

BRIDGNORTH LIVESTOCK MARKET WEEKLY REPORT

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Prime Cattle Report (Red Market)

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278 Prime Cattle

40 more cattle than last week met a very buoyant trade, with perhaps 'the edge' slightly off comparing last week's bonanza. An overall average of 161p/kg resulted which would reflect a larger Holstein influence rather than a lesser trade!

A tremendous show of mainly handyweight steers saw cattle to 197p/kg or £1288 per head. Many steers would have stood further feeding, with plenty of time on their side. Best heifers harder to find today and saw the cream selling to 200p/kg or £1060.80. More commercial breakers a very firm trade from start to finish.

More bulls forward, but a much poorer show generally, with many more Holsteins and other dairy bred cattle entered. Genuine Holsteins sold to 155p/kg, with handy shop Continentals to 193p/kg for 536kg.

68 Over Thirty Month Cattle

A very decent trade in this department, although there is no extra demand for 30-48 month cattle at the moment.

Best Limousin cows sold to 160p/kg for 710kg (£1136) from Craig Evans with other genuine cows to 138p/kg for 690kg and 640kg and 136p/kg for 664kg all Limousins. 770kg salers to 135p/kg (£1039.50). Dry bagged meat Holsteins sold to 115p/kg and 114p/kg on four occasions. Quality meated Holsteins were very thin on the ground this afternoon! Steaking cows all above 90p/kg, with most in the high 90's or low £1 per kilo to 108p/kg. Boning cows in plentiful supply and sold from 46-88p/kg.

202 Clean Cattle (av £/head £883.75)

53 steers sold to average 168p/kg. A tremendous run of cattle from John Evans saw eight Limousins sell from £1226.72 to £1288, with a top price per kilo of 197p/kg for 628kg. Roger Jordin sold three super Continentals to 190p/kg for 612kg with 2 x 660kg Limousins to £1214.40 and £1188. 586kg Limousins to 188p/kg from Neil Preece. Hereford x Holstein steers to 145p/kg.

149 heifers sold to average 163p/kg. Two cracking Limousins saw Craig Evans hitting the jackpot again and selling to 200p/kg for 508kg and 195p/kg for 544kg (£1060.80). 522kg Limousins to 197p/kg and 530kg from Mulberry Homes. 494kg and 486kg Blues from Neil Perkins to 194p/kg and 192p/kg respectively. 566kg Limousins to £1052.76 from Roger Jordin. 612kg Limousins to £1040.40 from Sue Burgoyne. 710kg Charolais from Richard Gough to £1036.60. Numerous other heifers sold to £1000 plus. Fat Herefords to 138p/kg. Holstein heifers to 130p/kg.

74 Young Bulls ov. Av. 153p/kg (£/head av. £873.63)

33 Holstein/Friesian bulls are included in our entry with few best sucklers forward.

536kg Blondes from Brian Watkins sold to 193p/kg (£1034.48). 580kg and 572kg Blues from Steve Perkins sold to 192p/kg (£1113.60) and 187p/kg respectively. 588kg Limousins from Mrs Swinnerton sold to 189p/kg. 710kg Simmentals sold to £1164.40 from George Morris who also sold 662kg Blues to £1125.40. 640kg Blues to £1139.20 from Roger Beaumont's dairy crosses. 678kg Limousins to £1118.70 from Richard Skellern. 756kg Hereford crosses to £1111.32 from Barry Conde. 33 Black and Whites sold to average 140p/kg. Peter Charles and John Woolrich sold to 155p/kg, with Woolrich selling two others to 153p/kg. 115p/kg bottom book today.

**MORE QUALITY HANDYWEIGHT SHOP BULLS
URGENTLY NEEDED.**

Leading Vendors

Steers

197p/kg	628kg	JM Evans
190p/kg	612kg	W Jordin & Son
189p/kg	660kg	JM Evans
188p/kg	586kg	M Preece & Co
187p/kg	656kg	JM Evans
186p/kg	662kg	JM Evans
185p/kg	672kg	JM Evans

Heifers

200p/kg	508kg	CJ & HM Evans
197p/kg	522kg	M Preece & Co
195p/kg	544kg	CJ & HM Evans
194p/kg	494kg	N & C Perkins
194p/kg	466kg	Mulberry Homes
192p/kg	486kg	N & C Perkins
190p/kg	530kg	M Preece & Co
189p/kg	458kg	CO Watkins & Co
185p/kg	458kg	W Cantrill & Son

Bulls

193p/kg	536kg	CO Watkins & Co
192p/kg	580kg	S & A Perkins
189p/kg	588kg	GD Swinnerton
187p/kg	572kg	S & A Perkins
184p/kg	564kg	IGC Morris
180p/kg	586kg	S & A Perkins

OTM Cows

160p/kg	710kg	CJ & HM Evans
138p/kg	690kg	Goulburn Farms
138p/kg	640kg	AG Kirton & Sons
136p/kg	664kg	Goulburn Farms
135p/kg	770kg	CJ & HM Evans
130p/kg	668kg	AG Kirton & Sons
130p/kg	710kg	CO Watkins & Co
129p/kg	656kg	CH Froggatt & Son
129p/kg	822kg	RK & M Mainwaring
98p/kg	970kg	TEG Meddins & Co

Sheep – Auctioneer Martin Clack 07977 067519

700 Hogs

An easier trade this week probably due to the stronger pound and customer price resistance experienced throughout the country.

Hogs within the export/supermarket spec held their value with the leaner and badly bred sheep showing a reduction.

Heavy lambs sold very well up to £85.50, with a run of Texels 50kg plus from Dave Sturgess 160p/kg to 166p/kg, to a top price per kilo of 168p/kg for 47.5kg from RM Colebatch.

Lighter lambs proving harder to sell around 135p/kg, a more realistic value than recent weeks with Welsh top lambs to £50!

Leading Prices

47.5kg	168p/kg	RM Colebatch & Son
51.5kg	166p/kg	F Sturgess & Son
40kg	160p/kg	P Lewis
40.5kg	160p/kg	IGC Morris
41kg	160p/kg	R Rose
41kg	160p/kg	J Pain

255 Ewes

Suffolks to £58 with meated ewes although less money, an improved trade on the week with North Country Mules to £51.

Leaner ewes met a selective trade with small mules to £37 and Hill ewes to £24.

Beulahs to £25 and Rams to £43.

IN- LAMB EWES FOR SALE

Suffolks due end Feb to Charollais
Welsh Mules due mid-Feb to Beltex

Contact: Martin Clack
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CADE LAMBS

This year we are running a Cade Lamb Line.
If you have surplus lambs or require any lambs
please call 01746 762666

HIGHLY COMPETITIVE CATTLE DEDUCTIONS

Cattle Vendors please note:

Our commission is less than 3% including
our £1.10 per beast insurance.

The MLC levy deducted in Bridgnorth is only £3.50
+ VAT (not £5.38 + VAT as in most centres).

There is no meat inspection charge
or rounding down of the hammer price by 0.5 pence.

Cattle are sold in 1 penny and more bids.

POLICE NOTICE

Please ensure your trailers are locked onto
the towing vehicle as there is a gang of
trailer thieves operating in the area.

FOR SALE

Limousin Stock Bull

A little above killing price
to a good home (born 2000)

Pedigree Limousin Stock Bull

5 years old. Good quality.

Contact: Mark Burgoyne
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BRIDGNORTH MACHINERY SALE

SATURDAY 24TH JANUARY 2009



ENTRIES INVITED

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