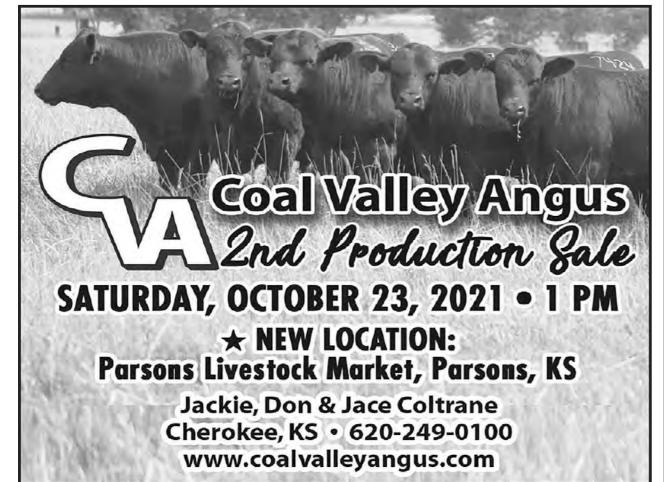
cattle. After graduating high school in Goessel, Reece attended Bethel College in North Newton, graduating with a dual degree in Business and Communications. During

college, Reece was involved with the school newspaper as a writer and editor, the concert choir, and the concert band.

Outside of work, Reece enjoys working on the farm, spending time with his wife and family, and being involved in his church and hometown community. Reece is excited to serve his home community and the surrounding area through his practice.

Reece joins Tom Adrian, Randy Pankratz, Tim Hodge, Cindy Wiens and Joe Uhlman in their general practice firm.







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# ANTIQUE, HOUSEHOLD, TRAILERS, **SHOP EQUIPMENT AUCTION**

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 23, 2021 \* 10:00 AM** 

LOCATION: Scott County Community Building, at the fair-grounds, north edge of SCOTT CITY, KANSAS

ANTIQUE FURNITURE: Pie cabnet, tin punch sides; wardrobe; Oak straight chairs; entry table; old rocker; (2) Oak dressers w/mirror; Pine drop leaf table; (2) cast iron sheep herders' stoves; Pine 4-drawer dresser; wood burning stove; (2) treadle sewing machines, in oak cabinet; lots of old furniture for restoration; Oak vash stand; parlor table.

FURNITURE: Duncan Phyfe dropleaf table w/4 chairs; blue & mauve floral divan; blue rocker; rose rocker; blue recliner; brown La-Z-Boy recliner; blonde pedroom suite, regular size bed; blonde china hutch.

ANTIQUE & COLLECTIBLE:

Flat top trunks; camel back runks; old barn lanterns; wash boards; old tins & cans; old tools; cast soap kettle; school bell; Flow Blue chamber set; Enamelware; Crocks; kerosene lamps; Fenton glass; tea sets; pictures; old glassware: old wood frame winSHOP EQUIPMENT: Matic 250 wire welder w/spoo gun (nice); Miller portable welding table; floor jack; Delta too boxes; portable wire welder w/B&S motor; lawn mower; up right air compressor, 60 gal., 6.5 hp; hand tools; acetylene cutting torch w/bottles; propane cutting torch w/bottles; hydraulic jacks JD battery charger; bar clamps shovels, rakes, hoes; shop lights; Dayton portable generator w/16 hp motor; May Force 20 gal. air compressor w/B&S motor; pallet shelving; DeWalt mitre saw; lots of other tools. HOUSEHOLD: Decorations: end

tables; Stoneware set; White 534 serger sewing machine; pots & pans; small kitchen appliances TRAILER & OTHER ITEMS Doolittle 16' cargo enclosed trailer; 2-wheel car dolly; 18' car trailer; cattle waterer; Fimco pull behind sprayer, 12-volt; EZ setup canopy; vacuum sweepers; Troy

bilt rear tine roto tiller; heat tubing Check us out on Facebook & at www.berningauction.com

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Or Buy

Auction

10:30 AM



We sold 1651 cattle October 5. Steer and heifer 4 blk hfrs calves were in good demand at steady prices. Feeder steers and heifers sold \$2.00-4.00 higher. Cows and bulls were \$2.00 lower.

328 @ 194.00 2 blk/bwf bulls 355 @ 192.00 1 blk bull 1 blk str 295 @ 180.00 385 @ 177.00 1 wf str 1 blk str 435 @ 176.00 529 @ 170.00 15 blk/char strs 6 blk strs 3 red strs 10 blk/bwf strs 2 blk bulls 1 blk str 5 blk/bwf bulls 2 blk strs 3 blk bulls 2 blk/bwf bulls

**STEER & BULL CALVES** 

530 @ 170.00 493 @ 169.00 513 @ 166.00 393 @ 165.00 490 @ 162.00 455 @ 161.00 498 @ 160.00 535 @ 160.00 488 @ 158.00 562 @ 170.50

STOCKER & FEEDER STEERS 16 blk strs 599 @ 169.00 7 blk strs 9 blk strs 564 @ 168.00 4 char strs 551 @ 167.00 3 blk strs 555 @ 167.00 3 blk strs 558 @ 164.00 9 blk/bwf strs 587 @ 163.00 40 blk strs 677 @ 161.25

16 blk/bwf strs 694 @ 160.25 26 blk/red strs 670 @ 160.00 27 blk strs 702 @ 159.75 62 blk/bwf strs 828 @ 156.75 624 @ 156.50 6 red strs 5 blk strs 728 @ 156.00 180 blk/red strs 856 @ 155.75 62 blk/bwf strs 53 blk/red strs 66 blk strs 35 blk/bwf strs 60 lbk/bwf strs 11 blk strs 5 blk strs

884 @ 155.75 835 @ 155.50 829 @ 155.00 827 @ 153.25 917 @ 151.85 798 @ 149.00 830 @ 148.50 5 blk strs 618 @ 148.00 946 @ 147.50 60 mix strs 660 @ 146.25 16 mix strs 13 blk/bwf strs 928 @ 145.50 662 @ 145.00 12 blk strs 930 @ 144.75 61 blk/bwf strs 9 blk/bwf strs 851 @ 144.25 890 @ 142.50 13 wf strs **HEIFER CALVES** 2 blk hfrs 368 @ 167.00

2 blk hfrs 3 blk hfrs 4 blk hfrs 1 blk hfr 4 blk hfrs 19 blk hfrs 14 hlk hfrs 7 blk/bwf hfrs 3 char hfrs 3 blk hfrs

STOCKER & FEEDER HEIFERS 6 blk hfrs 45 blk/bwf hfrs 2 blk hfrs 68 blk/bwf hfrs 6 blk/bwf hfrs 3 blk hfrs 64 blk/red hfrs 12 blk hfrs 4 blk hfrs 59 mix hfrs 13 blk/red hfrs 17 blk hfrs 778 @ 145.00 8 blk hfrs 754 @ 144.75 2 blk hfrs 855 @ 136.85 WATCH OUR AUCTIONS

488 @ 157.50 6 blk/bwf hfrs 770 @ 136.00 512 @ 156.00 5 blk/bwf hfrs 588 @ 135.00 513 @ 156.00 4 blk hfrs 856 @ 134.50 415 @ 155.50 3 char hfrs 617 @ 132.00 341 @ 152.00 14 blk hfrs 655 @ 131.00 538 @ 151.00 12 blk hfrs 719 @ 131.00 **COWS & HEIFERETTES** 531 @ 149.00 511 @ 145.00 2 blk/bwf hfrts 1018 @ 87.00 490 @ 135.00 1 blk hfrt 1025 @ 77.00 533 @ 135.00 1 blk cow 1365 @ 73.00 1 blk cow 1365 @ 72.00 1 blk cow 1295 @ 70.00 579 @ 155.00 1 bwf cow 1365 @ 69.00 631 @ 152.00 1 blk cow 1675 @ 68.50 578 @ 151.00 2 blk cows 1513 @ 67.50 784 @ 151.00 1 blk cow 1410 @ 67.00 572 @ 150.00 1 blk cow 1215 @ 66.00 570 @ 149.00 1 blk cow 1545 @ 65.50 631 @ 148.25 4 blk cows 661 @ 147.50 1 blk cow 563 @ 146.00 2 blk/bwf cows 837 @ 145.85 1 bwf cow 724 @ 145.00 1 blk cow

1 red cow 1 wf cow

1178 @ 65.00 1515 @ 64.50 1310 @ 64.00 1515 @ 63.50 1580 @ 63.00 1490 @ 62.50 1275 @ 62.00

raised off grass

1 bwf cow

1 bwf cow

1 blk cow

1 blk cow

1 blk cow

1 bwf cow

1 red cow

1 blk cow

5 char cows

**BULLS** 1362 @ 59.00 1 bwf bull 1245 @ 57.00 1 blk bull 1265 @ 56.00 1 blk bulls 1220 @ 55.50 1 blk bull 1150 @ 55.00 1 blk bull 1190 @ 54.00 **BRED FEMALES & PAIRS** 1 blk bull 2 blk/bwf cows/cvs @ 1625.00 1 bwf bull

1365 @ 61.00 1 blk cow/cf

1425 @ 60.00

1410 @ 59.50

1 bred hfr

3 blk cows

@ 760.00

@ 730.00

1930 @ 84.00

1860 @ 83.00

2000 @ 82.50

1740 @ 79.50

1630 @ 76.00

1230 @ 74.00

1325 @ 73.50

# **CONSIGNMENTS FOR OCT. 12:**

10 bwf cows, 3-7 yrs old with fall born calves, herd dispersal

30 char strs & hfrs, 450-550 lbs., vacc.

- 100 blk bwf strs & hfrs, 600-700 lbs., off grass 75 SimAngus strs, 750-850 lbs., home
- 125 blk bwf strs, 850-875 lbs., northern origin
  - 61 blk x-bred strs, 925-950 lbs.
- 135 black heifers, 775-800 lbs. 65 black heifers, 800-850 lbs.

CONSIGNMENTS FOR OCT. 19: 56 blk bwf heifers, 825-850 lbs., off grass

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1 blk hfr

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