

## **Goeie pryse vir goeie genetika by eerste Wagyu Nasionale veiling**

Die veiling, deur BKB in saamwerking met die Wagyu genootskap by Afridome in Parys die 18de Augustus het 48 lotte aangebied. Die totale omset was R4.165 miljoen met n gemiddeld van R86 770. Verse het vir n gemiddeld van R128 000 verkoop, koeie vir R77 500, koeie met kalwers R135 000 en bulle R62 000. Die hoogste prys was vir n bul was R230 000 en gekoop deur Wild Cost Wagyu van Beacon Bay. Die duurste vers is vir R410 000 ook aan Wild Cost Wagyu gekoop. Vir verdere navrae skakel Connie van Vuuren by BKB op 082 373 4833 of Dr Michael Bradfield, HUB van Wagyu op 082 857 0961. Die webblad is [www.wagyu.org.za](http://www.wagyu.org.za)

## **Wagyu “Uit die Fles” veiling oorskry alle rekords in beesbedryf**

“R6.00 vir ‘n sperm” is hoe een van Suid Afrika se top veeartse dit laggend beskryf het toe een strooitjie semen van n top Suid Afrikaanse bul vir R65 000 per strooitjie verkoop word by die Wagyu se “Uit de Vles” veiling by die Country Club in Parys die 20ste Augustus. n Beperkte hoeveelheid top semen en embryos het hande verwissel. Drie strooitjies van die eerste lot, van die bul Midnight, n poenskop suiwer bul met beide goeie marmering en groei wat onlangs deur Johan Strydom van Prime Wagyu in Aliwal Noord vir R1.85 miljoen in Australie gekoop is, het gewys dat uitsekende genetika altyd goeie pryse sal gaan. Die koper was JJ v d Westhuyzen van Klerksdorp. Nog n hoogtepunt was die Sumo Michifuko F154 semen @ R 52 000 elk en die verkoper was Stella Wagyu en die koper was Beyond Beef van Ingogo. Die totale omset, vir 197 lotte was R1,70 miljoen. Die 56 embryo’s het vir R631,500 verkoop, n gemiddeld van R11 276.00. Die 141 semen strooitjies het vir R7 072 per strooitjie. Hierdie is vir uiters uitstaande genetika. Kommersiële strooitjies verkoop vanaf embryo en semen stasies vir tussen R100 -R500 per strooitjie.

## **Good prices for genetics at the first Wagyu National Auction**

The auction was held by BKB in cooperation with the Wagyu Society at the Afridome in Parys on the 18<sup>th</sup> August 2018 with 48 lots offered. The total turnover was R 4 165 000 with an average of R 86 770. Heifers sold for an average of R 128 000, cows for R 77500, cows with calves for R 135 000 and bulls for R 62 000. The highest price for a bull was R 230 000 and was sold to Wild Coast Wagyu from Beacon Bay. The most expensive heifer was sold for R 410 000, also to Wild Coast Wagyu.

## **Wagyu “From The Flask” auction exceeds all record in the cattle industry**

“R6,00 per sperm” is how one of South Africa’s top veterinarians described it when a straw of semen from a top South African bull sold for R 65 00 per straw at the auction, held at Country Club in Parys on 20 August. A limited amount of top semen and embryos exchanged hands. Three straws from the first lot, the bull Midnight, a purebred polled bull with good marbling and growth that was recently acquired by Johan Strydom from Strydom Prime Genetics for R 1 850 000 in Australia, showed that there outstanding genetics will always sell for a premium price. The buyer was JJ van der Westhuizen from Klerksdorp. Another highlight was the Sumo Michifuku F154 semen @ R 52 00 each sold by Stella Wagyu to Beyond Beef from Ingogo. The total turnover for 197 lots was R 1 700 000. The 56 embryos sold for R 631 000, an average of R 11 276. The 141 semen straws sold for an average of R 7 072 per straw. This was outstanding genetics. Commercial straws from embryo and semen stations sell for between R 100 and R 150 per straw.