

NCBA adopts policy to oppose government mandates on cash trade

At the Live Cattle Marketing Committee meeting held during the 2022 Cattle Industry Convention in Houston, NCBA members acted on several market policy resolutions that included a series of recommended changes to USDA's Livestock Mandatory Reporting (LMR) system to further improve market transparency and price discovery. NCBA members also gave resounding approval to a policy amendment to clearly communicate, with 78% voting in favor, "NCBA opposes any mandate on cash trade volumes for cattle or any other legislative or regulatory policies that would limit the methods producers utilize to market cattle."

"Developing member-driven policy in an open and transparent manner that provides an opportunity for all perspectives to be heard is an essential part of any association's governance process," said Texas Cattle Feeders Association (TCFA) chairman Kevin Buse. "Having represented TCFA members on two NCBA market workgroups over the past 18 months, I am confident NCBA has lived up to that expectation which has now resulted in clear direction to NCBA leadership and staff that we are opposed to any government mandates or interventions that would dictate how we market cattle."

The policy amendment was adopted by the NCBA Board of Directors with broad support. The action taken to continue to improve market transparency and clearly oppose government market mandates resulted from discussions initiated at the 2020 NCBA Summer Business Meeting and adoption of policy that led to the establishment of the NCBA Market Triggers Workgroup and the industry's voluntary 75% Plan - which succeeded in increasing negotiated trade volumes. When comparing the 18-month period from January 2019-June 2020 to the 18-month period from July 2020-December 2021 in the TCFA region, negotiated trade increased 92%. In 2021, negotiated trade volumes in the TCFA region averaged 13,336 head per week.

"TCFA members have demonstrated our commitment to improving negotiated trade and price discovery over the past 18 months, yet we remain diligent in our efforts to build upon this success and will continue to update our members on weekly negotiated trade volumes," said Buse.

TCFA, in collaboration with other state affiliates, successfully introduced two directives that were unanimously adopted by the Ag and Food Policy and Live Cattle Marketing Committees. The directives addressed construction of new packing plants, labor and truck driver availability, market transparency, development of a producer education program on LMR, and priority areas for economic research.

TCFA, NCBA and other state affiliates will work with members of Congress in the weeks ahead to communicate our support for additional improvements to market transparency, reporting, price discovery and research, and our opposition to any action by the federal government that would mandate or limit cattle producers' freedom of choice to conduct their own business or utilize their marketing programs.

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Sabetha	7 blk	560 @201.00
Alma	10 blk	552 @199.00
Wamego	13 blk	562 @198.00
Wells	18 blk	577 @195.00
Belvue	6 blk	588 @187.50
St. George	8 blk	636 @186.00
Marysville	10 blk	614 @186.00
Basehor	44 Cross	626 @184.75
Alma	14 blk	648 @183.50
Baileyville	21 blk	604 @183.00
Perry	7 blk	639 @182.50
Spring Hill	7 blk	569 @181.00
Leonardville	23 blk	634 @179.50
Manhattan	6 bwf	603 @179.00
Riley	25 blk	679 @178.50
Morrill	18 blk	711 @176.00
Alma	24 blk	661 @175.00
Onaga	8 blk	718 @170.00
Alma	59 blk	777 @169.75
Green	20 blk	714 @167.00
Leonardville	24 blk	755 @166.50
Marysville	27 blk	760 @165.50
St. George	49 Cross	817 @165.10
Manhattan	7 bwf	701 @165.00
Nortonville	7 blk	697 @162.00
Wamego	28 blk	740 @161.00
Wamego	29 blk	847 @159.75
Onaga	16 blk	844 @159.75
Riley	10 blk	790 @159.00
Green	39 blk	827 @157.00
Burns	11 blk	854 @153.50

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Manhattan	1 blk	1065 @118.00
Manhattan	1 blk	1020 @95.00
Frankfort	1 bwf	1290 @82.50
Goff	1 blk	1400 @80.50
Onaga	1 blk	1560 @80.00
Onaga	1 blk	1515 @79.00
Goff	1 blk	1375 @78.50
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Goff	1 blk	1210 @75.50
Goff	1 blk	1485 @73.00
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Gypsum	1 blk	1385 @69.00
Goff	1 blk	1355 @67.00
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Alta Vista	10 blk	416 @187.00
Alma	13 blk	521 @181.50
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Atchinson	6 blk	453 @166.00

HEIFERS — 550-1,025 LBS.

Leonardville	57 blk	594 @176.00
Wamego	78 blk	625 @175.50
Riley	14 blk	568 @174.00
Dwight	79 blk	653 @172.85
Marysville	19 blk	612 @171.50
Dwight	81 blk	670 @171.50
Alma	16 blk	630 @171.00
Wamego	80 blk	653 @170.85
Wamego	12 blk	556 @170.00
Manhattan	9 blk	626 @168.00
Belvue	6 blk	557 @168.00
Green	14 blk	596 @167.00
Clifton	19 blk	550 @164.50
Palmer	25 blk	614 @164.00
Harveyville	6 blk	565 @163.00
Atchinson	6 blk	623 @160.00
Perry	6 blk	608 @158.00
Onaga	6 blk	686 @158.00
Belvue	10 blk	640 @158.00
Eudora	43 blk	691 @156.00
Riley	25 blk	706 @154.75
Onaga	24 blk	783 @153.00
Eudora	52 blk	804 @151.00
Wamego	24 Cross	699 @150.50
Atchinson	6 blk	681 @149.50
Green	22 blk	727 @148.75
Palmer	36 blk	752 @148.50
Clifton	60 Cross	721 @148.50
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- 10 Angus hfrs, 2 rds shots, 850-950 lbs.
- 20 Blk strs, long weaned, shots, 700-750 lbs.
- 15 Blk strs & hfrs, 2 rds shots, long weaned, 500-600 lbs.
- 9 Blk strs & hfrs, 2 rds shots, bunk broke, long weaned, 450-550 lbs.
- 12 Blk, BWF strs & hfrs, weaned, shots, 450-500 lbs.

EARLY CONSIGNMENTS FOR FEB. 25

- 75 blk & Red Angus strs & hfrs, long weaned, 550-700 lbs.
- 65 blk Angus strs, 3 rds shots, poured, long weaned, 650-800 lbs.
- 20 blk Angus hfrs, 3 rds shots, poured, long weaned, 550-700 lbs.

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Compared to the last report, hay market prices for the week ending February 5 remained steady for alfalfa and grass hay; movement remains slow. As one producer stated, Kansas has had a “perfect storm” of events affecting the hay market. Open weather has slowed usage and allowed yards to remain full, with some looking to sell their final stores of hay. On the other hand, worries of drought, unpredictable February and March weather, high fertilizer, high protein, and high corn price has folks wondering if they should hang on and not be too anxious to sell. Another winter storm passed through the state with the southeast region receiving the higher totals of snow. However, the snow was quite dry, and the wind tended to pile it up into some good-sized drifts, with very little precipitation added to the soil profile. According to the U.S. Drought Monitor for the week of February 1st, abnormally dry conditions (D0) increased to 26.5%, moderate drought (D1) increased to 45%, severe drought (D2) decreased to 10.5% and extreme drought (D3) increased to near 6%. 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**

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Southwest Kansas

Dairy alfalfa, grinding alfalfa, ground and delivered steady, movement slow. Alfalfa: horse, premium small squares 260.00-270.00. 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 190.00-200.00. Grinding alfalfa 180.00-185.00. Ground and delivered locally to feed lots and dairies, 200.00-210.00; Grass Hay: Bluestem, 3x4's and 4x4's 100.00-120.00, large rounds 75.00/bale; Sudan: none reported; Wheat: large straw rounds none reported. The week of 01/30-02/05, 5,482T of grinding alfalfa and 125T of dairy alfalfa was reported bought/sold.

South Central Kansas

Dairy alfalfa, alfalfa pellets, grinding alfalfa, ground and 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, 170.00-180.00. Fair/good grinding alfalfa 160.00-170.00 delivered. Ground and delivered 185.00-195.00. Alfalfa pellets: Sun cured 15 pct protein 235.00-240.00, 17 pct protein 240.00-250.00, Dehydrated 17 pct 310.00-315.00. Grass Hay: Bluestem, large rounds 80.00-90.00, large squares 100.00-110.00. Brome: large round 95.00-100.00, large squares 110.00-120.00. Oat hay, good large rounds 120.00-125.00, good 3x4 squares 130.00-135.00. Sudan: large rounds 85.00-95.00. Corn stalks: large rounds 70.00-75.00 delivered. The week of 01/30-02/05, 7,004T of grinding alfalfa and 489T

of dairy alfalfa was reported bought/sold.

Southeast Kansas

Dairy alfalfa, grinding alfalfa steady, grass hay steady; movement slow. Alfalfa: horse or goat, 260.00-270.00. Dairy 1.00-1.05/point RFV. Good, stock cow 180.00-190.00, with an instance of premium stock cow 220.00-240.00. Fair/Good grinding alfalfa, 140.00-150.00. Ground and delivered, none reported; Grass hay: Bluestem, small squares 120.00-125.00, good 3x3 squares 115.00-125.00, good, 3x4 and 4x4 squares 100.00-110.00, 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. Bermuda grass: 3x4 and 4x4 105.00-115.00. Wheat Straw: 3x4 and 4x4 squares 60.00-75.00. The week of 01/30-02/05, 1,055T of grass hay was reported bought/sold.

Northwest Kansas

Dairy alfalfa, grinding alfalfa, ground/delivered 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, 170.00-180.00. Oat hay, 3x3 square 135.00-145.00; Sudan, none reported. Wheat straw, large squares 75.00-85.00.

North Central-Northeast Kansas

Dairy alfalfa, grass hay, grinding alfalfa, ground/delivered steady, movement slow. Alfalfa: horse, premium small squares, 9.00-10.00/bale. Dairy 1.05-1.10/point RFV, Supreme 195.00-250.00.00, Premium 180.00-205.00, Good 155.00-185.00. Stock Cow, 160.00-170.00. Fair/good, grinding alfalfa 140.00-150.00; Ground and delivered 165.00-175.00. Grass hay: Bluestem, small squares 6.50-7.00/bale, large 3x4 to 4x4 squares, 130.00-140.00 delivered, good, large rounds 90.00-100.00, Brome, small squares 7.25-8.00/bale, 3x4 to 4x4 squares none report, large rounds 90.00.00-105.00; Wheat Straw: Small squares 5.00-6.00/bale, Large 3x4 to 4x4 squares 85.00-100.000. Certified weed free grass mulch large rounds, 80.00-90.00. The week of 01/30-02/05, 562T of grinding alfalfa and, 300T of dairy alfalfa was reported bought/sold.

***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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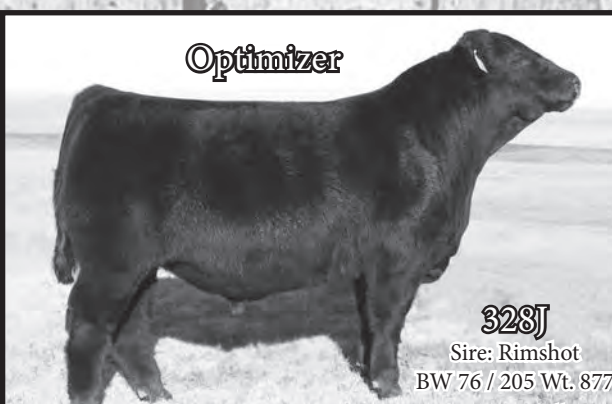
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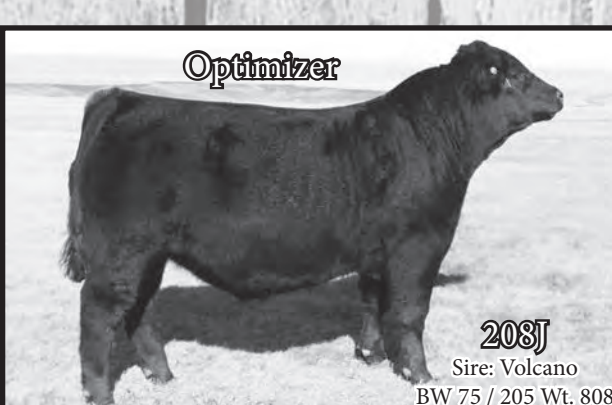
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Grass & Grain Community Obituaries

Wyona Johnson * 1936-2022



Wyona (Noni) Johnson, 85, of Manhattan, Kansas passed away January 31, 2022 at Stoneybrook Health and Rehabilitation.

Wyona Ruth Johnson was born near Westmoreland, Kansas on October 14, 1936 to Harry Paul and Mary Emma (McClellan) Neely. She went to school in Wamego, Kansas graduating from Wamego High School in 1956. Wyona married Fenton Johnson July 30, 1956 in Wamego. He preceded her in death September 6, 1990. A life-long resident of Manhattan, Wyona met many, many people making many, many friends. In her younger years she raised Quarter Horses, was active in the Plumbers & Pipefitters Union Auxiliary holding multiple officer positions, was an avid collector of stamps and coins, loved to draw and travel, and was an accomplished crafter and crocheter (crocheting copious numbers of afghans, hats and scarves).

Noni first worked outside her home at Kistner's Flowers and later at Ag Press in the bindery area, retiring with 33 years of service (1975-2008). For many years, every Monday morning, Noni worked on preparing the Grass & Grain to be delivered to subscribers. She was a reliable and loyal employee that everyone enjoyed being around. Wyona was also preceded in death by her parents, a brother Paul Edward Neely, two sisters Lova Mae Neely and LaVida Marie Neely Tanner, and her long-time friend Elden Wiechmann.

Services were held Monday, February 7, 2022 in Manhattan with interment in the Ashland Cemetery.

Don Magnuson * 1939-2022



Don K. Magnuson, age 83, of Manhattan, died Wednesday February 9, 2022 at the Home of the Flint Hills in St. George.

He was born on January 31, 1939 in Topeka, Kansas, the son of Carl and Lois (Brackman) Magnuson. Don attended school in Scranton, Kansas and graduated from Scranton High School with the class of 1957.

On February 14, 2000 in Manhattan, Don was united in marriage to his wife Roseann. She survives at their home in Manhattan. Don worked for many years with Ag Press in Manhattan as a bindery supervisor. He enjoyed his job and the people he worked with. He was a jack of all trades kind of guy, he could fix anything, from an electrical problem to a plumbing issue, there was nothing he couldn't fix. He enjoyed watching NASCAR, going camping, and attending the Kansas State Fair. He and his wife Roseann loved to travel as often as they could. They went everywhere across the country. Don also enjoyed the simple things in the world from mowing the lawn, Whoppers malt ball candy and eating hamburgers with ketchup only. His family and especially his grandchildren were so loved by Don. He went to support them in their many events over the years, he tried to make them all and not miss one. In addition to his wife Roseann, he is also survived by his children: Donnie (Kristy) Magnuson, of Wichita, Brian Magnuson, of Manhattan, Michael (Susan) Boller, of Manhattan, and Cheri Blaise, of St. George; also, his grandchildren: Britte Magnuson, Maddie Boller, Hayden Boller, Colton Magnuson, and Mickenzie Blaise; and his great grandson, Kason Blaise; and his brother, Jerry (Janet) Magnuson, of Lawrence.

Funeral services will be held at 10:00 a.m. Tuesday, February 15, 2022 at the Yorgensen-Meloan-Londeen Funeral Home in Manhattan. Interment will follow in the Sunrise Cemetery. The family suggests memorial contributions in memory of Don to the Interim Homecare and Hospice. Contributions may be sent in care of the Yorgensen-Meloan-Londeen Funeral Home, 1616 Poyntz Avenue, Manhattan, KS 66502.

American agricultural exports shattered records in 2021

The American agricultural industry posted its highest annual export levels ever recorded in 2021, Secretary of Agriculture Tom Vilsack announced. The final 2021 trade data published by the Department of Commerce shows that exports of U.S. farm and food products to the world totaled \$177 billion, topping the 2020 total by 18 percent and eclipsing the previous record, set in 2014, by 14.6 percent.

"These record-breaking trade numbers demonstrate that U.S. agriculture is incredibly resilient as it continues to provide high-quality, cost-competitive farm and food products to customers around the globe," Vilsack said. "This is a major boost for the economy as a whole, and particularly for our rural communities, with agricultural exports stimulating local economic activity, helping maintain our competitive edge globally, supporting producers' bottom lines, and supporting more than 1.3 million jobs on the farm and in related industries such as

food processing and transportation."

The United States' top ten export markets all saw gains in 2021, with six of the ten - China, Mexico, Canada, South Korea, the Philippines and Colombia - setting new records. Worldwide exports of many U.S. products, including soybeans, corn, beef, pork, dairy, distillers grains and pet food, also reached all-time highs. China remained the top export destination, with a record \$33 billion in purchases, up 25 percent from 2020, while Mexico inched ahead of Canada to capture the number two position with a record \$25.5 billion, up 39 percent from last year.

"We owe our thanks to America's agricultural producers who always work hard to be reliable global suppliers and the Biden-Harris administration and USDA are fighting hard on their behalf to keep our home-grown products moving around the world," Vilsack said. "We're strengthening relationships with our trading

partners and holding those partners accountable for their commitments. We're addressing transportation and infrastructure challenges through the work of the administration's Supply Chain Task Force and calling out ocean carriers that are putting profits above their responsibility to serve both importers and exporters. And we're expanding opportunities for agricultural exports by knocking down trade barriers and partnering with industry on marketing and promotion efforts worldwide."



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Bulls:	1995-2100	\$106.50-119.00
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CLASS	HEAD	WEIGHT	PRICE
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Council Grove	8 blk	508	\$185.00
White City	9 blk	582	\$170.00
Lincolnville	17 red	657	\$169.00
White City	9 blk	644	\$165.00
White City	7 blk	704	\$164.25
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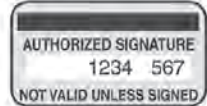
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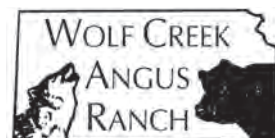
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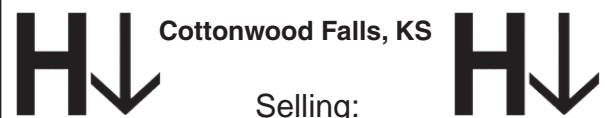
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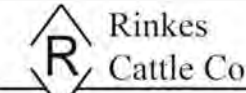
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Ifft is the featured speaker for a Feb. 23 session slated in conjunction with the four-part workshop, Risk Management

Skills for Kansas Women in Agriculture, which began in mid-January.

Her talk is an optional fifth session added to the series, and she will focus on risk management for cow-calf producers. The session will be presented at 28 locations in Kansas, beginning at 5:30 p.m. Registration costs \$15 and is available online.

LaVell Winsor, a farm analyst with K-State's Department of Agricultural Economics, said some of the topics covered on Feb. 23 include enterprise budgeting, cattle marketing and cow-calf insurance options.

“It is important for ranchers to understand their cost structure because there is a wide range of costs of production,” Winsor said. “Marketing is always critical, but with high feed costs (currently), it is especially important for cattle producers to be watching for opportunities to lock in profits.”

Ifft said cow-calf pro-

ducers can also be strategic when considering insurance options. She notes that half of Kansas currently is facing moderate drought and feed prices are volatile.

“Insurance products are available to help producers manage forage risk and price risk by making payouts when a producer's local area is abnormally

dry, and when cattle prices are lower than expected,” she said.

Though the series title highlights a need for women to attend, the session is open to all participants, regardless of gender.

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During 2022 Kansas Corn Symposium, Kansas Corn recognized students who excelled in its collegiate programs. Fifteen college students who received 2022 Next Generation Scholarships and six graduates of Kansas Corn Collegiate Academy Class

Four were honored. These programs are part of an effort by the Kansas Corn Growers Association and Kansas Corn Commission to provide opportunities for college students of all majors to learn more about the corn industry, explore issues facing ag-

riculture and embrace the ways they can impact the industry through their future career paths.

2022 Next Generation Scholarship Winners
To be considered, students or their parents must be members of the Kansas Corn Growers Association.



Collegiate Academy members are, back row, from left: Nicki Kirchoff, James Foote, Kate Cooper, Nathan Ohlde, Eric Peterson. Front row: Jamie Knight, Adelaide Katzer, Sage Collins. Not Pictured: Keegan Weingartner.

tion, be from Kansas or attend college in Kansas and complete the application process. Applications for both programs were reviewed by a committee of Kansas Corn leadership and industry representatives.

"Our scholarship program recognizes outstanding students who are already making contributions to agriculture and have great potential as experts in farming or providing support to our industry," said Greg Krissek, Kansas Corn CEO. "This past year has tested these students beyond what they had ever faced before, and they have overcome these challenges with grit and determination. Corn plays a big role today in Kansas agriculture and these recipients hold great promise for our future success."

Full list of 2022 Kansas Corn Next Generation Scholarship Recipients:

Tatum Brunkow, Ag Economics, Wamego
Sage Collins, Ag Economics, Chanute

Kate Cooper, Ag Economics, Greenwood, Neb.

Gabriel Elliott, Animal Science, Asbury, Mo.

Sophie Filbert, Plant Pathology, Macksville

Nicki Kirchoff, Ag Business, Superior, Neb.

Kate Langworthy, Juris Doctor, Lawrence

Nathan Ohlde, Agronomy, Clyde

Eric Peterson, Animal Science, Clifton

Carlos Pires, Agronomy, Rio Grande do Sul, Brazil

Zoe Schultz, Ag Communications & Journalism, Grainfield

Victor Sharma, Chemical Engineering, Lawrence

Baylee Wulfhuhle, Ag Economics, Berryton

Ryan Wunder, Statistics & Data Science, Valley Falls

Sarah Zerger, Agronomy, Cheney

Collegiate Academy Class 4 Graduates Recognized

Members of the fourth Collegiate Academy class were recognized during this year's Kansas Corn Symposium for completing their program. Despite challenges brought on by COVID-19, participants expanded their knowledge about ethanol, livestock, trade, policy, education, agronomy, conservation and consumer engagement. After three in-person sessions, the students completed a capstone project to complete the program.

During the first session of the Collegiate Academy, students visited south central Kansas where they gained knowledge about export markets, grain terminals, ethanol production and water issues facing Kansas farmers. The second session took place in northwest Kansas as students met with the Mexican Consulate virtually, toured multiple agribusinesses, toured the water technology farm at Northwest Kansas Technical College and McCarty

Family Farms Dairy. In October 2021, the students traveled to Washington D.C. to learn how policy affects family farms, agribusinesses and international grain markets. The students completed the program by submitting a capstone projects summarizing their experiences.

Kansas college students enrolled in two-year or four-year post-secondary schools are eligible to apply for Collegiate Academy. For more information on this and other collegiate programs visit ks-corn.com/corn-on-campus/.

Collegiate Academy Class 4 Graduates:

Sage Collins, Ag Economics, Chanute

Kate Cooper, Ag Economics, Greenwood, Neb.

James Foote, Ag Economics, Louisburg

Adelaide Katzer, Agronomy, Louisburg

Nicki Kirchoff, Agribusiness, Superior, Neb.

Jaime Knight, Agronomy, Kansas City

Nathan Ohlde, Agronomy, Clyde

Eric Peterson, Animal Science, Clifton

Keegan Weingartner, Animal Science Pre-Vet, Topeka

Cattle producers demand DOJ investigation completion, JBS action

JBS USA announced recently it has agreed to a \$52.5 million settlement over allegations of beef price fixing. NCBA reports it was the first national organization to request a government investigation of beef markets in 2019. Now there are settlements occurring without the Department of Justice (DOJ) having released findings or providing cattle producers with an update on progress.

In August 2019, following a fire at the Tyson plant in Holcomb, NCBA sent a letter to USDA requesting an examination of price discrepancies in fed cattle markets. In 2020, NCBA took its plea to the White House, which then directed DOJ to investigate possible wrongdoing in the cattle markets.

"It is clear from this settlement that cattle producers still don't have all the information they have demanded and is deserved. The DOJ has an obligation to finish their investigation. Cattle producers do not have years to wait for the government to determine whether there has been wrongdoing, we demand answers now," said NCBA CEO Colin Woodall.



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TAMU cattle price discovery and transparency act analysis indicates no benefit to negotiated trade mandates

After analyzing the Cattle Price Discovery and Transparency Act of 2021, Texas A&M Agriculture and Food Policy Center (AFPC) reports that negotiated trade mandates do not provide price discovery and market transparency.

Republicans on the Senate Agriculture Com-

mittee requested the analysis from AFPC. The report says mandated negotiated trade levels are expected to negatively affect cattle and calf prices. The researchers say the mandate will result in lower short-term fed cattle prices due to the increase in the costs of the feeder-packer cattle sale transaction. The re-

port concludes that, while more price discovery and market transparency can be achieved, forcing the movement away from alternative marketing arrangements via regional mandatory minimums for negotiated purchases will result in lower cattle prices and higher wholesale and retail beef prices.

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Photo by Donna Sullivan

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Report from February 9, 2022

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12 blk	537	207.50	10 blk	573	173.00
51 blk X	605	197.00	10 blk	606	169.00
22 blk X	626	189.00	12 wf	717	162.50
11 blk	664	186.00	26 bkbwf	657	160.75
30 blk X	743	173.50	48 mix	618	158.25
27 mix	789	167.60	14 blk	816	157.75
60 mix	750	164.10	66 blk X	776	147.60
13 wf	830	163.00			
20 blk	856	161.50			
20 blk	904	160.75			
66 blk	889	157.00			
28 blk	957	153.00			

HEIFERS					
10 blk X	509	185.00			

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Report from February 8, 2022

STEERS					
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6 blk	451	218.00	26 blk	606	165.00
9 mix	569	205.50	19 blk	683	159.50
41 mix	674	169.25	39 blk	701	158.25
13 blk	791	166.00	11 Char	823	147.00
7 Char	830	160.00	29 mix	806	146.50
9 Char	922	155.75			

HEIFERS					
6 blk	341	196.00			
7 blk	429	188.00			

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Schwieterman Market Outlook

A marketing commentary by Bret Crotts

There was a massive amount of volatility in the markets last week and even though we had a WASDE report Wednesday, that really wasn't the source of the big moves. Tensions between Russia and Ukraine are back to the forefront of the news cycle and fears of Federal Reserve rate hikes have all the markets nervous. If the Russians go ahead and invade Ukraine, and if we, or

our allies, do anything to retaliate, the volatility in the markets will continue. If there is any retaliation, there is a good chance that it will come in the form of economic sanctions, which could cause serious harm to European economies and exacerbate our domestic inflation problem. Since Russia is a major supplier of the world's natural gas and crude oil, energy prices could get wild. On the bright side, it could be very helpful to the U.S. wheat and corn markets, which would not be so bad for us in agriculture.

On the charts, since we made new contract highs in the corn, the \$6.65 area looks like a very good upside target in the short run. If we take that level out, the next spots to look at will be the \$7.00 round number resistance and then \$7.75. We need to see better export sales to keep the market moving higher. There have been plenty of rumors about Chinese buying, but nothing has shown up yet.

The \$8.35 area remains a key resistance point in the March KW. It is going to take a great deal of strength in the corn, or a fundamental shift to get the market to move through that level. The market posted an outside day higher on the chart Friday, so the momentum of the market is definitely up, but fundamentally we have not been able to get much going. We have had two consecutive terrible export sales reports and USDA raised the ending stocks estimate again, which is not ideal for a bull market. Traders are still clinging to hope that we will see better demand, but with the exception one week recently, it has not shown up.

Soybeans are making a run for the 2021 highs.

Thursday's chart action was terrible, but this market keeps getting fed bullish fundamental information. Ending stocks are still too high to be bullish, but USDA cut them this week and more cuts are expected, because there are still weather problems in South America and our export sales have been great. The big ending stocks figure of 325 million bushels does keep the bulls nervous, but if the stocks levels keep trending lower, then the prices can keep trending higher.

There were numerous contract highs in the cattle futures this week. The cash cattle market improved enough that most trade is over \$140 and the cash feeder index improved considerably as well. There is still lots of optimism built into the cattle market, with the February 23 live cattle futures \$10 over the February 22 and the deferred feeder futures approaching \$190.

Demand for cattle and beef is good. Getting the latest wave of COVID out of the way is a big help. Packer margins are still tremendous, so there is plenty of incentive to keep a strong slaughter pace, which will keep a bid under the market.

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NCBA responds to New York Times op-ed

NCBA responded to an op-ed video series published by the New York Times titled *Meet the People Getting Paid to Kill Our Planet*.

The 14-minute video discusses sustainability in agriculture, claiming "American agriculture is ravaging the air, soil and water." In a press release, NCBA states the misinformation and lack of credible sources in the opinion piece threatens the livelihoods of American farmers and ranchers. They then provide sustainability facts and efforts within the beef industry.

"Cattle farmers and ranchers understand the importance of protecting natural resources and they are continuously working to improve their practices in ways that benefit their land and their animals," the press release states.

Vitamin A helps cattle health, immunity

By Shelby Varner,
K-State Research and
Extension news

Kansas State University beef systems specialist Jaymelynn Farney is urging cow-calf producers to maintain appropriate levels of vitamin A in their herds to help minimize scours in calves and reduce retained placenta in cattle.

She recommends 30,000-45,000 international units of vitamin A per day for bred cattle to increase the chances of minimizing calf scours.

Some of the best sources of vitamin A include:

Legumes.

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Current year hay crop.

Lush, leafy green forage.

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Yellow corn.

The most classic symptom of vitamin A deficiency is weak calf syndrome, according to Farney.

"Those calves just aren't as thrifty and if they do get up and nurse, the cow's colostrum is pretty low quality," Farney said.

Vitamin A contributes to higher quality colostrum. Calves deficient in vitamin A are set back

their entire life, if they do make it past birth, according to Farney.

Calves suspected of having weak calf syndrome should have samples sent to a lab for

testing and the producer should work with a veterinarian and nutritionist for diagnostics.



"If your animals are on dry, dormant forage they are essentially get-

ting no vitamin A at the time," Farney said.

When cattle consume excessive amounts of vitamin A, they store it in their liver. When their requirements are not being

met, they will use that storage to meet their requirements.

"Cattle may have two to four months of vitamin A stored in them," Farney said.


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Cattle Auction- Every Tuesday at 11:00 a.m.
Hog/Sheep/Goat Auction- Every 3rd Saturday
Horse/Tack Auction- Every 2nd Saturday

SALE RESULTS: 1-25-22

Steers		Heifers	
300-399#	\$200.00-\$235.00	300-399#	\$175.00-\$195.00
400-499#	\$185.00-\$225.00	400-499#	\$160.00-\$185.00
500-599#	\$175.00-\$215.00	500-599#	\$160.00-\$180.00
600-699#	\$155.00-\$175.00	600-699#	\$155.00-\$165.00
700-799#	\$150.00-\$168.00	700-799#	\$145.00-\$160.00
800-899#	\$155.00-\$160.00	800-899#	\$140.00-\$155.00
900-999#	\$145.00-\$155.00		

Sat., Feb 19th - Hog/Sheep/Goat Sale
Tues., Feb 22nd - Calf/Yearling Special
Tues., March 8th - Calf/Yearling Special
ALL WEIGH COWS & BULLS SELL AT THE END

NEMAHA COUNTY, KS LAND AUCTION

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 2022 — 10:00 AM
Knights of Columbus Hall • 211 Knights of Columbus Dr.
SENECA, KANSAS

AUCTIONEER'S NOTE: These two tracts will be ***sold separately and not combined.*** The sellers have applied \$11,382 of fertilizer on all the tillable acres for the 2022 growing season. The fertilizer investment will go to the buyer at no expense to the new owners. The sellers have signed a transmission line easement agreement with Grain Belt Express LLC. The sellers will retain or keep any payments or future payments with this agreement. If Grain Belt proceeds with the installment of this transmission line, the buyers will receive all crop damage payments that are paid by Grain Belt LLC. These farms have been very productive with 2021 corn crop average yield of 184 bushels per acre and 2021 soybean crop average yield of 58 bushels per acre. These farms have had lime and intense fertilizer application during the last several years. Very good farms with easy access.

TRACT 1: 77.66 ACRES M/L
Land Location: From Baileyville, KS, go 2 miles West on Hwy. 36 to B Rd. Go South on B Rd., property is located on southwest corner of the intersection of B Rd. & 144th Rd.
Legal Description: N1/2 NE1/4 Section 6, Township 3, Range 11, Center Township, Nemaha County, KS. **Taxes:** \$2033.
Mineral Rights stay with farm.
General Description: Property is 77.66 acres M/L with 70.82 tillable acres. Balance waterways. Property includes a nice open end Machine Shed with electricity. ***Farm lays very well. A very productive farm. Easy access.***

TRACT 2: 77.07 ACRES M/L
Land Location: From Baileyville, KS, go 2 miles West of Hwy. 36 to B Rd. Go South 1 mile on B Rd. Property is located on southeast corner of the intersection of B Rd. & 144th Rd.
Legal Description: N1/2 NW1/4 Section 5, Township 3, Range 11, Center Township, Nemaha County, KS. **Taxes:** \$1865.
Mineral Rights stay with farm.
General Description: Property is 77.07 acres M/L with 67.27 acres tillable which includes 33 acres bottomland; balance, waterway and creek. This tract has many tile outlets. The bottomland has recently been tiled. ***A very productive farm that has produced good crops in the past. Easy access.***

For Terms, DCP Crop Data & More Info: www.senecarealty.net

SELLERS: ELMER & ARLENE MELCHER FAMILY

Auction Conducted by: **SENECA REALTY**
Mike Kuckelman - Broker, 785-294-1038
Dale Wilhelm - Auctioneer/Sales, 785-294-8569

LARGE AUCTION

GUNS * TOYS * BELT BUCKLES & COINS
SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 2022 — 10:00 AM
LOCATION: 1500 Community Drive, SENECA, KS 66538
GUNS including Pistols, Shotguns, Rifles & Ammo!
Browning * Mossberg * Marlin * Ruger * Remington & More
TOYS including Precision Classic, ERTL & More!
Farm Toys, Collector Series, Die Cast.
BELT BUCKLES including Heston, Coors & Others!
COINS including approx. 50 Morgan Silver Dollars, Silver Eagles, Peace Dollars, Liberty Walking Halfs & more!
SELLERS: JERRY RICE & OTHERS

For Detailed Listing go to:
www.kansasauctions.net/wilhelm

Auction Conducted by: WILHELM AUCTION SERVICE
DALE WILHELM, 785-294-8569 • DANNY DETERS, 785-336-1622

Holton Livestock Exchange, Inc.

1/2 mile East of Holton, KS on 16 Highway
Livestock Auction every Tuesday at 11:00 AM
*****STARTING TIME: 11:00 AM*****

MARKET REPORT FOR TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 8, 2022
RECEIPTS: 2060 CATTLE
FOR FULL RESULTS, VISIT OUR WEBSITE:
WWW.HOLTONLIVESTOCK.COM

STEERS		HEIFERS	
8 blk	Hiawatha493@225.00	11 blk	Atchison 759@164.00
12 blk	Soldier 829@156.25	13 blk	red Valley Falls 496@191.00
30 blk	Hiawatha554@221.50	13 blk	bwf Holton 851@156.00
6 red blk	Robinson 491@220.00	18 blk	bwf Goff 936@152.75
7 blk	Lancaster 473@219.00		
7 blk	Tonganoxie537@218.00	4 blk	Tonganoxie298@201.00
30 red blk	Robinson 564@212.00	13 blk	red Valley Falls 496@191.00
13 blk	Rushville.MO563@207.00	8 blk	Hiawatha508@190.00
12 blk	Holton 553@203.00	25 red	Robinson 503@187.50
11 bk char bulls	Valley Falls462@198.00	5 blk	Denton 539@178.00
10 blk	Whiting 583@195.00	10 blk	bwf Soldier 573@177.00
10 blk	Kan. City, KS 588@192.00	13 blk	red Tonganoxie480@176.50
12 bwf rnf	Soldier 601@189.50	10 blk	Goff 570@174.00
27 blk	Muscotah605@189.00	26 blk	Hiawatha600@174.00
17 blk	bwf Goff 633@187.50	22 blk	bwf Muscotah 615@169.75
15 blk	bwf Holton 610@185.00	12 blk	Atchison 566@169.00
24 blk	bwf Holton 683@178.75	34 red	blk Robinson 596@167.00
73 blk	Hiawatha698@178.60	23 blk	bwf Whiting 650@164.00
42 blk	Muscotah 715@178.00	22 blk	Denton 628@159.50
16 blk	bwf Atchison 644@176.00	40 blk	bwf Hiawatha752@154.75
17 blk	red Rushville.MO707@173.50	12 blk	Holton 657@153.00
59 blk	Fairview 710@173.50	12 blk	Holton 671@152.50
30 blk	bwf Goff 742@171.50	12 blk	red Atchison 660@152.00
23 bwf	red Morrowville626@170.00	8 blk	Goff 804@143.00
7 blk	Atchison 727@169.50	8 blk	bwf Goff 897@141.50
9 blk	bwf Atchison 692@168.00		

SPECIAL COW SALE, FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 25 * 6 PM

SPRING CONSIGNMENT AUCTION!
SATURDAY, MARCH 26, 2022

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Eureka Livestock Sale

P.O. Box 267 Eureka, KS 67045
620-583-5008 Office 620-583-7475

Sale Every Thursday at 11:30 a.m. Sharp

Like Us On Facebook!

On Thursday, February 10th, we had 1,324 head of cattle on a higher market, with grass cattle \$4-\$10 higher. Very active.

STEERS		HEIFERS	
4 bkbwf ..404@235.00	12 bkbwf 725@166.00	5 bwf	523@172.00
19 bkbwf 494@225.00	6 blk.....788@159.50	13 blk	525@168.00
6 bkbwf ..495@225.00	14 bkRd..835@158.00	7 blk	662@159.50
10 blk.....483@219.00	11 bkRd..735@157.00	14 bkbwf	663@159.00
13 bkbwf 554@197.50	7 bkRd....892@151.00	15 bkbwf	707@153.75
6 blk.....588@195.00	57 mix.....967@147.90	26 bkRd	593@152.25
7 blk.....603@195.00	29 rd&Ag 1044@146.00	10 bkbwf	671@151.00
7 bkbwf ..574@193.00		59 mix	774@151.00
15 bkChr 599@176.50	12 blk 477@192.00	16 bkbwf	777@150.50
5 bkbwf ..667@175.75	4 bkbwf 489@185.50	9 mix	683@150.00
8 blk.....654@172.00	4 blk 528@185.00	63 bkbwf	883@148.60
21 bkbwf 655@169.50	6 bkbwf 524@182.00	65 bkRd	838@146.80
15 bkbwf 711@167.00	9 bkbwf 539@180.00	19 rd&Ag	871@145.00
10 blk.....707@166.00	8 blk 542@179.00	20 rdAg	991@142.00

Butcher Cows: \$55-\$89, mostly \$65-\$80; very active, steady. Butcher Bulls: \$68-\$115, mostly \$96-\$110, very active, \$2-\$5 higher.

Preg Cows: \$750-\$1,200.

BUTCHER COWS		BUTCHER BULLS	
1 blk	1750@89.00	1 blk	1945@115.00
1 blk	1700@87.00	1 blk	2230@111.50
1 blk	1575@86.00	1 blk	1865@110.00
1 blk	1135@85.00	1 wf	1940@110.00
1 blk	1675@85.00	1 blk	1855@109.00
2 blk	1285@84.00	1 blk	1820@108.50
2 blk	1288@83.00	1 blk	1865@108.00
2 blk	1483@77.50	1 Red	1665@107.50
2 blk	1145@77.00	1 blk	1710@107.00

EARLY CONSIGNMENTS FOR FEB. 17

- 85 blk bwf rbf str & hfrs, 500-750#, home raised, longtime weaned & D.V.
- 37 blk Red str & hfrs, 700-850#, home raised, longtime weaned & D.V.

EARLY CONSIGNMENTS FOR FEB. 24

- 105 Red Angus str & hfrs, 400-650#, home raised, hay fed, longtime weaned & double vac.
- 60 blk bwf str & hfrs, 550-800#, home raised, hay fed, longtime weaned & double vac.

We appreciate your business!

Ron Ervin - Owner-Manager
Home Phone - 620-583-5385
Mobile Cell 620-750-0123
Austin Evenson- Fieldman
Mobile Cell 620-750-0222

If you have any cattle to be looked at call Ron or Austin

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Date: 2/9/22. Total Head Count: 2236.
Cows: \$61-\$84; Bulls: \$96-\$106.50.

HEIFERS		STEERS	
10 Char.....450@192.00	6 wf.....598@171.00	6 blk.....418@223.00	
7 blk.....478@190.00	34 blk/bkfwf.....607@191.00	5 blk.....511@216.00	
9 blk/bkfwf.....459@185.00	24 blk.....630@178.00	51 blk.....543@207.00	
18 blk/bkfwf.....483@184.00	5 mix.....661@175.00	5 blk.....562@198.00	
5 mix.....483@178.00	18 blk/bkfwf.....659@174.00		
6 blk.....438@176.00	6 blk.....651@173.00		
6 Char.....538@185.00	19 mix.....628@172.50		
40 blk/bkfwf.....574@179.00	6 mix.....656@170.50		
28 blk/bkfwf.....587@177.00	5 mix.....610@169.00		
15 blk.....577@175.00	10 mix.....667@167.00		
13 mix.....573@163.00	7 blk.....645@166.00		
7 blk.....571@158.00	22 mix.....672@163.50		
6 blk.....638@172.00	6 wf.....694@163.00		
10 blk.....638@166.00	18 blk.....709@167.00		
7 blk.....629@161.00	5 blk.....744@166.00		
12 blk.....631@161.00	31 blk/bkfwf.....748@165.25		
6 blk.....618@159.00	8 blk.....754@165.00		
5 wf.....618@158.00	10 mix.....770@165.00		
7 mix.....639@158.00	19 blk/bkfwf.....712@164.50		
32 blk/bkfwf.....677@158.00	16 blk.....735@164.50		
6 mix.....693@156.00	14 mix.....780@164.50		
20 mix.....669@154.00	46 blk/bkfwf.....758@163.00		
11 blk.....659@147.50	11 blk.....791@163.00		
42 blk.....726@159.75	12 wf.....787@162.00		
28 blk.....745@158.00	10 blk.....775@161.50		
17 mix.....702@154.75	62 blk.....798@160.00		
14 blk.....770@154.75	21 mix.....793@159.00		
7 blk.....726@154.50	36 blk.....838@162.50		
10 mix.....729@154.25	17 blk.....814@161.50		
31 mix.....744@153.00	18 blk.....829@160.00		
8 blk/bkfwf.....730@152.50	11 mix.....811@159.25		
8 mix.....763@152.25	28 blk.....868@158.00		
23 mix.....790@151.00	18 blk.....867@157.75		
7 mix.....744@145.00	60 blk/bkfwf.....849@157.50		
20 blk.....855@158.00	12 blk.....849@157.50		
8 blk.....811@153.50	15 blk.....860@157.50		
30 blk/bkfwf.....831@152.50	14 blk.....873@157.50		
15 blk.....818@152.00	60 blk.....881@157.50		
23 blk.....807@150.00	14 mix.....878@156.00		
6 mix.....821@149.75	35 blk.....977@154.25		
10 mix.....899@142.00	172 blk/bkfwf.....923@154.00		
	64 mix.....936@153.00		
	72 mix.....938@153.00		
	15 blk.....990@153.00		
	37 mix.....965@150.00		
	72 mix.....990@148.00		

EARLY CONSIGNMENTS FOR FEB. 16

- 98 blk str & hfrs, longtime weaned & 2 rds shots, 600-800#
- 150 Red Angus str, 800-900# • 70 blk & red str, 825-875#
- 150 blk & red str, 850-950# • 300 mix str, 850-950#

PLUS MORE BY SALE TIME!

THANK YOU FOR ALL OF YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT!
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316-320-3212
Fax: 316-320-7159
2595 SE Highway 54, P.O. Box 622, El Dorado, KS 67042

Market Report - Sale Date 2-10-22. 1801 Head

300-400 lb. steers, \$175-\$217; heifers, \$169-\$190; 400-500 lb. steers, \$180-\$220; heifers, \$167-\$189; 500-600 lb. steers, \$172-\$214.50; heifers, \$156-\$189.50; 600-700 lb. steers, \$151-\$186; heifers, \$139-\$168.50; 700-800 lb. steers, \$146-\$170.25; heifers, \$133-\$156.50; 800-900 lb. steers, \$141-\$156; heifers, \$119-\$147; 900-1,000 lb. steers, \$140-\$153.50. **Trend on Calves:** Calves up to 500# steady, 500-700#, \$6-\$8 higher. **Trend on Feeder Cattle:** \$3-\$5 higher on feeder strs, \$5-\$7 higher on feeder hfrs. **Butcher Cows:** high dressing cows \$70-\$85; Avg. dressing cows \$60-\$70; low dressing cows \$45-\$60. **Butcher Bulls:** Avg. to high dressing bulls \$81-\$106.50.

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Grass & Grain, February 15, 2022

Grass & Grain Weather Report

Feb. 16, 2022

Seven Day Forecast

WEDNESDAY

Scattered Rain

High: 65 Low: 23

THURSDAY

Scattered Snow

High: 40 Low: 14

FRIDAY

Sunny

High: 39 Low: 12

SATURDAY

Partly Cloudy

High: 37 Low: 13

SUNDAY

Sunny

High: 33 Low: 6

MONDAY

Mostly Sunny

High: 35 Low: 10

TUESDAY

Mostly Cloudy

High: 36 Low: 9

In-Depth Local Forecast

Today we will see mostly cloudy skies with a 45% chance of scattered rain, high of 65°, humidity of 48%. South wind 10 to 14 mph. The record high for today is 76° set in 2017. Expect mostly cloudy skies tonight with a 55% chance of scattered rain, overnight low of 23°.

Last Week's Almanac

Date	H/L	Normals	Precip
2/4	37/0	43/19	0.00"
2/5	49/13	43/19	0.00"
2/6	32/21	43/19	0.00"
2/7	50/26	43/19	0.00"
2/8	65/25	43/19	0.00"
2/9	46/27	44/20	0.00"
2/10	2/10	56/28	44/20

Rainfall

Normal rainfall

Departure

Average temp.

Average normal

Departure

0.00"

0.25"

-0.25"

37.0°

31.3°

-45.7°

Today's Local Outlook

Washington

64/40

Blue Rapids

61/21

Seneca

63/22

Chay Center

62/22

Manhattan

65/23

Wamego

65/24

Ord

61/21

Junction City

66/24

Abilene

65/22

Council Grove

66/25

This Week's Sun & Moon Chart

Day	Sunrise	Sunset	Moonrise	Moonset	New
Wednesday	7:15 a.m.	6:05 p.m.	9:10 p.m.	7:40 a.m.	3/2
Thursday	7:15 a.m.	6:06 p.m.	7:15 p.m.	8:09 a.m.	
Friday	7:14 a.m.	6:07 p.m.	8:21 p.m.	8:35 a.m.	
Saturday	7:13 a.m.	6:08 p.m.	9:27 p.m.	9:00 a.m.	
Sunday	7:11 a.m.	6:09 p.m.	10:35 p.m.	9:25 a.m.	
Monday	7:10 a.m.	6:10 p.m.	11:44 p.m.	9:52 a.m.	
Tuesday	7:09 a.m.	6:11 p.m.	Prev Day	10:22 a.m.	

Full

2/16

Last

2/23

Weather History

Feb. 16, 1989 - A surge of arctic air produced all-time record high barometric pressure readings of 31.08 inches at Duluth, Minn., 30.97 inches at Chicago and 30.94 inches at South Bend, Indiana. Unseasonably warm weather prevailed across the southeastern United States.

Growing Degree Days

Date	Degree Days	Date	Degree Days
2/4	0	2/8	0
2/5	0	2/9	0
2/6	0	2/10	0
2/7	0		

Symbioun Veterinary Clinic

Equine Calendar

February

19th-20th- KQHA Cowboy Classic Show at Lyons Cupid's Cans \$2500 added 4D Barrel Race at Flying H Ranch, KC

20th- Desensitization and obstacle clinic, Topeka at Lucky H Ranch

27th- NBHA KS01 Feb- at Douglas County Fair-ground

25th-26th- Knoles Performance Horses Horse-manship Clinic at McCook, Neb.

February 27 at 9:30 a.m. Douglas County Fairgrounds URA at Humansville, Mo.

MARCH

5th- Finney County Ranch Sorting at Garden City College Arena 4 p.m.

5-6th- EJ Laubscher Working cowhorse clinic, Colby

KDEA Ride-A-Test, Wichita

6th NBHA KS01 Points Race 1, Lawrence

Bundle Up Barrel Series Finals, Kingman Expo Center

11th-12th KPRA at McCook NE

12th- NBHA KS01 Hwy. 24 Tour 1 at R Bar B

Barn Quilting Class at Douglas County Trail Riders

13th- NBHA KS 05 at Bar Star Ranch Lincoln NE 1 p.m.

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Annual Bull Sale

MARCH 3 2022

AT RANCH 1:00 PM CST

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KJ 364C DEPARTURE 247J ET

BW 3.1 WW 79 YW 122 REA 0.90 \$CHB 172

Act REA 15.79 Act Marb 4.24

KJ 175F BENTON 369J

BW 2.4 WW 80 YW 119 REA 0.87 \$CHB 133

Act REA 13.74 Act Marb 3.39

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Abilene, KS 67410

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Saturday April 9

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USDA provides update on disaster assistance

The U.S. Department of Agriculture provided an update at the Cattle Industry Convention on forthcoming assistance for agricultural producers impacted by weather-related disasters in 2020 and 2021.

According to Under Secretary Robert Bonnie, USDA will follow a two-phase process to administer relief to eligible livestock and crop producers, with the first phase utilizing a streamlined process that relies on existing data that producers have already reported to USDA. For impacted ranchers, USDA will leverage Livestock Forage Disaster Program (LFP) data to administer relief.

For the first phase of livestock assistance, USDA intends to use existing LFP application data; streamline the application process to require no or minimal additional paperwork; and distribute at least half the \$750 million through the first phase by the end of March 2022. The second phase will fill additional gaps and cover eligible producers who did not participate in these existing programs. Additional USDA disaster assistance information can be found on www.farmers.gov.

Sell At St. Marys

Sell Or Buy Cattle By Auction

STARTING TIME 10:30 AM

Tuesdays

We sold 1413 cattle February 8. We had a nice run of home raised steer and heifer calves. There was good demand for calves which sold steady to \$8.00 higher. Feeder steers and heifers sold \$3.00-\$6.00 higher. Cows and bulls were steady.

STEER & BULL CALVES

7 blk str 504 @ 219.00

15 blk str 499 @ 210.00

6 blk/red str 433 @ 209.00

7 blk str 393 @ 207.00

6 blk str 502 @ 196.00

1 blk bull 475 @ 195.00

2 blk/bwf bulls 518 @ 183.00

1 blk str 370 @ 172.00

20 blk str 550 @ 208.50

13 blk str 588 @ 194.00

15 blk/bwf str 630 @ 190.00

6 blk/red str 558 @ 189.00

10 blk/bwf str 570 @ 189.00

3 blk/bwf str 587 @ 189.00

9 blk str 623 @ 187.00

5 blk/bwf str 569 @ 182.00

8 blk/bwf str 630 @ 181.25

16 blk str 680 @ 173.50

7 blk str 644 @ 170.00

10 blk str 661 @ 169.50

43 blk/red str 706 @ 165.75

6 blk/bwf str 738 @ 165.00

19 blk/bwf str 773 @ 163.50

STOCKER & FEEDER HEIFERS

46 blk hfr 620 @ 176.00

14 blk/bwf hfr 648 @ 170.25

11 blk/bwf hfr 582 @ 170.00

9 blk hfr 553 @ 165.50

6 blk/bwf hfr 643 @ 163.50

6 blk hfr 578 @ 160.50

13 blk/char hfr 587 @ 159.00

10 blk hfr 644 @ 158.50

27 blk hfr 755 @ 158.25

8 blk/red hfr 636 @ 158.00

42 blk/bwf hfr 724 @ 155.75

12 blk hfr 729 @ 154.50

33 blk/char hfr 710 @ 154.25

51 mix hfr 722 @ 152.00

38 blk/bwf hfr 821 @ 150.00

6 blk/bwf hfr 843 @ 147.50

4 x-bred hfr 671 @ 134.00

2 blk hfr 936 @ 126.00

HEIFER CALVES

7 blk hfr 481 @ 183.00

12 blk/bwf hfr 516 @ 181.00

4 blk hfr 495 @ 179.00

4 blk hfr 486 @ 178.00

3 blk hfr 430 @ 177.00

5 blk/red hfr 373 @ 175.00

3 blk/red hfr 397 @ 175.00

4 blk hfr 440 @ 175.00

COWS & HEIFERETTES

1 blk hfr 1110 @ 109.50

WATCH OUR AUCTIONS

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1010 @ 108.00

1135 @ 90.00

1795 @ 86.00

1540 @ 84.50

1660 @ 83.00

1350 @ 82.00

1545 @ 81.00

1235 @ 80.00

1290 @ 79.50

1415 @ 79.00

1390 @ 78.00

1440 @ 77.50

1415 @ 77.00

1290 @ 76.50

1205 @ 76.00

1485 @ 75.50

1450 @ 75.00

1340 @ 74.50

1230 @ 74.00

1180 @ 73.50

1135 @ 73.00

1175 @ 72.50

1045 @ 72.50

1095 @ 72.00

1390 @ 69.50

1130 @ 69.00

1185 @ 66.50

BULLS

1 blk bull 2030 @ 116.00

1 blk bull 2060 @ 113.00

1 blk bull 2220 @ 106.00

1 blk bull 1945 @ 105.00

1 blk bull 1990 @ 104.50

1 blk bull 1830 @ 99.50

1 blk bull 1325 @ 85.00

CONSIGNMENTS FOR FEBRUARY 15, 2022:

• 50 Angus str & hfrs, 500-600 lbs., weaned, vacc.

• 100 blk str & hfrs, 500-650 lbs., weaned, vacc.

• 85 blk str & hfrs, 500-600 lbs., weaned, vacc.

• 100 blk str & hfrs, 500-600 lbs., weaned, vacc.

• 90 blk str & hfrs, 550-700 lbs., weaned, vacc.

• 60 blk str & hfrs, 700-800 lbs.

• 190 SimAngus str & hfrs, 700-850 lbs., long weaned, no implants

• 80 Beefmaster str & hfrs, 500-650 lbs., weaned, vacc.

• 140 blk char hfrs, 725-750 lbs.

• 65 blk hfrs, 750-800 lbs., Northern origin

• 100 Angus bwf replacement quality hfrs, 800-825 lbs., no implants, from Hier Ranch

• 62 blk str, 850-900 lbs.

• 60 blk char str, 900-925 lbs., Northern origin

• 60 blk str, 925-950 lbs.

• 124 blk str, 850-875 lbs.

• 120 blk str, 900-925 lbs., Northern origin

Our CONSIGNMENTS can now be viewed after 12 Noon on Mondays by going to www.grassandgrain.com & logging onto the online subscription

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