



# Swan Hill Regional Livestock Exchange

PRIME CATTLE MARKET REPORT 17<sup>th</sup> March 2016

Swan Hill Regional Livestock Exchange hosted its fortnightly prime cattle market on Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> March with agents yarding 1270 head, a similar sized yarding to a fortnight ago. Overall, the good quality yarding saw most weights and grades sell to solid demand with prices improving by 5 to 8c/kg.

A larger yarding of cows met strong competition with heavy well covered cows weighing up to 700kg making up to 253c/kg. A limited supply of bullocks and heavy grainfed cattle sold firm to 5c/kg dearer than last sale.

An excellent line up of store and feeder cattle met spirited demand with well bred, good quality calves improving by 25c/kg. The highlight of the sale was Euro cross calves weighing between 150 to 200kg making up to 432.6c/kg.

## Quotations:

Category	Weight Range	Average	Top	Top pen presented by	Origin
<b>Vealer Steers</b>	Up to 200kg:	362.4	401.6	FJ & NJ Hlland	Patchewollock
	200 to 280kg:	308.3	323.6	FJ & NJ Hlland	Patchewollock
	280 to 330kg:	312.5	330.0	Magns Gibson Pastoral	Ouyen
	Over 330kg:	312.0	328.6	Ormonde Farms Pty Ltd	Berriwillock
<b>Vealer Heifers</b>	Up to 200kg:	393.0	432.6	Allanco Pty Ltd	Sea Lake
	200 to 280kg:	310.4	326.0	FJ & NJ Hlland	Patchewollock
	280 to 330kg:	308.5	330.0	Magns Pastoral	Ouyen
	Over 330kg:	307.4	330.0	FJ & NJ Hlland	Patchewollock
<b>Yearling Steers</b>	Up to 330kg:	302.0	360.0	DDS Farms Pty Ltd	Manangatang
	330 to 400kg:	288.9	322.6	Ceens Pty Ltd	Koraleigh
	400 to 500kg:	276.6	322.6	Ceens Pty Ltd	Koraleigh
	500 to 600kg:	272.8	302.6	RJ Bryan	Swan Hill
<b>Yearling Heifers</b>	Up to 330kg:	251.0	319.8	AC Henschke	Mildura
	330 to 400kg:	292.2	320.0	DM Findlay	Swan Hill
	Over 400kg:	273.2	310.0	R Hampton	Balranald
<b>Heavy Trade Steers</b>	330 to 400kg:	311.2	332.0	RM & Collett & Sons	Nangiloc
	400 to 500kg:	310.6	330.0	RM & Collett & Sons	Nangiloc
	500 to 600kg:	276.1	316.0	WB Bennett	Moulamein
	Over 600kg:	286.9	290.0	Riverton Lodge Pty Ltd	Barham
<b>Heavy Trade Heifers</b>	330 to 400kg:	288.0	327.6	RM & Collett & Sons	Nangiloc
	400 to 500kg:	292.0	320.0	RM & Collett & Sons	Nangiloc
<b>Grain Fed Steers</b>	400 to 500kg:	317.1	324.6	LC & SM Martin	Brim
<b>Grain Fed Heifers</b>	400 to 500kg:	299.1	306.0	LC & CM Martin	Brim
<b>Cows</b>	Up to 400kg:	185.4	220.0	T Grant	Chinkapook
	400 to 520kg:	208.3	266.0	RT & MA EY	Rainbow
	Over 520kg:	227.9	253.6	F Kelly	Woorinen

Note: Due to the Easter holidays our next prime sheep and lamb market will be held on Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> April starting at 1:00pm. Next fortnight is our regular cattle sale on Thursday 31<sup>st</sup> March starting at 7:30am.