

BRIDGNORTH LIVESTOCK MARKET WEEKLY REPORT

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Prime Cattle Report (Red Market) – Auctioneer Mark Burgoyne 07831 192603

286 Prime Cattle

The best trade so far this year, with more cattle over £1000 than recent weeks to a high of £1212.42. An overall market average of just below 146p/kg resulted with our normal ring of buyers present but with most abattoirs short of cattle it seems.

Steers and heifers to suit supermarket needs were a supersonic trade, with bullocks passed 170p/kg on two occasions. O+ bullocks passed 140p/kg and seriously dear. Butcher's heifers under and over 24 months sold to a high of 182p/kg with non FABBL heifers also above £1000 on two occasions. Thicker, less shapely commercial sorts a very good trade with nothing below 120p unless very ordinary.

An exceptional young bull trade with 616kg Lims to 165p/kg with 6 others passed 160p, and 5 adding up above £1000. Genuine Holsteins to 136p/kg.

36 Over Thirty Month Cattle

29 O.T.M. cows ov. av. 108p/kg.

Too few to satisfy demand with 674kg Lims to 138p/kg (£930.12) and 698kg Blondes to 130p (£907.40), 778kg Saler cows to 117p (£910.26). Friesian cows to £1027.76 for 886kg (116p/kg) and 816kg to £938.40 (115p/kg). Plain steaking cows were consistently 90p+ with boners only below 80p/kg if very plain.

5 OTM heifers sold to 140p for 484kg Limousins and 594kg to 134p/kg.

Stock bulls sold to 85p & 83p for 764kg & 882kg Holsteins respectively

206 Clean Cattle

65 steers sold to an overall average of 151p/kg. A tremendous run of Limousin bullocks for John Evans sold to £1213.42, £1172.34, £1112.16, £1107.68, £1107.20 and £1081.90, with top prices per kilo of 173p & 172p. 546kg Lims from Vincent Evans to 169p with 538kg to 168p from LH Wardle Ltd. 658kg Lims to 164p from Andrew Dalton. Holstein bullocks to 128p from David Preece. Hereford x Friesians to 138p for the same vendor.

141 heifers sold to an overall average of 146p/kg. 582kg Blues from Phil Davies sold to 182p (£1059.24), with 498kg Lims to 180p for Steve Perkins. Marianne Bason sold 454kg, 464kg & 450kg Lims to 173p, 170p & 169p/kg respectively. 470kg Lims to 171p from Dave Chilton. 576kg to 171p from George Evans, 500kg to 170p from IGC Morris. 662kg to 165p/kg for Charolais from Mr Impey (£1092.30). Numerous beasts above 160p/kg.

80 Young Bulls ov. av. 142p/kg

19 Holsteins are included in the above average along with some decent Continentals. 606kg Lims to 165p from Nigel Matthews (£999.90) with 568kg to 164p from Richard Milner. Two Blondes from Roy Kinnish to 162p for 668kg (£1082.16) and 598kg. Nigel Matthews and Rob Hartley both achieved 160p for 578kg Lims and 556kg Charolais respectively. Plenty of bulls in the high 150 pence's. Dave Moseley's Holstein sold to 136p with Martin Morris selling three over 130p. The overall Black & White average was 126.5p/kg with 122p bottom book.

Leading Vendors

Steers

173p/kg	596kg	JM Evans
172p/kg	644kg	JM Evans
169p/kg	718kg	JM Evans
169p/kg	546kg	W Evans & Sons
168p/kg	662kg	JM Evans
168p/kg	624kg	JM Evans
168p/kg	538kg	LH Wardle
167p/kg	702kg	JM Evans

Heifers

182p/kg	582kg	P Davies
180p/kg	498kg	S & A Perkins
173p/kg	458kg	JG Bason & Son
173p/kg	454kg	NM & JE Matthews
171p/kg	516kg	GE & MG Evans
171p/kg	470kg	JDW Chilton
170p/kg	464kg	JG Bason & Son
170p/kg	500kg	IGC Morris

Bulls

165p/kg	606kg	NM & JE Matthews
164p/kg	568kg	W Milner Ltd
162p/kg	668kg	WP & R Kinnish
162p/kg	598kg	WP * R Kinnish
160p/kg	578kg	NM & JE Matthews
160p/kg	556kg	JL Hartley & Son

BRITISH CHAROLLAIS SHEEP SOCIETY

£30 VOUCHER TO THE VENDOR OF THE HIGHEST price p/kg lambs sold in Bridgnorth
On Tuesday 29th April 2008 sired by a Charollais Ram

We are open at 06:30 a.m.

Would you please continue the effort to arrive early to allow a prompt start

Sale Times

Lambs 09.45 a.m. prompt

Ewes 11.00a.m

Young Bulls @ 11.30 a.m. prompt

Followed by Clean Cattle

OTM Cattle to be sold following clean@ approx 2 p.m.

2458 Sheep – Auctioneer Martin Clack 0797706751

2042 Hoggs

An overall average of 140p/kg with the lighter weight best Hoggs an improved trade to 170p/kg 37½kg Texels from MW & RA Davies. Several pens 160p/kg plus.

Quality as expected at this time of year very variable with a large percentage of lean or over fat sheep forward.

Heavy Hoggs 46kg 144p/kg and 50kg plus to 124p/kg, 56½kg at 122p to a top price per head of £74.70 45kg at 166p/kg.

Hoggs under 33kg, regardless of meat, 120-130p/kg

Leading Prices

37½kg	170p/kg	MW & RA Davies
40½kg	166p/kg	N Kinsey
45kg	166p/kg	N Kinsey
38kg	165p/kg	IGC Morris
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236 Spring Lambs

The strongest lamb trade to date averaging 194p/kg to 250p/kg for 42kg Texels from AG Kirton & Son realising £102.50. whose entry of 25 lambs averaged 36.7kg £87.00, customers looking for well finished lambs regardless of weight

MORE SPRING LAMBS REQUIRED FOR NEXT WEEK

Leading Prices

41kg	250p/kg	AG Kirton & Son
36kg	244p/kg	AG Kirton & Son
38kg	238p/kg	AG Kirton & Son
34½kg	222p/kg	AG Kirton & Son
36½kg	220p/kg	RC Evans

180 Cull Ewes & Rams – Auctioneer Mike Walters

A smaller entry but trade much firmer than last week with strong meated ewes wanted. Not enough forward. Small and plain ewes also found a firmer trade.

Strong ewes to £59
Medium ewes £40
Small and Plain ewes to £25
Rams to £43

STORE REPORT 11.04.08

124 Store Cattle

What a cracking trade despite the late Spring torrential rain, sleet and deficit of grass. Store steers were worth particular note at £202 over, with Continental bulls £190 over to £640 per head. Plenty of buyers for Cow & Calves which sold to £740

Prices as follows:-

Cows & Calves

£740	Belgian Blue Cow (2nd) with Bull Calf
£715	Charolais x Heifer with her Heifer Calf

Feeding Bulls

290kg	£450	Limousin x	12 months
262kg	£440	Limousin x	12 months
290kg	£435	Limousin x	12 months
266kg	£400	Belgian Blue x	10 months
275kg	£372	Limousin x	12 months
230kg	£365	Simmental x	9 months
288kg	£350	A Angus x	10 months
373kg	£542	Charolais x	10 months
325kg	£492	Blonde x	10 months
360kg	£478	Limousin x	14 months
380kg	£472	Simmental x	15 months
350kg	£450	Limousin x	10 months
305kg	£412	Simmental x	11 months
450kg	£640	Belgian Blue x	12 months
430kg	£615	Charolais x	12 months
307kg	£435	Simmental x	10 months

Steers

Charolais			Blonde		
385kg	£438	19mths	316kg	£518	10mths

Angus					
350kg	£490	17mths	355kg	£370	9mths

Simmental					
250kg	£365	14mths	325kg	£392	15mths

Holstein					
351kg	£405	17mths			

Heifers

Limousin					
270kg	£390		295kg	£385	
280kg	£330		247kg	£300	
365kg	£500		340kg	£500	
357kg	£470		332kg	£460	
305kg	£440		320kg	£400	
305kg	£375		415kg	£512	
420kg	£495				

Charolais					
358kg	£508		346kg	£430	

370kg	£422				
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Simmental					
356kg	£445		355kg	£435	10mths

Belgian Blue					
272kg	£385	10mths	405kg	£590	10mths

South Devon					
210kg	£325	10mths	£320kg	£385	14mths

**NEXT STORE SALE THIS FRIDAY
18TH APRIL 2008**

FOR SALE

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**Parkside Farm, Boningale, Albrighton
500 ACRES PURE RED CLOVER SEED**

In 6 lots from 48acres to 128 acres

For Forage Only

**29 ACRES PERMANENT PASTURE & RED
CLOVER**

For grazing by Organic Sheep Only

Contact Robin Nettleton

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FOR SALE

SHEEPDOG PUPPIES

From Working Parents – ready now

£80

Bromsgrove - 07790981435

WELFARE OF LIVESTOCK

IN TRANSIT

From January 2008 drivers transporting animals over 65km

(approx. 40 miles)

will require a

Certificate of Competence

A short training session, followed by the assessment will be held at Bridgnorth Livestock & Auction Centre on Wednesday 30th April 2008.

Definite booking essential by 23rd April 2008.

50% funding may also be available to Shropshire holding numbers.

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