



# Swan Hill Regional Livestock Exchange

PRIME CATTLE MARKET REPORT 4<sup>th</sup> AUGUST 2016

With producers unable to get numbers in due to widespread rainfall in the region, the Swan Hill Regional Livestock Exchange prime cattle sale on Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> August saw the smallest cattle sale in over 12 months, reaching 470 head. A very good run of trade cattle were on offer with small numbers of export cattle penned.

Trade cattle saw prices increase by 10 to 20c/kg mainly ranging between 370 to 391c/kg for the best quality. A short supply of bullocks met reduced rates of 5 to 10c/kg with the absence of one supermarket and export processor. Cows met improved prices of 10 to 15c/kg topping at 300c/kg and heavy bulls sold up to rates of 295c/kg.



*Peter Vernon and Wayne Cheeseman pictured with Peter's limousim/shorthorn grainfed steers between 500 to 600kg topping the market a 381.6c/kg*

## Quotations:

Category	Weight Range	Average	Top	Top pen presented by	Origin
Vealer Steers	200 to 280kg:	361.8	382.6	J & E Whelan	Koondrook
	280 to 330kg:	353.9	373.0	JW & KM Pickering	Meringur
	Over 330kg:	373.8	375.0	BG & PR Neville	Moulamein
Vealer Heifers	Up to 200kg:	305.0	322.0	MG & MF Haeusler	Swan Hill
	200 to 280kg:	304.9	310.0	G Devereux	Swan Hill
	Over 300kg:	356.0	358.6	IR & JR Dodgshun	Speewa
Yearling Steers	Up to 330kg:	317.6	385.6	J & E Whelan	Koondrook
	330 to 400kg:	355.6	386.0	CJ, AM, CA, & LM Hunt	Wargan
	400 to 500kg:	367.7	390.6	BP & DM Barry	Manangatang
	500 to 600kg:	371.9	385.0	WB Bennett	Moulamein
	Over 600kg:	344.9	350.0	C Greenham	Goshen
Yearling Heifers	Up to 330kg:	353.5	388.0	JD & ME Donnan	Swan Hill
	330 to 400kg:	357.6	383.6	C Greenham	Goshen
	Over 400kg:	336.8	378.0	DA & JA Brawn	Pental Island
Grain Fed Steers	400 to 500kg:	380.0	388.0	PF, AC & WM Schultz	Ouyen
	500 to 600kg:	375.0	381.6	P Vernon	Vinifera
Cows	400 to 520kg:	244.4	331.6	Willgrow	Balranald
	Over 520kg:	267.3	319.6	GH & JA Allen	Koraleigh
Bulls	Up to 450kg:	177.7	190.0	Glowrey Family Trust	Swan Hill
	Over 520kg:	236.7	295.0	PD & MK Christie	Manangatang

Note: Next week is our regular prime sheep sale on Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> August at 1:00pm and next fortnightly prime cattle sale on 18<sup>th</sup> August starting at 7:30am.

**Swan Hill Associated Agents will be holding their annual Special Sheep Sale on Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> September starting at 12:30pm and Friday 30<sup>th</sup> September starting at 10:00am for more please information contact your prefer local agent.**