



Pipestone Hay and Straw Auction - Pipestone, MN

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Hay Auction Weighted Average Report for 8/4/2026 - Final

Hay Auction

	This Week	Last Reported (7/28/2026)	Last Year (8/5/2025)
Tons:			
Hay	282	351	258
Total	282	351	258
Bales:			
Hay	206	157	112
Straw	988	223	214
Total	1194	380	326

Hay (Conventional)

Alfalfa - Good (Per Ton)

	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u>
Large Round	57.90	135.00-230.00	185.18		

Alfalfa - Fair (Per Ton)

	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u>
Large Round	19.40	75.00-120.00	105.57		

Alfalfa/Forage Mix - Fair (Per Ton)

	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u>
Large Round	8.00	100.00	100.00		

Alfalfa/Grass Mix - Good (Per Ton)

	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u>
Large Round	18.50	130.00-220.00	159.84		



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Alfalfa/Grass Mix - Utility (Per Ton)

	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u>
Large Round	7.20	50.00	50.00		

Grass - Good (Per Ton)

	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u>
Large Round	8.40	130.00	130.00		

Grass - Fair (Per Ton)

	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u>
Large Round	143.80	70.00-135.00	106.18		

Grass - Fair (Per Bale)

	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u>
Small Square	206.00	3.25-3.75	3.49		

Grass - Utility (Per Ton)

	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u>
Large Round	18.90	50.00-65.00	57.70		

Straw (Conventional)

Oat - (Per Bale)

	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u>
Small Square	988.00	3.50-5.00	4.49		

Click here for more information on Hay Quality Designation Guidelines

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Click here for Hay glossary of terms

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Please Note:

The above USDA LPGMN price report is reflective of the majority of classes and quality of hay offered for sale. There may be instances where some sales do not fit within reporting guidelines and therefore will not be included in the report. Prices are reported on an FOB basis, unless otherwise noted.