



# Swan Hill Regional Livestock Exchange

PRIME CATTLE MARKET REPORT 12<sup>th</sup> October 2017

Swan Hill Regional Livestock Exchange held its fortnightly Prime Cattle sale with a larger yarding of 989 head offered.

A mixed yarding of cattle sold to stronger competition from previous fortnight's sale, with the better quality attracting the most interest amongst those buyers trying to secure numbers. The plainer type cattle remained firm from last sale.

Cows sold firm, with the better grades making 230c/kg with the majority ranging from 210 – 225c/kg. An exceptional line of grain fed cattle sold 10 – 15c/kg dearer, with the lighter range being up to 20c/kg dearer.

Well finished trade cattle where 5–15c/kg dearer and vealer cattle also finished 5 –10c/kg dearer.

## Quotations:

Category	Weight Range	Average	Top	Top pen presented by	Origin
<b>Vealer Steers</b>	Up to 200kg:	197.8	245.2	Windalle P/L	Menindee
	200 to 280kg:	236.6	305.0	J & F Robertson	Broken Hill
	280 to 330kg:	208.6	325.0	S Martin	Norong
	Over 330kg:	236.9	292.0	Hazlewood Nominees	Balranald
<b>Vealer Heifers</b>	280 to 330kg:	273.1	292.6	S Martin	Norong
	Over 330kg:	291.6	297.6	S Martin	Norong
<b>Yearling Steers</b>	330 to 400kg:	279.8	326.6	N & D Edgar	Swan Hill
	400 to 500kg:	270.8	323.6	N & D Edgar	Swan Hill
	500 to 600kg:	248.6	293.6	Pental Island	Pental Island
	Over 600kg:	245.0	260.0	J Lynch	Kerang
<b>Yearling Heifers</b>	Up to 330kg:	264.6	311.0	R Plant	Manangatang
	330 to 400kg:	271.8	325.6	Warrawee Pastoral	Kyalite
	Over 400kg:	269.2	290.0	DK Gray	Meringura
<b>Heavy Trade Steers</b>	Up to 330kg:	231.1	256.6	Windalle P/L	Menindee
	330 to 400kg:	259.8	272.6	Windalle P/L	Menindee
	400 to 500kg:	288.3	299.6	P Oliver	Echuca
	500 to 600kg:	280.7	299.6	D Gray	Meringur
	Over 600kg:	269.1	278.0	Hazlewood Nominees	Balranald
<b>Heavy Trade Heifers</b>	400 to 500kg	275.9	286.6	B & T Goble	Koondrook
<b>Grain Fed Steers</b>	330 to 400kg:	185.2	222.0	Benetook Farms	Mittyack
	400 to 500kg:	287.2	310.6	Benetook Farms	Mittyack
	500 to 600kg:	286.3	293.6	PF, AC & MW Shultz	Ouyen
<b>Grain Fed Heifers</b>	330 to 400kg:	243.8	255.0	Benetook Farms	Mittyack
	400 to 500kg:	275.2	300.6	PF, AC & MW Shultz	Ouyen
	500 to 600kg:	250.5	255.0	Benetook Farms	Mittyack
<b>Cows</b>	Up to 400kg:	164.2	207.6	IH Clarke	Tooleybuc
	400 to 500kg:	167.6	252.6	D Schilling	Meringur
	Over 520kg:	222.8	256.6	D Schilling	Meringur

Note: Next week is our regular prime sheep sale on Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> October at 1:00pm and next fortnightly prime cattle sale on Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> October starting at 7:30am.