



Swan Hill Regional Livestock Exchange

Prime Sheep Sale 25th February 2016

Swan Hill Regional Livestock Exchange prime lamb and sheep market on Thursday 25th February saw an increased number of sheep yarded from previous fortnight's sale.

All regular processors operated as normal, with one new processor in attendance buying mutton.

Weights eased across all grades, the supply of cross bred lambs decreased slightly.

Supplementary fed lambs sold firm, as did irrigated lambs. Merino lambs sold better due to skin tender price. Hoggets firm to stronger again due to skin prices. Mutton stronger all round with some lines exceeding \$112.00 per head.

Trade lambs overall held firm with heavy export firm to slightly better from last fortnight's quotations.

Quotations:

Sheep Class	Price Range	Top Producers
Heavy Export Lambs	\$155 - \$176	\$176 – Kookimba Pty Ltd, Manangatang \$173 – Minlaton Pty Ltd, Lalbert \$168 – PA Rogers, Vinifera \$161 – GL & EM Pickering, Murraydale \$158 – Tippetts Scrub Hill, Kyalite
Trade Lambs	\$120 - \$142	\$142 – Tippetts Scrub Hill, Kyalite \$137 – JM & CM White, Towaninnie \$137 – GL & M Ritchie, Stony Crossing \$136 – JA & A McIntyre, Lalbert
Prime Light Lambs	\$100 - \$122	\$150 – L Walters, Kerang
Dorper Lambs	\$130 - \$150	\$134 – M Kayne, Balranald \$130 – C Power, Swan Hill
Merino Lambs	\$95 - \$136	\$136 – M Curran, Nyah West \$128 – RJ & CM White, Towaninnie \$124 – PH & AS Vrolijk, Tyntynder \$124.60 – JC Dalrymple Goshen
Hoggets	\$90 - \$112	\$112 – RH & LJ Chalmers, Barham \$110 – M & B Nalder, Mallan \$108 – R Thompson, Speewa \$105 – Oxley Rural Pty Ltd, Pental Island
Mutton	\$95 - \$108	\$108 – A Uebergang, Swan Hill \$108 – M & B Nalder, Mallan \$107 – Wayam Pastoral Pty Ltd, Mellool \$106 – GJ & DA Haywood

Note: Our next prime cattle sale will be on Thursday 3rd March at 7:30am and the next prime sheep sale on 10th March starting at 1:00pm.