

BRIDGNORTH LIVESTOCK MARKET WEEKLY REPORT

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271 Prime Cattle

Nock Deighton would like to thank all their farmer customers for their support for this 2008 Show. There were some tremendous cattle forward which were a credit to all producers. Even with the 'credit crunch' providing the customary dark cloud over trading a very buoyant trade resulted with cattle outside the show selling to 200p/kg. It was pleasing to see a couple of extra butchers around the ring but it was basically our regular buying clientele, who produced the competition. As auctioneers we must take this opportunity to thank our butchers, wholesalers and abattoir customers for their regular valued support.

Cattle Judging Results as follows:-

Judge: Mr R Tuckey, Coleshill

Class 10 Supreme Champion MJ Williams, Pontyperson,
Four Crosses
454kg Belgian Blue x heifer sold to 340p/kg and realised
£1543.60, purchased by R Newey Butcher

Class 11 Reserve Champion W Jordin & Sons, Morfe
House, Enville
540kg Belgian Blue x heifer sold to 265p/kg and realised
£1431 purchased by R Tuckey

Class 1 Butchers Heifer up to 4540kg
1st MJ Williams 454kg 340p/kg
2nd MJ Williams 416kg 192p/kg
3rd N & C Perkins 454kg 203p/kg

Class 2 Butchers Heifer above 450kg
1st W Jordin & Son 540kg 265p/kg
2nd GR Beaman 504kg 221p/kg
3rd N&C Perkins 542kg 195p/kg
3rd EP Parkes & Son 542kg 205p/kg

Class 3 Butchers Steer up to 550kg
1st M Preece & Co 466kg 184p/kg
2nd M Preece & Co 524kg 177p/kg

Class 4 Butchers Steer above 550kg
1st W Jordin & Sons 676kg 170p/kg
2nd AG Kirton & Sons 592kg 194p/kg
3rd M Preece & Co 622kg 195p/kg

Class 5 Smallholder Beast
1st Miss JE Kirkham 420kg 211p/kg
2nd Mrs JM Walters 498kg 250p/kg
3rd Miss JE Kirkham 476kg 186p/kg

Class 6 Butchers Bull
1st JN Morris & Son 588kg 195p/kg
2nd S & A Perkins 542kg 175p/kg
3rd S & A Perkins 596kg 175p/kg

Class 7 Best Pair of Butcher Heifers
1st E Green 484kg 198p/kg
512kg 197p/kg
2nd W Jordin & Sons 490kg 195p/kg
504kg 199p/kg
3rd W Jordin & Sons 466kg 195p/kg
492kg 196p/kg

Class 8 Best Pair of Butchers Steers
1st MJ Williams 480kg 182p/kg
526kg 187p/kg
2nd MJ Williams 572kg 188p/kg
556kg 182p/kg
3rd W Jordin & Sons 646kg 177p/kg
618kg 177p/kg

Class 9 Best Over Thirty Month Beast
S & A Perkins Belgian Blue Cow 636kg 150p/kg £954

Our greatest thanks to Mr Tuckey for taking on such a difficult task and giving his hard thought judgements.

Extra Class F.A.B.B.L. Rose bowl for Beast receiving highest p/kg outside the Show
IGC Morris 532kg 200p/kg

WE ARE OPEN AT 06.30am

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

SALE TIMES

Lambs 09:45am prompt

Ewes @ 11:00am

Young Bulls @ 11:30am prompt

Followed by Clean Cattle

OTM Cattle to be sold following clean @ approx 2:00pm

1563 Sheep – Auctioneer Martin Clack 07977 067519

1242 Lambs

Another year goes by and another Christmas Fat Stock supported extremely well this year with 46 pens of Show Sheep in Five Classes

The majority of which competing for the George King Cup. Mark Perrins of Farmers Fresh backing his judgment purchasing the Champion pen of lambs 36kg at 180p/kg which for the fourth year running belonged to Messrs MW & RA Davies and the Reserve Champion pen 42kg at 174p/kg from IGC Morris.

17 Single lambs presented for the Brian Meredith Cup, quality in this Class improved every year. This year Peter Morris's 47kg Beltex took the honours purchased by Bob Beaman for 184p/kg.

Commercial lambs sold to an improved trade on last week with conventional weights generally over 120p/kg to 133p/kg from Max Preece at 41kg. Lighter weights up some 8p/kg to 118p/kg for 31½kg. Heavy lambs to 121p/kg (Commercial) and 152p/kg Show 55kg.

Many thanks to all those who assist, not just at our Christmas Show but 52 weeks of the year, vendors, purchasers, Nock Deighton Staff, Livestock hauliers – the list goes on.

The George King Cup was first presented during a very important year, England won the World Cup but more importantly the year I was born, over those years many factors have influenced the value of livestock, however the current economic situation could be the most trying. There has never been more emphasis on value for money we must, as an industry, produce and supply a quality product which customers demand.

Competition Results

Class 12 Lambs up to 38kg

1 st	MW & RA Davies	36kg	180p/kg	Champion Pen
2 nd	IGC Morris	38kg	153p/kg	
3 rd	M Yates	36kg	144p/kg	

Class 13 Lambs over 38kg

1 st	IGC Morris	42kg	174p/kg	Reserve Pen
2 nd	MW & RA Davies	48kg	146p/kg	
3 rd	AJ Meredith	42kg	159p/kg	

Smallholders Class 14

1 st	GD & SA Sutton	36½kg	153p/kg	
2 nd	BJ Broadway	41½kg	126p/kg	

Single Lamb Class 15

1 st	IGC Morris	47kg	184p/kg	
2 nd	MW & RA Davies	55kg	152p/kg	
3 rd	M Yates	32kg	150p/kg	

318 Ewes

Quality this week very good with several pens of very strong Continental ewes forward. Trade brisk to £60. Leaner large ewes to £42 and North Country Mules £42.

70 Soay ewes sold from £5.20 to £6.50 and Welsh to £24. Badger Face fit ewes to £35.20 and Swales £16.50.

Wethers a brisk trade to £44.

Results

1 st	£60	Charollais	M Steele
2 nd	£59.50	Charollais	M Steele
3 rd	£58.50	Texels	WJ Jones & Co.

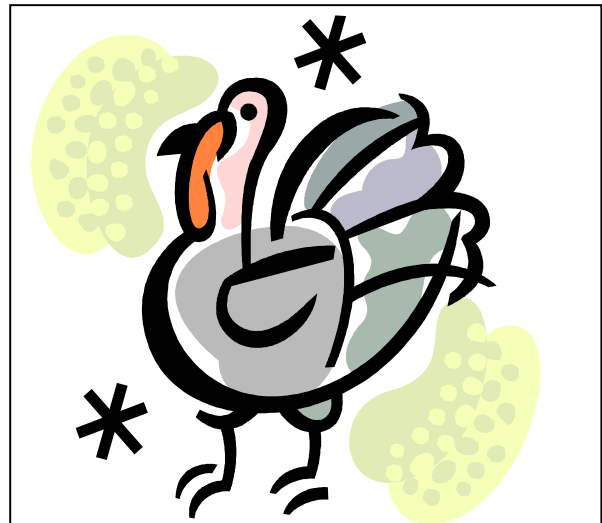
NEXT STORE SALE

FRIDAY 5th DECEMBER

**200 Store Cattle
6 In Calf Cows
Limousin Stock Bull
200 Store Sheep
Calves & Weanlings**

Sale Times

Store Sheep	11.00 a.m.
Breeding Ewes & Rams	to follow lambs
Calves & Weanlings	11.30 a.m.
Store Cattle	12 noon



Dressed Poultry Sale

**Monday 22nd December
Bridgnorth Livestock & Auction Centre**

5.00 p.m.

Entries Invited