

Welcome

At the time of writing these opening comments, I came to realize that our first set of bulls we sold at a sale, was in April of 2000 at the Vanderhoof Bull Sale. Wow 25 years of selling bulls at sales, and now here we are excited to welcome you to our own third annual Matt's Red Angus online bull sale. We would like to start by saying a special thanks to our buyers from the last two years and we hope that they continue to be pleased with their past purchases.

2024 was another difficult year for us, with another drought. Hay crops were a little better than the hay crops from 2023, the pasture was close to the same a little less than a year before but we really struggled with some of our dugouts drying up during the summer. We did have to move cattle around a little bit more often so they could have a good clean access to water. Because of the dry summer we didn't have very much regrowth on our hayfields so we weren't able to pasture them in the fall very much. Fall arrived and we were blessed with a great deal of rain. We are excited and optimistic about the moisture we got, the ground is now recharged and with some snow pack seeping into our soils we look forward to a productive spring.

We were able to keep our bulls moving onto decent grass throughout the summer and we are very pleased with the gains that they put on during grazing season. We are also very excited and pleased with the condition that the bulls are in today as we write this. We did have a tiny bit of trouble with lice in the fall but we were able to get it cleared up fairly quickly, but as a result the bulls did get some missing hair patches on them. We were doing really good keeping our bulls tag free until the first part of January when we had guite a bit of warm weather and rain as a result our bulls were packing a bit more tag then we would have liked for the pictures and videos. Overall though we are very hap-

py with their growth, body condition, structure and temperaments. We have gone through our bull pen very hard and picked only the best ones to market as bulls. We are very excited to offer these 16 bulls for our sale this year. Our bulls are long yearlings, we do not allow anyone to come purchase bulls out of the pen before our sale. So everyone has an equal opportunity at the cream of the crop.

Being in the Angus business for close to 30 years we have seen some difficult times, some good times, and some very good times. As you all know we have never seen the cattle market where it is today, and it is so great to see, we hope it lasts for many years to come! Just because the market is high doesn't mean it changes any of our standards. We still strive to keep a strong program going to maintain a strong cowherd and bulls that work with high expectations. The standards have worked for us and it will work for you, our cowherd is not pampered or treated special and they are not given a second chance if there is a problem. We feel strongly in these principles: cows must pay their way, they must have good feet and legs and solid udders. They must bring a calf in every year, and perform well doing so, they also must be a pleasure to work with. We expect the same from our bulls. We feel if they do not have these qualifications they are not going to work for us and if it doesn't work for us it doesn't work for you.

Just as we did last year we will have BC Livestock representatives come out and look at our bulls before the sale so there is a thirdparty opinion. Please feel free to take advantage of this service and call them directly to discuss your needs. Our bulls are easily accessible for viewing so you are more than welcome to come view them yourself, the coffee pot is always on! Thank you again to everyone for their support over the years, and we look forward to doing business with you in the future.

Matt & Karen Taylor

Viewing:

We welcome shoppers to come view our bulls directly at our ranch in Smithers, BC. We ask you call ahead to book a viewing time to ensure we are available to give you a thorough tour. The coffee pot will be on! Anyone that views our bulls at the farm prior to the sale will be entered into a draw to win a freezer pack of 10 government inspected roasting chickens!

Directions:

From Highway 16 turn on to Old Babine Lake Rd. after the small bridge turn left onto Snake Rd. then go 3.8km to our Cattle Yard on the left hand side of the road.

Local Accommodation:

Sunshine Inn: 250 847 6668 Sandman Inn: 250 847 2637 Hudson Bay Lodge: 250 847 4581 Aspen Motor Inn: 250 847 4551

Delivery:

Bulls are located in Smithers, BC and can be picked up directly at our ranch.

We will provide delivery to the Vanderhoof and Williams Lake BC Livestock yards free of charge, on a date that best fits our schedule. We will work with customers outside of these

areas to help organize timely and cost affective transport.

If you have any questions about delivery please contact us prior to the sale.

Boarding:

Bulls are welcome to stay free of charge for the first month. Bulls will then be boarding at a charge of \$5/head/day. We insist that all bulls staying after the sale have insurance on them while at our location. Insurance can be purchased through BC Livestock.

Pictures & Videos:

Taken Jan. 24/25. Videos can be viewed on BC Livestock/NextLot website or on our "Matt's Red Angus" Facebook page.

3rd Party Viewing and Bidding:

The sales staff from BC Livestock will walk this sale pen prior to the sale and are able to offer you a confidential objective opinion. They are able to assist you online or bid on your behalf through the NextLot system.



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Bidding Opens: March 15, 2025 7:00 Am

Close Out Time: March 15, 2025 7:00 PM

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Complete your buyer's profile with your cell phone number and/or email address and the system will send you a text message and/or email to alert you that you have been outbid.

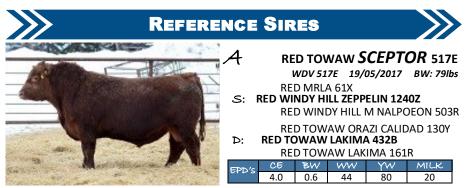
No sale order. Bulls will be listed in catalogue order and you are free to browse the entire offering at once. Bids may be placed on any lot before the sale closes.

MAX BID OPTION: Enter a confidential maximum bid on any lot and have the system bid on your behalf. You will be notified if you have been outbid. In the event that two bidders enter the same max bid, the bidder who enters their max bid first will be considered the successful bidder and the second bidder will be notified and need to increase their bid.

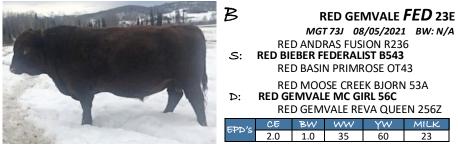
RACEHORSE STYLE SALE CLOSE: Racehorse style sale close. Luxury of more time to make a decision and freedom move to another lot if you are outbid. If there is any bidding within 3 minutes of the sale close time, the sale will be extended for another 3 minutes. This gives the bidders opportunity to bid again on the same bull they may have been outbid on, or go bid on another bull. Bidding will be extended by 3 minutes each time there is a bid until there has been no bidding activity for 3 minutes, at which time the sale will be declared closed. Successful buyers will be notified and invoiced by BC Livestock Co-op Staff.

IF YOU NEED BIDDING ASSISTANCE PLEASE CONTACT ANY OF THE SALES' STAFF TO HAVE THEM CONFIDENTIALLY BID ON YOUR BEHALF!





517E was purchased in 2017 from Towaw Cattle Company. He is quite intriguing with tons of middle and power combined with just a 79 pound birth weight. His moderate to smaller frame caught our eye. We agree with Towaw when they said 517E has more presence than a spoiled kid on Christmas morning! He is sharp and eye catching.



Fed 23E is our mature herd sire we have nicknamed Dawson, because he was purchased from Gemvale Farm's dispersal sale in Dawson Creek. We purchased him as a calf and he has grown into a pretty impressive, moderate framed, thick herd sire. We have used him on our heifers and he performs well. The birth weights of his calves have averaged 73 lbs the last four years.

Matt's Red Angus Online Bull Sale Warranty:

We stand behind our breeding program and guarantee to sell you a bull that is structurally sound, and a bull that has passed a semen test conducted by a licenced veterinarian.

Should any animal fail to be a satisfactory breeder, he will be replaced with a bull of equal value or in the event that that this is not possible a value adjustment will be made and you will receive a credit towards a purchase of a bull at our next sale. Under no circumstance will the credit exceed the amount of the original purchased bull.

We guarantee your bull will arrive sound and healthy. However, we will not provide replacements free of cost if your purchase becomes injured or ill due to mismanagement after you take possession. With this in mind we stress the importance of insurance on your bulls. Should you have any problems with your purchases, please call us right away, We will work with you to make sure you are satisfied!







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	6/04/23	78 _{lb}	635 _{lb}	1275 _{lb}	1520 _{lb}
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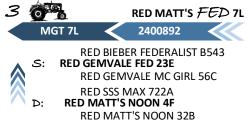
2	RED MATT'S SCEPTOR 5L
	MGT 5L 2400890
S:	RED WINDY HILL ZEPPELIN 1240Z RED TOWAW SCEPTOR 517E RED TOWAW LAKIMA 432B
Þ:	RED BAR-E-L TIE BREAKER 14T RED MATT'S NORTHSTAR 20B RED MATT'S NORTHSTAR 10W

DOB	BW	WW	Υw	Dec. 23/24
12/04/23	80 _{lb}	510 _{lb}	1095 _{lb}	1300 _{lb}

5L is a moderate framed bull and has a moderate birth weight of 80 pounds. In our opinion he will be a great multipurpose bull for your herd.







DOB	BW	WW	YW	Dec. 23/24
16/04/23	70 _{lb}	660 _{lb}	1280 _{lb}	1450 _{lb}

Here is an eye appealing bull with a birth weight of 70 pounds. He is built with smooth shoulders and would make an excellent heifer bull prospect.

4	RED MATT'S SCEPTOR 21L
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S:	RED WINDY HILL ZEPPELIN 1240Z RED TOWAW SCEPTOR 517E RED TOWAW LAKIMA 432B
D:	RED BAR-E-L TIE BREAKER 14T RED MATT'S PRIDE 17B RED MATT'S PRIDE 8W

DOB	BW	WW	Υw	Dec. 23/24
24/04/23	88 _{lb}	565 _{lb}	1150 _{lb}	1410 _{lb}

Moderate framed bull with lots of stretch to him. He has a great top line and we feel that he is a great prospect for an all around bull.







DOB	BW	WW	YW	Dec. 23/24
25/04/23	70 _{lb}	555 _{lb}	1040 _{lb}	1230 _{lb}

This guy ties with Lot #3 for having the lowest birth weight in this years sale pen. He has a small head and clean shoulders. He is a fantastic candidate for a heifer bull.

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	MGT 25L 2400893	
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DOB	BW	WW	ΥW	Dec. 23/24
25/04/23	98 _{lb}	580 _{lb}	1200 _{lb}	1415 _{lb}

This Sceptor son is a great duplicate of his Sire. He has lots of power, plenty of thickness and depth to him. He will pass on his great performance to his calf crop.







DOB	BW	ww	YW	Dec. 23/24
26/04/23	96 _{lb}	655 _{lb}	1275 _{lb}	1455 _{lb}

This bull has lots of power with plenty of thickness and depth to him. He has an eye catching middle third and will add lots of growth to your future calf crops.

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DOB	BW	WW	YW	Dec. 23/24
26/04/23	72 _{lb}	600 _{lb}	1180 _{lb}	1280 _{lb}

Here is an excellent heifer bull with a 72 pound birth weight. He is built with a small head and very clean and smooth shoulders.







DOB	BW	WW	YW	Dec. 23/24
27/04/23	78 _{lb}	530 _{lb}	1170 _{lb}	1315 _{lb}

31L has a very smooth front end with small head and lower birth weight. This bull is an excellent choice to use on heifers.

10	RED MATT'S SCEPTOR 41L
	MGT 41L 0000000
s:	RED WINDY HILL ZEPPELIN 1240Z RED TOWAW SCEPTOR 517E RED TOWAW LAKIMA 432B
Þ:	RED GEMVALE FED 23E RED MATT'S MS PRIDE 76G RED MATT'S MS PRIDE 53E

DOB	BW	WW	ΥW	Dec. 23/24
29/04/23	85 _{lb}	560 _{lb}	1290 _{lb}	1400 _{lb}

This easy keeper, moderate framed bull has lots of depth and stretch to him. He has a great top line and we feel he is a great prospect for an all around bull.







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Lots of power with plenty of thickness and depth in this bull. He has an eye catching middle third which will add lots of growth and shape to his future calf crops.

12	TED MATT'S SCEPTOR 50L
	MGT 50L 2400899
S:	RED WINDY HILL ZEPPELIN 1240Z RED TOWAW SCEPTOR 517E RED TOWAW LAKIMA 432B
D:	RED BAR-E-L TIE BREAKER 14T RED MATT'S NORTHSTAR 11A RED MATT'S NORTHSTAR 115R

DOB	BW	WW	ΥW	Dec. 23/24
30/04/23	83 _{lb}	610 _{lb}	1210 _{lb}	1415 _{lb}

Moderately framed bull with a moderate birth weight to match. In our opinion he will be a great multipurpose bull to use on your whole herd.







DOB	BW	WW	YW	Dec. 23/24
02/05/23	83 _{lb}	600 _{lb}	-	1250 _{lb}

Here is another great Fed son which has a smaller head and evenly proportioned body. He would be a great candidate for a dual purpose bull. Used for light breeding in 2024, proven bull, knows his job!

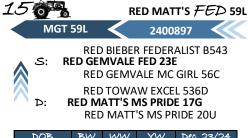
14	RED MATT'S SCEPTOR 57L
	MGT 57L 2400900
S:	RED WINDY HILL ZEPPELIN 1240Z RED TOWAW SCEPTOR 517E RED TOWAW LAKIMA 432B
Þ:	RED BAR-E-L TIE BREAKER 14T RED MATT'S BLUE HAN 21Z RED MATT'S BLUE HAN 9U

DOB	BW	WW	Υw	Dec. 23/24
03/05/23	79 _{lb}	625 _{lb}	1300 _{lb}	1475 _{lb}

With this bulls' combination of smooth front, small head, low birth weight and well balanced middle, we feel he will do excellent being used on heifers.







DOB	BW		Υw	Dec. 23/24
03/05/23	74 _{lb}	550 _{lb}	1100 _{lb}	1250 _{lb}
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Smaller framed bull with smooth shoulders and a 74 pound birth weight. We feel this bull can be used on heiters with great confidence!

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DOB	BW	WW	ΥW	Dec. 23/24
15/05/23	89 _{lb}	575 _{lb}	1200 _{lb}	1410 _{lb}

This dark cherry red bull is very smooth looking. He is medium framed and equally proportioned. He is a great candidate for younger or smaller framed cows.



THANK YOU FROM MATT'S RED ANGUS TO OUR 2024 BULL CUSTOMERS:

* REPEAT BUYER + MULTIPLE BUYER Jon Seinen Snake Bite Ranch * Traugott Klein * Fritz Walther + Shauna Jacobsen Eli and Terra Hatch Mark Coxon Martin and Linda Dykens * Vern Reimer * Peter Sturzenegger * Nageli Farms*





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Terms and conditions:

- All purchases shall be paid in full to BC livestock by cash, cheque or online payment in Canadian funds unless other arrangements been made with BC livestock prior to the sale.

- All announcements or corrections posted on NextLot at the time of sale take precedence over the catalogue. -No Buyers Fee.

-A certificate of registration will be transferred to the new buyer after the purchase has been paid in full. -All bulls will be semen tested prior to the sale and the purchaser will get at copy of the semen certificate. Certificate will accompany the bull at the time of delivery. -No Bulls are offered for Private Treaty before sale close out.

Performance Information:

Weaning Weights taken: December 2023 Yearling Weights taken: September 2024

HISTORY:

Being raised on the family's commercial cattle operation in Smithers and being deeply involved with 4H from a young age a strong passion for raising cattle was permanently instilled. I purchased my first purebred cow from my brother, who had started a small purebred herd in 4H. A few years later in 1995 I was able to buy him out completely and Matt's Red Angus was officially created.

In the fall of 1999 I was able to buyout another heard, Tyee Red Angus from Smithers, BC. The following spring I consigned bulls for the first time to the Vanderhoof All Breeds Bull Sale (and then consigned continuously for many years.) In 2003 in the middle of BSE I made a crazy move and bought another purebred herd from AW Angus in Prince George, BC. The fol-

lowing spring with BSE still looming over the industry, I went to the Vanderhoof bull sale and sadly returned home with the same ones I went with. I quickly realized it was time to seek a broader market if I was going to survive in the record low times. So in 2005 I attended my first Williams Lake bull sale, it was a great fit, and from then on we used these two sales as our main market as well as selling privately off the farm.

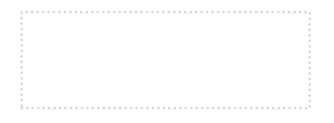
In 2015 I expanded and bought another Farm a mile up the road from the family's original operation greatly expanding our land base. That same year I met my wonderful wife Karen and we were married the following spring. Today we are running around 90 purebred cows and a small commercial cattle herd, we have also diversified into a successful pork and poultry operation.



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