

Swan Hill Regional Livestock Exchange

PRIME CATTLE MARKET REPORT 4TH FEBRUARY

Agents this week yarded an increased number of cattle at just over 1200 head. The regular following of processors and lot feeders were in attendance along with some extra competition from restockers. However, the majority of the yarding was sold to processors.

A good supply of quality heavy cattle, with the majority being sourced locally and from Mildura area saw prices increase by 4 to 5c/kg, however plainer yearling cattle remained firm on last fortnight's rates. Better quality vealers sold to strong demand remaining firm to slightly dearer and secondary vealers stayed firm. An increased demand of cows and heavy heifer this sale saw prices increase by 10 to 15c/kg with heavy heifer showing the most improvement. Limited supply of store cattle available met strong competition increasing by 5 to 8c/kg and purchased locally.

Quotations:

Category	Weight Range	Average	Тор	Top pen presented by	Origin
Vealer Steers	200 to 280kg:	284.3	320.6	A Amos	Sea Lake
	280 to 330kg:	282.8	306.6	LR & NG Finch	Balranald
	Over 330kg:	292.8	317.6	GL & EM Pickering	Murraydale
Vealer Heifers	Up to 200kg:	323.5	329.6	A Amos	Sea Lake
	200 to 280kg:	274.2	290.0	L & R Huf	Hopetoun
	280 to 330kg:	304.9	315.0	GG & SJ Trigg	Ouyen
	Over 330kg:	278.6	314.0	IH & CM Clarke	Tooleybuc
Yearling Steers	Up to 330kg:	281.4	320.6	G & S Bennett	Castle Donington
	330 to 400kg:	290.6	311.6	KT & VA Ayars	Swan Hill
	400 to 500kg:	292.2	314.6	GH JA & J Allen	Koraleigh
	500 to 600kg:	281.9	292.0	Harris Harvesting Pty Ltd	Moulamein
	Over 600kg:	284.3	293.6	Moulamein Football Club	Moulamein
Yearling Heifers	Up to 330kg:	276.3	310.0	TR FM & NJ Hiscock	Netherby
	330 to 400kg:	284.2	313.6	N & D Edgar	Swan Hill
	Over 400kg:	278.7	310.0	RM Collett & Sons	Nangiloc
Heavy Trade Steers	330 to 400kg:	192.7	255.0	Delta Farms Pty Ltd	Swan Hill
	400 to 500kg:	286.2	310.0	R Lamattina	Wemen
	500 to 600kg:	281.1	289.6	Riverton Lodge PTY LTD	Barham
	Over 600kg:	281.3	281.6	Erhardt Partners	Ouyen
Heavy Trade Heifers	330 to 400kg:	248.8	280.0	Tamarna Pty Ltd	Swan Hill
	400 to 500kg:	280.2	289.6	Riverton Lodge PTY LTD	Barham
	500 to 600kg:	269.0	272.0	Tamarna Pty Ltd	Swan Hill
Calves	Up to 80kg:	280.8	315.6	Interline Australia	Swan Hill
	Over 80kg:	306.6	379.2	A Amos	Sea Lake
Cows	Up to 400kg:	187.8	248.6	Mott Pastoral Co	Speed
	400 to 520kg:	213.2	273.6	Coleraine Pty LTd	Wentworth
	Over 520kg:	231.3	270.6	J & K Lolicato	Barham

Note: Next week is our regular prime sheep sale on Thursday 11th February at 1:00pm and next fortnightly prime cattle sale on Thursday 18th February staring at 7:30am.