

# BRIDGNORTH LIVESTOCK MARKET WEEKLY REPORT

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

### 307 Prime Cattle

A much improved entry with nearly 100 more clean and bulls penned this morning. An exceptional trade on clean cattle, with young bulls maintaining last week's values. With two more buyers around the ring some competitive bidding produced an overall average of 151p/kg.

More, better quality, clean available today, with well finished but lean sorts in strong demand. Supermarket bullocks sold up to 183p/kg with a lot of steers in the 190 pence's on four occasions to a high of 195p/kg. Second quality met firm demand selling well in front of dead quotations for Tuesday morning.

Bull quality did not match last week's but still a firm trade even though many bulls were a shade lean. Belgian Blues sold to 174p/kg. Well meated Holsteins also well sold passed 140 pence for more traditional Friesians types.

### 181 Clean Cattle

44 steers sold to average 153p/kg. 510kg & 504kg Lims sold to 183p & 181p/kg from Dave Awre who also sold 4 other Lims and Blue crosses passed 170p/kg. 502kg Lims to 179p and 616kg to 174.5p (£1074.92) both from Mark Pinches, 552kg Lims to 172p from David Glover. Gerald Kincaid sold 608kg Lims to £1021.44. Holstein bullocks to 126p from Bill Aston. This was a storming trade.

**MORE STEERS ARE URGENTLY NEEDED**

**NO GRADING TO WORRY ABOUT**

138 heifers sold to average 156p/kg. 448kg Lims sailed to 195p from Dave Chilton with another 466kg model to 180p from the same stable. Matthew Parkes' Blondes and Blues sold to 194p & 191p/kg for 468 & 476kg with another 456kg to 180p. 490kg Lims to 192p from Dave Awre, with 550kg Lims to 188p from Roger Jordin (£1034.00). Mr Awre also sold 488kg & 562kg Lims to 187p (£1017.22) & 181p respectively. 610kg Lims from John White realised £1061.40. 628kg Charolais to £1062.32 from James Paddock. 574kg Blondes to £1015.98 from Roger Cantrill. Hereford heifers to 129p from Mike Halford. An exceptional heifer trade with several grass beasts forward.

### 125 Young Bulls ov. av. 144p/kg

Our entry included 30 Holstein bulls and many Continentals lacking some finish – do not draw bulls too soon!

596kg Blues to 174p from George Morris (£1037.04). 608kg Lims to 168.5p from Roger Tomley (£1024.48). A nice run of cattle from Mulberry Homes saw 492kg to 168p and 452kg to 167p. 540kg Blondes to 167p from Brian Watkins. Plenty of others sold in excess of 160p/kg with more, handier weights forward than recent sales.

Frank Povall's Holsteins topped the Black & Whites at 147p/kg closely followed by Dave Evans at 144.5p/kg. There were more, heavier and plainer silage fed Holsteins forward hence our Holstein average of 118p/kg.

**STRONG ENTRIES OF CLEAN, BULLS & OTM's NEEDED  
NEXT WEEK WITH INCREASED BUYING SUPPORT**

## 65 Over Thirty Month Cattle

63 cows sold to a very firm trade averaging just below £1 per kilo. There were no best, heavy Continental cows forward but 614kg Blondes still achieved 124p/kg. Meated Holstein cows sold to 121p for 638kg, plenty of fleshy Black & Whites around 110p. Steaking (Grade 3) cows were always above 90 pence and often above £1/kilo. Boning cows were plentiful and seldom fell below 70 pence unless very small or ultra plain. 496kg Blonde heifers to 136p/kg. Hereford x steers 576kg to 132p/kg.

### Leading Vendors

#### Steers

183p/kg	510kg	DA & MDM Awre
181p/kg	504kg	DA & MDM Awre
179p/kg	502kg	F Pinches & Son
176p/kg	560kg	DA & MDM Awre
175p/kg	550kg	DA & MDM Awre
175p/kg	562kg	N Kinsey

#### Heifers

195p/kg	448kg	JDW Chilton
194p/kg	468kg	Forest Vale Growers
192p/kg	490kg	DA & MDM Awre
191p/kg	476kg	Forest Vale Growers
188p/kg	550kg	W Jordin & Son
187p/kg	488kg	DA & MDM Awre
185p/kg	508kg	W Jordin & Son

#### Bulls

174p/kg	596kg	IGC Morris
168.5p/kg	608kg	GE Tomley & Sons
167p/kg	452kg	Mulberry Homes
166p/kg	606kg	Goulburn Farms
165p/kg	560kg	GE Tomley & Sons
164p/kg	572kg	IGC Morris

#### **WANTED**

Young Friesian and Young Hereford Stock Bulls  
Contact Mark Burgoyne  
07831 192603

#### **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 09.45a.m. prompt

Ewes 11.00a.m.

Young Bulls @ 11.30a.m. prompt

Followed by Clean Cattle

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

**1849 Sheep – Auctioneer Robin Nettleton 07771513656**

Martin away on holiday in sunnier climes saw the annual appearances of the old team of Robin Nettleton and Mike Walters selling the lambs and cull ewes.

**1602 Lambs overall average 128p/kg**

A good show in numbers forward following the heavy rains and trade a little easier than previous day in line with the national trend, but not helped by 'leaner' types particularly in the lighter and standard weight ranges which would have been rewarded better sold as stores, if in doubt, contact Paul Taylor 07815 509504.

On the positive side, best quality shape and finish in the 40-45kg medium range met keenest bidding with top price of 162p/kg for a pen of 4 1/2kg Continentals from LR Morgan & Son. Over 900 lambs in this bracket averaging over 132p/kg (3p over the national average)

Lighter lambs 28kg sold to 125p/kg, standard lambs 39kg sold to 146p/kg, medium lambs 41 1/2kg sold to 162p/kg and heavy lambs 59kg to 135p/kg.

**Leading Prices****Lambs 25.5-32kg**

28kg	125p/kg	N Kinsey
32kg	124p/kg	BH Link
	119p/kg	E Young & Son

**Lambs 32-39kg**

39kg	146p/kg	ME & MB Roberts
39kg	136p/kg	DT & L Davies
38kg	135p/kg	RC & E Burton
38kg	135p/kg	B & S Colebatch & Son
37kg	135p/kg	RA Ince

**Lambs 39-45.5kg**

41.5kg	162p/kg	LR Morgan & Son
41.5kg	155p/kg	LR Morgan & Son
41kg	147.5p/kg	IGC Morris
40kg	147p/kg	LR Morgan & Son

**Lambs to 59kg**

59kg	135p/kg	ME & MB Roberts
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**247 Cull Ewes & Rams**

Trade easier throughout all types in line with other local markets. The overall average £28.67

Strong Ewes	£42	W Milner Ltd
Medium Ewes	£33	IS Lewis
Small Ewes	£22	Forest Vale Growers
Rams	£40	CT Jones

We currently have customers looking for goats – should you have any goats for sale contact Paul Taylor 07815 509504

**STORE SALE REPORT 15/08/08****1130 Store & Breeding Sheep – Auctioneer Robin Nettleton****826 Store Lambs**

A good entry and keen bidding across the board for all size categories with strong lambs selling to a high of £49 from David Bradley.

**301 Breeding Ewes**

A top price of £96 per head for a lot of 50 outstanding Suffolk x North Country Mule Yearling from Messer's RA & EJ Davies and £83 per head for North Country Mules from Messrs WO & MA Yardley.

**3 Rams**

Rams lambs selling to 250 guineas

**Leading Prices****Ewes**

£96	RA & E Davies	£83	WO & MA Yardley
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**Store Lambs**

£49	DJ Bradley	£45	DJ Bradley
£44.20	RT & TA Dale	£44	R & B Rochelle

**Rams**

262gns	AG Kirton & Sons
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**160 Store Cattle**

An absolutely blistering trade once again, with many finishers short of cattle numbers and encouraged by the improving beef trade.

**MORE CATTLE ARE URGENTLY NEEDED FOR OUR NEXT SALE ON 29<sup>th</sup> AUGUST 2008****Prices as follows****Cows & Calves**

Lim x heifers & her bull calf	£620
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**Feeding Bulls**

320kg	£460	Chx	340kg	£442	Hex
335kg	£432	BB	322kg	£355	Hox
230kg	£275	Lim	260kg	£260	Hox
217kg	£288	Hex			

**Steers****Simmental**

440kg	£610	336kg	£558	353kg	£420
285kg	£420				

**Limousin**

432kg	£630	430kg	£638	350kg	£472
437kg	£600	310kg	£410		

**Holstein**

390kg	£330	347kg	£485	255kg	£380
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**Welsh Black**

357kg	£430	435kg	£395	240kg	£360
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**Heifers****Limousin**

305kg	£360	23mths	300kg	£438	15-18mths
316kg	£440	14-16mth	286kg	£500	15mths
337kg	£485	17mths	275kg	£482	16mths
325kg	£425	15mths	270kg	£380	15mths
316kg	£535	15-16mths	311kg	£520	16mths
277kg	£430	14mths	353kg	£455	16mths
430kg	£638	14mths	255kg	£315	12-14mths

**Simmentals**

350kg	£485	17mths	335kg	£432	17mths
320kg	£470	12-14mths	295kg	£370	12mths
402kg	£555	11mths	172kg	£280	8-9mths

**Blonde**

342kg	£520	15mths	300kg	£510	8-10mths
292kg	£460	10-16mths	255kg	£442	8-9mths

**Charolais**

305kg	£350	320kg	£375
350kg	£500	325kg	£485

**Welsh Black**

265kg	£320	17mths
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**Angus**

332kg	£455	21-23mths
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**16 Calves – Auctioneer Mike Walters**

Another good show of calves forward. Trade slightly easier for all types

**Limousin Bulls**

£206	R Henderson & Son
£202	R Henderson & Son
£198	EM Shingler & Son

**Limousin Heifers**

£186	R Henderson & Son
£160	J & P Breakwell
£148	SJ Palmer
£148	EM Shingler & Son

**Friesian Bulls**

£ 20	HW Chatham
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**NEXT STORE SALE FRIDAY 29<sup>th</sup> AUGUST 2008**

**FOR SALE**  
Sheep Dog Puppies  
Good Working Strain  
01562 850456

**DAIRYMAN  
REQUIRED**

**01384 872554**