



# Swan Hill Regional Livestock Exchange

PRIME CATTLE MARKET REPORT 9<sup>th</sup> November 2017

Swan Hill Regional Livestock Exchange held its fortnightly Prime Cattle sale yarding 1040 head. Due to harvest operations supply is starting ease after a few big sales in previous months.

Prices held very solid, with all categories remaining firm on the previous sale. Store prices lifted slightly by 5c/kg due mainly to quality.

The addition of a lot feeder from Queensland and the absence of two major heavy exporters saw only a partial affect on a few heavy lines of plainer type steers. Better quality steer prices remained firm.

We saw strong demand for some store cattle that came out of Broken Hill as well as some successful bidding from both local and outside our area agents.

## Quotations:

Category	Weight Range	Average	Top	Top pen presented by	Origin
<b>Calves</b>	Up to 80kg:	303.9	360.0	Mutooroo Pastoral Co Raztrans P/L	Cockburn Wakool
	Over 80kg:	331.5	394.6		
<b>Vealer Steers</b>	Up to 200kg:	325.0	351.6	Mutooroo Pastoral Co DT Hickey FG Collins Hodgson Aviation P/L	Cockburn Natya Bridgewater Maude
	200 to 280kg:	273.8	325.6		
	280 to 330kg:	283.1	338.0		
	Over 330kg:	294.7	343.6		
<b>Vealer Heifers</b>	280 to 330kg:	308.5	333.0	DT Hickey DT Hickey	Natya Natya
	Over 330kg:	289.1	330.0		
<b>Yearling Steers</b>	Up to 330kg:	280.5	329.6	Harrison & Son JJ & E Whelan GM Gorey R Tong Tamarna P/L	Broken Hill Koondrook Barham Wakool Swan Hill
	330 to 400kg:	289.0	317.6		
	400 to 500kg:	291.4	338.6		
	500 to 600kg:	280.8	295.0		
	Over 600kg:	260.6	275.0		
<b>Yearling Heifers</b>	Up to 330kg:	264.5	318.6	Harrison & Son LC & SM Martin LC & SM Martin	Broken Hill Brim Brim
	330 to 400kg:	277.5	337.6		
	Over 400kg:	275.1	344.6		
<b>Heavy Trade Steers</b>	Up to 330kg:	259.0	272.2	Mutooroo Pastoral Co ZM Harris Raztrans P/L L Kuno	Cockburn Ivanhoe Wakool Wakool
	400 to 500kg:	288.2	308.6		
	500 to 600kg:	280.8	298.6		
	Over 600kg:	263.5	282.0		
<b>Heavy Trade Heifers</b>	330 to 400kg:	272.9	306.6	DM Findlay KT & VA Ayars Raztrans P/L Raztrans P/L	Mellool Swan Hill Wakool Wakool
	400 to 500kg:	265.7	319.6		
	500 to 600kg:	268.7	282.0		
	Over 600kg:	248.5	250.6		
<b>Grain Fed Steers</b>	330 to 400kg:	257.6	335.0	KT & VA Ayars KT & VA Ayars	Swan Hill Swan Hill
	400 to 500kg:	298.9	332.6		
<b>Grain Fed Heifers</b>	330 to 400kg:	292.9	308.0	CI Fisher	Yaapeet
<b>Cows</b>	400 to 520kg:	223.5	270.0	Stratton Meadows Stratton Meadows	Speed Speed
	Over 520kg:	232.2	264.6		

**Note: Next fortnightly prime cattle sale will be on Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> November starting at 7:30am.**