# The Bear Creek Cattle Bulletin Fall 2025

## What's happening at the ranch...

Fall is here....this is the time of year when we put up the hay that will feed the cows and horses all winter, we put the equipment away, and get everything ready for winter. We have had a long and mild fall, so we have been able to complete a lot of projects!

This year, we were blessed again to see the Northern Lights! They were incredible. Did you know that the colors you see are based on gases in the atmosphere and the altitude?

Green: this is the most frequent color and is seen when solar particles collide with oxygen molecules at lower altitudes.

Red: Caused by collision with oxygen molecules at higher altitudes (>150 miles)

Pink/Purple: The result of a collision with nitrogen molecules.

Blue: created when solar wind reacts with nitrogen.

### Looking north...what a display of nature at its finest

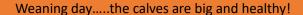


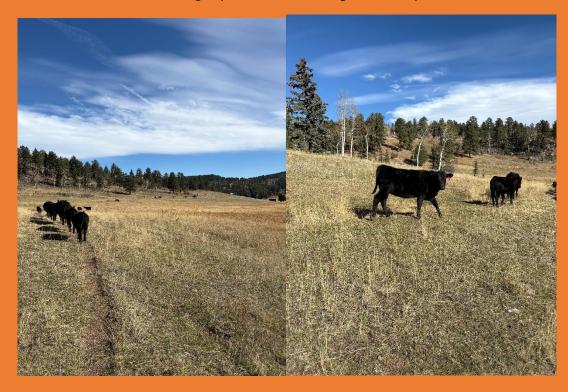
## Hay days....



#### Cattle...

Fall also means weaning! By this time of year, our calves are big (>500#) and ready to be on their own! Even their mothers are ready for a break! Weaning is important, as the mama cows are pregnant and need to use their energy to feed themselves and the new baby they are growing. Plus, when the calf is almost as tall as their mama, it's time they are separated! We had a great calf crop this year, so next year we will be able to serve even more customers... from the ranch to your table! Natural beef raised and cared for right here in Evergreen!





# The beauty of the mountains....



Fall means winter is coming, and it can be cold and dark for what seems like a long time, but we are excited for 2026....and all the amazing things it will bring.

Remember Red Bull? Well, he was 100% successful with the mamas! We will have many black/white faced babies ("baldys") in the Spring!



Red Bull as a babysitter

Each season brings us time to reflect on how fortunate we are and to see God's gifts all around us. Let us never forget to be thankful for it all!

Thank you for your business and for checking out what we are up to! Happy trails...and blessings to you all!

