

Yalcara tops \$9,000

The Yalcara Jersey Stud of Peter and Lyn Sprunt recently staged their Second Stage Complete Dispersal of all Spring calving Heifers.

Sale top was lot 1, Yalcara Valentino Silver, an outstanding type heifer backed by 7 direct gens of EX & VG dams, she sold to John Brian of Tongala. This same buyer also purchased Yalcara Valentino Althea at \$4,500, a daughter of an EX 90 dam bred from the famed USA Althea family.

Second top price of \$5,250 was Yalcara David Althea from a VG Vanahlem dam selling to Darryn Vale Jerseys of Millawa. The same buyers also selected Yalcara Sambucca Flower at \$4,000. Third high of \$5,000 was paid for Yalcara Valentino Gleam, a big roomy heifer from an EX Vanahlem dam bred down from Merriland Fair Glem (Imp.NZ) EX, she was selected by C & P MacKenzie of Jireh Jerseys in Western Victoria.

Wanstead Jerseys of R & A Heath paid \$4,750 for Yalcara Valentino Althea 2 and \$4,250 for Yalcara Vlentino Flower a very correct heifer bred down from Verona Sultans Flower (Imp.NZ) EX.

Other noted sales included Yalcara Valentino Mansell from an EX dam at \$4,500 to Kaarmona Jerseys. Yalcara Ahlem Vanilla at \$4,250 to Jugiong Jerseys. Yalcara Joel Twig at \$4,000 to J & S Rae of Allansford and Yalcara Ahlem Vashti also at \$4,000 to A & C Coombes of Long Flat, NSW.

Selling agents Dairy Livestock Services report buyers were from all parts of Victoria, NSW and Qld, many buying through the online Elite Livestock Auctions.

48 Heifers av \$3,205.

Picture attached of the high selling lot.



Dryfield tops \$7,000

Following the sale of their property and milking herd last year the Dryfield Holstein Heifers of Colin (Meggsie) Steel of Numurkah were auctioned in conjunction with Yalcara Jerseys on farm at Nathalia.

Top selling lot was Dryfield Diamondback Presence,(pictured below) this large framed very correct heifer due to calve late Spring had show success as a yearling and was purchased by Eloora Past. Co of Deniliquin, NSW at \$7,000.

Next top lot at \$5,000 was Dryfield Dempsey Chrissy due in Spring to sexed Diamondback and backed by 7 gens of EX & VG dams, she was selected by Munden Farms of Nilma. These same buyers purchased several lots including Dryfield Doorman Lyne at \$4,250.

Other noted sales included Dryfield Goldman Paradise, a Doorman from an EX 91 Goldwyn dam at \$4,000 and Dryfield Solomon GC Paris also from the famed Paradise family at \$4,000 both going to G & M Anderson. A Wright of Garfield also paid \$4,000 for the stylish unjoined yearling Dryfield Tatoo Surprise backed by 9 gens of EX & VG dams.

Due to the Covid restrictions most lots were bought online through the Elite Livestock Auctions Platform with buyers from all parts of Victoria and several in NSW.

Selling agents Dairy Livestock Services report the following details –

18 Spring calving Heifers av \$3,472
3 Autumn 2022 Calving Heifers av \$2,583
14 Unjoined Heifers av \$2,211
1 Commercial Heifer at \$2,250
36 Holsteins av \$2,875

