Swan Hill Regional Livestock Exchange Prime Sheep & Lamb Sale 1st November 2018

This week saw Agents combine our last fat sale of the year with a store sale, yarding a total of 19770 head. The top pens of Store Merino Ewe's, 2017 drop, made to \$220/head. A drop in demand created a weaker sale overall, with prices ranging from \$10 to \$20/head lower for light to light trade weight lambs, and the heavy to medium lambs selling \$20 to \$30/head cheaper than last fortnights quotations.

Mutton supply lifted, quality was mixed, although on average the offering did show more cover, with majority shorn Merino's. Prices were weaker on last week for the heavy and medium weight sheep as they sold \$10 to \$20/head cheaper, with the light sheep a few dollars easier

Quotations:

Sheep Class	Price Range	Top Producers
Export Lambs	\$120 - \$171	\$171 – JD Boyle - Murraydale \$160 – JJ Ficken - Barham \$158 – Neil Rose – Kerang \$149 – P Chisholm – Swan Hill \$140 – K & J Overall – Lascelles \$139 – S & H Grant – Manangatang \$128 – S & H Grant – Manangatang
Trade Lambs	\$100 - \$158	\$158 – D & P Hickey – Tooleybuc \$147 – W Ritchie – Swan Hill \$140 – MW Silvester – Mystic Park \$125 – Meilman Pastoral – Euston \$118 – N & M Caffrey – Beverford \$115 – Scotsburn St Pauls – Balranald \$114 – Jenames Pty Ltd - Berriwillock
Prime Light	\$110 - \$135	\$135 – N McDonald - Murrabit
Merino Lambs	\$100 - \$144	\$144 – N Rowney – Lascelles \$118 – TE Smith - Pooncarie
Dorper Lambs	\$100 - \$136	\$136 – J & L Ablett – Boeill Creek \$131 – Alladawe Farm – Sea Lake \$125 – CJT – Murray Downs \$118 – N & M Caffrey – Beverford \$106 – S Sos - Karapoc
Hoggets	\$110 - \$154	\$154 – I & K Gibson - Moulamein \$140 – K & J Overall – Lascelles \$139 – S & H Grant – Manangatang \$133 – Archard Farms - Mellool
Suckers	\$85 - \$146	\$146 – N&J Thomas – Braham \$142 – D & B Jobling – Lalbert \$129 – N & J Thomas - Barham
Mutton	\$85 ⁻ \$124	\$124 – J & C Pay – Quambatook \$123 – I & K Gibson - Moulamein \$115 – RiverFarms – Swan Hill \$114 – Northdale – Moulamein \$111 – P & F Robertson – Mellool \$111 – TA Connor – Boundary Bend \$108 – D & J Brawn – Pental Island

Note: Our next prime sheep sale will be on Thursday 24th January at 12.30pm Our next Cattle sale is Thursday 8th November commencing at 7:30am.