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Special Shepparton Combined Dairy Sale.

Holsteins to \$3200. Brown Swiss to \$3000.

Buyers from all parts of Victoria and NSW were active bidders at the Shepparton Selling Centre on what was an extremely hot and windy day.

Sale top of \$3200 was for the 4 year old cow Bluechip LL Aftershock Butter selling a/c Bruce Fuller to J Romano of Tatura. The same vendor also sold McLennan Park McCutchen Berkeley, VG 86 at \$2500 to Allallam P/L of Carlisle River.

The Hicks Family of Strathallan sold a line of freshly calved AI bred Holstein cows to top at \$2150 for 2 four year olds both selling to W & A Macadam of Merrigum..

The Banksia Vale herd of I & J Smith of Girgarre dispersed their herd after 54 years of dairying with the top of \$2000 being reached twice, with Banksia Vale fever Blossom, VG selling to M Sorraghan of Dhurringile and Banksia Vale Vindicate Pattie selling to P Hogan of Waaia.

The Brown Swiss heifers of S Fisicaro and S Brown of Katunga met with strong demand selling to a high of \$3000 for the freshly calved heifer Linderlan Nirvana Toska selling to T Smethurst of Athlone. Unjoined heifers sold to a top of \$2400 for Linderlan Wizdom Sigrid selling to Loxby Brown Swiss of Laceby, The same buyer also selected Sherbrooke Arrow Olga and Sherbrooke Hotel Opal both unjoined heifers at \$2100 each. Another yearling to sell at \$2100 was Sherbrooke Siren Iris 2 selling to T Smethurst of Athlone.

Top selling bull was Linderlan Nirvana Ori at \$2500 to K Osborne of Jamberoo, NSW.

Selling agents Dairy Livestock Services report the following details –

55 Holstein cows av \$1645

2 Holstein Bulls av \$1850

7 Milking Brown Swiss Heifers av \$1580

17 Winter 2020 calving Brown Swiss heifers av \$1200

11 Unjoined Brown Swiss heifers av \$1495

2 Brown Swiss Bulls av \$1800