



Arthur Sale Barn Hay Auction - Arthur, IL

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Hay Auction Weighted Average Report for 9/18/2023 - Final

Hay Auction

	This Week	Last Reported (9/11/2023)	Last Year
Bales:			
Hay	209	664	1202
Straw	0	20	45
Total	209	684	1247

Compared to last week, comparable hays in small squares traded steady to as much as 4.00 per bale higher. Comparable hays in large packages sold 20.00 to 40.00 per bale higher.
No wheat straw offered today, Trade was active with good demand on a light supply.

Hay (Conventional)

Alfalfa - Premium (Per Bale)

	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u>
Large Square 3x4	20	90.00-95.00	92.50		
Small Square	35	8.50-8.75	8.64		

Alfalfa/Grass Mix - Premium (Per Bale)

	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u>
Small Square	32	8.50-9.25	8.83		

Alfalfa/Orchard Mix - Good (Per Bale)

	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u>
Large Square 3x4	10	40.00-65.00	60.00		

Clover/Grass Mix - Premium (Per Bale)

	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u>
Small Square	60	6.25-6.50	6.38		



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Clover/Grass Mix - Good (Per Bale)

	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u>
Large Round	7	30.00	30.00		
Small Square	10	5.50	5.50		

Mixed Grass - Good (Per Bale)

	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u>
Large Round	22	35.00-70.00	60.45		

Mixed Grass - Fair/Good (Per Bale)

	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u>
Large Round	4	25.00	25.00		

Orchard Grass - Premium (Per Bale)

	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u>
Small Square	9	5.50	5.50		

Click here for more information on Hay Quality Designation Guidelines

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