

# BRIDGNORTH LIVESTOCK MARKET WEEKLY REPORT

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

### 177 Prime Cattle

Nowhere near enough cattle to satisfy demand, with a trade which would be among the very best this year. With another buyer returning to fill up before Christmas, an average of 158p/kg resulted. At least 100 more clean cattle were needed to fulfil regular orders.

Steers were almost non existent and sold to 182p/kg or £1317.68 per head. Best butcher's cattle met firm demand but did not look as dear as some ordinary sorts which sold well above expectations. Heifers sold to 192p/kg with no super stars forward or to £1134 per head.

Young bulls sold to a buoyant trade which saw Continentals to 188p/kg or £1311. Genuine Holsteins sold to 153p/kg, with several ultra plain bulls reducing averages

### 101 Clean Cattle

Only 10 steers sold to average 154p/kg and was a disappointing number considering recent trades. 724kg Lims sold to 182p (£1317.68) with another Limousin 694kg to 172p (£1193.68) both from Neal Dalton. 686kg Blondes to 165p/kg or £1131.90 from Mr Talbot. 722kg Lims to £1147.98 again from Mr Dalton. 600kg plain Holsteins to 120p from Roger Swift.

91 heifers sold to average 163p/kg and more were urgently needed. 514kg & 518kg Limousins from Dave Chilton and John Hewitt both realised 192p/kg. 454kg Blues from Bill Aston sold to 190p/kg as did 504kg Limousins from Gordon Jones. Eddie Thomas' Lims and Blues both realised 189p for 478kg & 492kg. John Hewitt was again in the £ seats at 189p/kg for 528 kg Limousin. 446kg Blues to 187p from Dave Chilton with Miss Kirkham's 480kg Lim to 1895p/kg. 630kg Blues to £1134 from Mr Talbot, 612kg Lims to £1101.60 from Andrew Meredith, Rob Jones sold four Charolais crosses above £1000 – the heaviest being 628kg.

### 76 Young Bulls ova v 154p/kg

Our entry included 15 Holstein bulls. Blues & Lims from Robert Morris hit the headlines at 1898p for 606kg (£1139.28), 183p/kg for 602kg (£1101.66) and 180p for 652kg (£1173.60). 874kg Lims from Pete Kirton sold to £1311 or 150p/kg. with another handy 510kg Lims to 181p/kg. 524kg Lims sold to 183p from Mulberry Homes with 502kg Blondes to 181p from Glyn Morris. 736kg Blondes to £1096.64 from Martin Morris. 622kg Blues to £1044.96 from Richard Hartley. George Morris & Graham Johnston also sold above £1000.

Frank Povall sold Holsteins to 153p/kg with EM Corfield's Friesian to 142p/kg. Overall average was 130p/kg with 105p/kg bottom book with a ring in its nose!

**MORE CATTLE URGENTLY NEEDED**

## 46 Over Thirty Month Cattle

A dear trade here also saw 536kg Blonde dry bagged cows to 137p, With 590kg Charolais to 122p/kg. 544kg Herefords to 115p with 676kg Lims to the same 616kg & 720kg Holsteins sold to 107p/kg with meat. Steaking cows 89-100p/kg. Boner seldom below 70p unless very small.

Belgian Blue x Holstein steers 570kg to 125p. Very lean Holstein bulls to 88p for 650kg. Lim stock bulls 94p for 864kg.

### Leading Vendors

#### Steers

182p/kg	714kg	LH Dalton & Son
172p/kg	694kg	LH Dalton & Son
165p/kg	686kg	TH Talbot
160p/kg	612kg	LH Dalton & Son
159p/kg	722kg	LH Dalton & Son
156p/kg	610kg	LH Dalton & Son

#### Heifers

192p/kg	518kg	JL Hewitt
192p/kg	514kg	JDW Chilton
190p/kg	502kg	TE Jones & Son
189p/kg	528kg	JL Hewitt
189p/kg	490kg	EJP & MM Thomas
185p/kg	502kg	JDW Chilton
184p/kg	508kg	TE Jones & Son
184p/kg	434kg	AJ Meredith

#### Bulls

188p/kg	606kg	JN Morris & Son
183p/kg	602kg	JN Morris & Son
183p/kg	524kg	Mulberry Homes
181p/kg	510kg	AG Kirton & Son
181p/kg	502kg	GE Morris
180p/kg	652kg	JN Morris & Son

## **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**

**1107 Sheep – Auctioneer Mike Walters**

**829 Prime Lambs**

A much sharper trade for all weights, with plenty of competition. Export lambs wanted with the euro exchange rate making export demand much stronger.

Buyers for the home market had to give more even for the heavier types. Overall the average was up by 6 pence per kilo to 132.55p/kg.

**Leading Prices**

	Top	Ave/kg
Lambs up to 25.4kg	124p/kg Worfield Farms	120.3p
25-32kg	127p/kg GR Wooley & Co	124.7p
32.1-39kg	160p/kg HA Bunning	132.5p
39.1-45.5kg	160p/kg HA Bunning	134.3p
45.6-52kg	140p/kg RM Colebatch	131.5p
Over 52kg	AW Preece	120p

**278 Cull Ewes & Rams – Auctioneer Mike Walters**

Demand for good meated ewes was strong selling to:-

	£65 per head	AW Preece
Medium Ewes	to £45	AE Halford Glyn Morris MD Evans EM Corfield & Son
Small & Plain Ewes	to £30	Manstock
Rams	to £56	Barrow Farms
Overall Average	£35.78 per head	

**STORE SALE**

**FRIDAY 19<sup>th</sup> DECEMBER**

**Cow & Calves  
100 Store Cattle  
Store Lambs  
Breeding Ewes & Rams  
Calves & Weanlings**

**Sale Times**

<b>Store Sheep</b>	<b>11.00 a.m.</b>
<b>Calves &amp; Weanlings</b>	<b>11.30 a.m.</b>
<b>Store Cattle</b>	<b>12 noon</b>

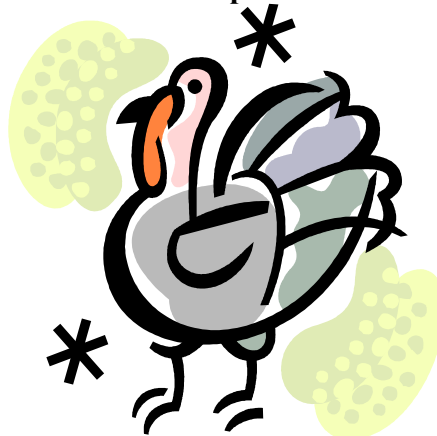
**DIARY DATES**

Friday 19<sup>th</sup> December – Store Sale  
Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> December – Dressed Poultry Sale  
Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> December – Primestock  
Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> December – Primestock  
**Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> January – Store Sale (Extra Sale)**  
Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> January – Primestock  
Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> January – Primestock  
Friday 16<sup>th</sup> January – Store Sale

**Dressed Poultry Sale**

**Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> December 2008**

**5.00 p.m.**



**Bridgnorth Machinery Sale**

**Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> January 2009**

**Entries Invited**

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Would like to thank all their clients for their support over the last twelve months and wish them

**HAPPY CHRISTMAS**

**&**

**A PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR**