

BRIDGNORTH LIVESTOCK MARKET WEEKLY REPORT

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Prime Cattle Report (Red Market)

Auctioneer: Mark Burgovne 07831 192603)

225 Prime Cattle

Trade a little easier once again, with the plainer end suffering more than best cattle. An overall average of 146p/kg resulted with several over thirty monthers included. There were 11 buyers around the ring providing plenty of competition – especially on well fed, lean, shapely sorts.

As deadweight centres reduce their prices nationally, our trade would look favourably against these bids, with steers to 171p/kg or £1179.90. Butchers heifers saw no downturn in values for the cream and sold to 199p/kg or £1023.88. Plainer heifers sold to a weaker trade and looked cheap at 115p/kg – 130p/kg, with limited demand. Over fat heifers were penalised also.

A lack lustre bull trade although the entry lacked quality and Holsteins influenced the largest proportion. Limousins sold to 168p/kg or £1098.80 for Blondes. There was little Friesian blood in the black and whites and Holsteins sold to 128p/kg.

20 Cows sold to av. 96p/kg

Cow trade was in line, if not better than Monday centres but down on last week's values.

566kg Limousins to 117p/kg for meat cows, with two other Continentals to 112p/kg. No Holstein meat cows sold passed 92p/kg. Decent steakers sold around the 80-85p/kg mark for Holsteins. Boning cows 60p/kg.

154 Clean Cattle

33 steers sold to average 148p/kg. Michael Williams' superb 690kg Limousin cross sold to 171p/kg or £1179.90. Arthur Hill's handy 496kg Limousin sold to 169p/kg with another 584kg to 163p/kg. British Blues from David Froggatt sold to 168p/kg, with Neil Preece's 622kg Limousin to the same. A decent run of fed grass steers from Gerald Kincaid sold to £1046.40 for 654kg Limousin crosses.

121 heifers sold to average 152p/kg. Bob Beaman's superb 502kg Charolais topped the day at 199p/kg (£998.98). Neil Fieldhouse sold 486kg and 514kg Limousins to 198p/kg and 190p/kg. 486kg Limousins to 196p/kg from Miss Kirkham. 466kg Limousins to 189p/kg from Mike Williams. 440kg Blues to 188p/kg from Ian Morris. Plenty in the high 120 pence's and lower 180 pence's today. Friesian heifers to 106p/kg, 95p/kg and 94p/kg.

Less shapely diary bred Continentals and Herefords a lot less money this week but still in line with deadweight centres.

71 Young Bulls av. 138p/kg

25 Holstein/Friesians include in the above average figure. There were few good suckler bulls forward. Pete Kirton's Limousins sold to 168p/kg and 165p/kg for 588kg and 604kg. 670kg Blondes to 164p/kg from Roy Kinnish (£1098.80). 538kg Limousins to 161p/kg from Ted Rogers. 704kg Limousins to £1056 from Paul Taylor.

Holsteins sold to 128p/kg from Graham Clarke, with limited quality forward in the black and white section. John Woolrich and Clive Bunning both selling to 123p/kg. There was also an 80p/kg 'special'.

GOOD ENTRIES REQUIRED NEXT WEEK PLEASE

Leading Vendors

Steers

171p/kg	690kg	MJ Williams
169p/kg	496kg	CH Hill & Son
168p/kg	522kg	CH Froggatt
168p/kg	622kg	M Preece & Co
163p/kg	584kg	CH Hill & Son
161p/kg	574kg	PI Taylor
161p/kg	586kg	MJ Williams

Heifers

199p/kg	502kg	GR Beaman
198p/kg	486kg	LH Wardle
195p/kg	486kg	Miss JE Kirkham
190p/kg	514kg	LH Wardle
189p/kg	466kg	MJ Williams
188p/kg	440kg	IGC Morris
183p/kg	514kg	WJ Brick & Sons
182p/kg	436kg	IGC Morris
181p/kg	430kg	IGC Morris
180p/kg	490kg	IGC Morris
180p/kg	446kg	F Pinches & Son

Bulls

168p/kg	588kg	AG Kirton & Sons
165p/kg	604kg	AG Kirton & Sons
164p/kg	670kg	WP & R Kinnish
161p/kg	538kg	EC & JA Rogers
159p/kg	522kg	CB Griffiths & Son
158p/kg	640kg	JDW Chilton
157p/kg	564kg	SD Pennington

Cows

£662.22	566kg	SD Pennington	Limousin x
£669.76	598kg	SD Pennington	A Angus x
£631.68	564kg	SD Pennington	Blonde x
£789.66	738kg	LH Wardle	Belgian Blue x
£739.88	698kg	SD Pennington	Simmental x
£593.64	582kg	LH Wardle	Belgian Blue x
£713.06	706kg	GE Tomley & Sons	Limousin x
£757.50	750kg	GE Tomley & Sons	Limousin x
£752.00	752kg	WP & R Kinnish	Simmental x
£590.00	590kg	SD Pennington	Blonde x
£807.52	824kg	GE Tomley & Sons	Charolais
£710.24	772kg	Smith & Barnett	Holstein

CATTLE VENDORS PLEASE NOTE

New DEFRA Regulations

Producers with TB restricted prime cattle need only to test their cattle every 90 days (not 60 days as previously) prior to attending the Red Market. Contact Mark Burgoyne for further information

Sheep

783 Lambs

Auctioneer – Martin Clack 07977 067519

An improved lamb trade selling to 170p/kg from HA Bunning & Son, with heavy lambs over £70 per head to £71.80, with Richard Fox selling 48.5kg to 148p/kg.

An overall average of 146p/kg up 20p/kg on the same week last year. Trade improved throughout the sale, with customers looking for finished lambs without being over fat.

Leading Prices

170p/kg	39.5kg	HA Bunning & Son
161p/kg	36kg	HA Bunning & Son
161p/kg	38kg	M Preece & Co
160p/kg	36kg	M Preece & Co
158p/kg	39kg	AG Kirton & Son

389 Ewes

Another new customer looking for ewes and trade improved possibly due to Ramadan finishing this week.

Texels sold to £83 from AG Kirton & Son. Mules to £71.50 and Suffolk x to £77.

The general quality of the entry not as good as last week, with more Swales in Bridgnorth then the Lake District which sold to £36, plainer sorts around £25, Herdwicks to £37.50 and Beulahs to £39.

Rams very dear with no meat on offer. Plain Texels sold to £60.

WE ARE OPEN AT 06:30 AM

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

Sale Times

Lambs 09:45 am prompt

Ewes 11:00 am

Young Bulls 11.30 am prompt

Followed by Clean Cattle

MICHAELMAS STORE SALE

PRIZE SHOW & SALE OF
250 STORE CATTLE, 20 COWS & CALVES
700 STORE LAMBS & 500 BREEDING EWES

ON FRIDAY 18TH SEPTEMBER 2009

Catalogues available

GRASS EATING FOR SALE BY INFORMAL TENDER

Approx 72 acres productive pasture in good heart at Romsley, Nr Alveley, fenced for sheep and with natural water supply.

15th September 2009 – 31st March 2010

Sheep Grazing Only

Grazier must agree to cross comply with respect
Single Payment Scheme.

Offers should be a per acre figure, include detail of proposed
stocking and be made in writing to:

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