

Dates & Deadlines

»»» August 12

****Purchased Cattle-
Ownership Deadline**

»»» August 21

**-First round of
vaccination may begin**

»»» September 22nd

**-Weaning deadline, and
commitment of cattle**

»»» October 15th

**-Branded tags must be
ordered**

»»» November 6th

**-Deadline for second
round of shots**

»»» November 20th

**-Sale Day- Delivery to
Yards by 2 pm CST**

Contacts

Ordering Tags or Consignment

Questions:

BG Lex- (859) 255-7701
Jim Akers- (859) 361-4221
Will Banks- (859) 954-1563
wbanks@bgstockyards.com

Facility or Delivery Questions:

BG Albany- (606) 387-4681
Jeff Cyphers- (270) 459-1193

Health and Management Forms:

Will be sent with tags or:

Available Online:
bgstockyards.com

Available for pickup:
Bluegrass Stockyards:
Lexington
Albany



Red Advantage Feeder Calf Sale

Bluegrass Stockyards Albany
Thursday Nov 20th-6pm CST



Our Mission

To provide a consistent Marketing Avenue for producers of quality red cattle, where their cattle can be grouped together in larger numbers to garner prices that reward them for their efforts

Sale Management

Consignment

- Cattle must be tagged with a BG Red Tag, available by calling Will Banks (859) 954-1563 or Jim Akers (859) 361-4221
- Cattle must arrive by 2 p.m. CST NOV 20th accompanied by a completed and signed Health and Management Form to BG Albany 1274 KY-90, Albany, KY 42602

Grading and Sorting

- All cattle will be graded by Stockyard Personnel and off or #2 cattle will be penned separately.
- Cattle will be sexed and sorted into 100-pound increment pens by 5 sorts: British, Red Cross, #3, Mix, and Small
- If producers choose to bring their black calves that are out of red bulls, they will be graded on top of the kind they represent!
- Sale management will review the sorted and graded cattle and may combine pens to make load lots

Commission and Fees

- The Consignment Fees are as follows
 - Commission fee of \$25/head
 - Beef Checkoff \$2/head
 - Insurance
 - (For Overnight Cattle) \$3/head
 - Tag will be provided at no additional cost!!

Cattle & Consigner Requirements

Vaccination & Worming

- Vaccinated and boosted for IBR, BVD, BRSV, PI3, Pasteurella & Blackleg. The viral booster must be modified live.
- Dewormed a maximum of 60 days before the sale, unless Long Range is used, then 100 days prior to the sale.

Weaning

- Purchased cattle must be owned 100 days with proof of purchase and be 60 days bunk broke. Home raised cattle must be 60 days weaned and bunk broke
- ****Straight loads only- If a consigner wishes to offer a one owner lot, they must have 45,000 lbs. to sell as a load lot.

Nutrition

- Free choice mineral supplement which contains a minimum of 1,400 ppm copper (not oxide), 26 ppm selenium, 3,000 ppm zinc, 3,000 ppm manganese and 18-25% salt with no other salt available. It is recommended to provide high-quality, high-energy rations for the first 3-5 days post weaning.

Processing

- All cattle must be polled or dehorned, smooth headed and healed. All bull calves must be completely castrated and healed. (Knife castration at or prior to weaning is strongly recommended.)

Open Heifer/Steer Guarantee

- All heifers are guaranteed to be open at the time of sale and steers are guaranteed not to be bulls or stags. \$200/hd fee