



Prime Lambs

SW Brannigan (Southbridge) 12 Prime Lambs \$127-\$134, G J Feary (Oxford) 16 Prime Lambs \$107-\$124, Fitzallan Park (Southbridge) 51 Prime Lambs \$131, DM Hanna (Balcairn) 13 Prime Lambs \$125, C Hanna (Balcairn) 14 Prime Lambs \$124-\$130, Ahuriri Farm (Tai Tapu) 12 Prime Lambs \$90-\$116, Alton Hills (Waiwai) 17 Prime Lambs \$119-\$122, D I C Rutherford (Broomfield) 10 Prime Lambs \$121, Lansdowne Resource (Lansdowne) 10 Prime Lambs \$115, J G H Lentjes (Prebbleton) 42 Prime Lambs \$125-\$134, LT & EW Giltrap (Springston) 24 Prime Lambs \$115-\$133.

Top Price: \$139

Heavy: \$120-\$135

Middle: \$105-115

Light: \$90-\$100

A good size yarding today, which was slightly stronger than last week with good lambs selling up to \$139. Quality overall was good.

Prime Sheep

Christine Hanna (Rangiora) 8 Prime Ewes \$95, Kawatea Farm Ltd (Okains Bay) 18 Prime Ewes \$57-\$74, DM Hanna (Sefton) 10 Prime Ewes \$70, NA & JE Pentecost (Sefton) 11 Prime Ewes \$85, I R James (Sefton) 47 Prime Ewes \$70-\$82, GD Bevins (Loburn) 97 Prime Ewes \$34-\$48.

Prime sheep market help up on previous weeks. Top price was \$95. Heavy ewes sold between \$75-\$90. Medium ewes ranged from \$60-\$70. Lighter ewes struggled ranging from \$40-\$50.

Store Lambs

JG & DA Crawford (Oxford) 14 Prime Ewes \$48- \$58, JG & DA Crawford (Oxford) 40 Prime Rams \$42-\$60, SC Baxter (Loburn) 4 Prime Ewes \$74.

Top Price: \$95

Heavy: \$75-\$90

Middle: \$60-70

Light: \$40-\$50

Rams: \$40-\$55

Small yarding today, top price being \$83. Heavy was \$65-\$75, medium was \$50-\$60, light was \$35-\$40. Rams ranged from \$42-\$70.

Prime Cattle

Longacres Stud (Darfield) 3 Prime Steers \$1212-\$1315, NF & GC Cochrane (Oxford) 16 Prime Steers \$1000-\$1278, WJ Rossiter (Oxford) 4 Prime Steers \$1086, J & C Ashworth (Ohoka) 2 Prime Heifers \$1358-\$1438, J & K Operations (Tai Tapu) 2 Prime Heifers \$1612, Longacres Stud (Darfield) 2 Prime Heifers \$1176-\$1344, JB & CN McDermott (Prebbleton) 5 Prime Heifers \$1091-\$1126, CR Gardiner (Diamond Harbour) 3 Prime Heifers \$1095-\$1123, Childrens Bay Farm Ltd (Akaroa) 10 Prime Cows \$625-\$808, IM & AL Fleming (Leeston) 5 Prime Cows \$644-\$1198.

Top Steer Price: \$1315

Middle: \$1200-\$1350

Light: \$1000-\$1150

Top Heifer Price: \$1612

Heavy: \$1300-\$1600

Middle: \$1100-\$1250

Light: \$850-\$1050

Top Cow Price: \$1198

Heavy: \$850-\$1200

Middle: \$650-\$800

Light: \$350-\$600

Small Prime sale today eased a bit on previous weeks. Lack of quality in steers reflecting moderately. Heavy heifers present and were sold well. Cow market eased a bit also and very few bulls to speak of.