

Coalgate Sale Yards

4 April 2024

Prime Lambs

Ross & Billigheimer, 80 Lambs at \$112, Wakeman & Stuart, 52 Lambs from \$113 - \$130, MR Hale, 12 Lambs at \$136, BL & DJ McCloy (Harewood) 55 Lambs from \$104 - \$139, Omaha Farm (Aylesbury) 76 Lambs from \$130 - \$143, K Lewis (Mt Somers) 20 Lambs at \$124, P & K Gardner (Mitcham) 16 Lambs at \$131, AR Chalmers (Hororata) 87 Lambs at \$76 - \$102, FL & RE Weir (Rolleston) 12 Lambs from \$131 - \$140, Barenbrug NZ (Courtenay) 80 Lambs from \$109 - \$118.

Prime Ewes

Longspur (Windwhistle) 41 Ewes from \$50 - \$57, P Barrett (Kaituna) 43 Ewes from \$52 - \$68, Dobby Partnership (Waiau) 54 Ewes from \$52 - \$70, B Fairburn, 7 Ewes at \$92, WD & BM Wards, 6 Ewes at \$99.

Store Lambs

Strathblane (Waikari) 148 Lambs from \$56 - \$77, ML Rutherford (Waipara) 263 Lambs from \$66 - \$80, GE & ME Spencer (Parnassus) 194 Lambs from \$54 - \$70, River Station (Blenheim) 295 Lambs from \$52 - \$76, M & B Galland (Hawarden) 49 Lambs from \$78 - \$85, MW & SC Collier (Sheffield) 110 Lambs from \$74 - \$78, P Barrett (Kaituna) 214 Lambs from \$74 - \$83, Chatterton Farming (Hawarden) 320 Lambs from \$55 - \$69.

Prime Lambs - 950

Small yarding of Prime Lambs saw the market unchanged from previous weeks, quality was mixed again.

Large	\$120 - \$144
Medium	\$105 - \$120
Small	\$85 - \$105

Prime Ewes - 160

It was a smaller yarding here at Coalgate, with only 160 Ewes in. The sale was firm on last week, but more lighter Ewes showing the dry is taking an effect.

Large	\$80 - \$99
Medium	\$65 - \$80
Small	\$40 - \$65

Store Lambs – 1600 Breeding Ewes - 160

The sale started with a line of Corriedale Mixed Age Breeding Ewes which had seen the Ram, these sold at a premium, just above kill value. Once again quality was mixed in the Lamb pens, shorn, sexed Lambs were easier to sell. Some lines are starting to show signs of the dry conditions.

Large	\$65 - \$85
Medium	\$55 - \$65
Small	\$25 - \$45

Prime & Store Cattle

It was a decent yarding of Cattle in at Coalgate today. Good quality Prime Cattle sold well, with the top price reaching \$2.88 kg.

The Store Cattle market was a bit tough going with the dry conditions still having a heavy impact on the markets.

Prime Steers	\$2.50 - \$2.88
Prime Heifers	\$2.30 - \$2.83
Prime Bulls	\$1.32 - \$2.94
Prime Cows	\$1.25 - \$1.65
Store Cattle	\$400 - \$1200