

BRIDGNORTH LIVESTOCK MARKET WEEKLY REPORT

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Prime Cattle Report (Red Market)

Auctioneer: Mark Burgovne 07831 192603)

214 Prime Cattle

Numbers back to normality this week, with producers getting on top of field work as the dry spell continues. Very much a two tier trade, with plenty of competition around the ring – best sorts easily holding values and more ordinary cattle a little less money and larger in number. An overall average of 147p/kg resulted.

Grass steers sold to 159p/kg and £1004.64 with yarded bullocks achieving 170p/kg. One or two decent heifers forward sold to 195p/kg or £1022.56. Many more well finished heifers and steers could have sold to advantage with over fat or ultra lean cattle finding trade harder work.

Bull trade remains fair but without the bite of last week. Continentals sold to 170p/kg of £1066 with Friesians selling to 136p/kg. No superstars forward this morning.

22 Cows & Stock Bulls

Trade a little easier in line with Monday reports.

832kg Devon cows sold to 107p/kg with 756kg to 104p/kg. Ultra lean Blondes to 99p/kg for 638kg. 702kg Holsteins with meat to 99p/kg. Steaking Friesians sold to 95p/kg generally, with boning cows 50p/kg-75p/kg.

Belgian Blue stock bulls to 106p/kg and 105p/kg for 1056kg and 1006kg respectively.

146 Clean Cattle

22 steers sold to average 143p/kg. A very mixed bag of steers forward sold to a firm trade with several Holsteins and grass bullocks entered. 498kg and 458kg Limousins from Ray Bason sold to 170p/kg and 165p/kg respectively. 416kg Limousins to 166p/kg from Mr England. 604kg Limousins to 159p/kg (£1004.64) off the grass from Gerald Kincaid. Ultra fat Herefords to 120p/kg from Bill Aston. Holstein steers to 123p/kg from Richard Ince. Friesian steers to 129p/kg from John Woolrich.

124 heifers sold to average 152p/kg. Mixed quality here also with several averages and Holstein bred females forward. 492kg Limousins to 195p/kg and 480kg Blues to 194p/kg both from the Bason stable. 500kg Blondes to 190p/kg from Bob Beaman, Rita Corfield's 528kg Blue model to 190p/kg. 476kg Limousins to 188p/kg from Miss Kirkham. 526kg Blondes to 185p/kg again from Mr Beaman, with 442kg Limousins to 184p/kg from Bill Aston. Herefords sold to 140p/kg from Derek Pugh. Holstein heifers 102p/kg and 84p/kg and over age

Simmentals 100p/kg all included in the averages.

68 Young Bulls av. 143p/kg

23 Holstein Friesians were forward in this department with few red 'stars' penned.

Handy 526kg Limousins sold to 169p/kg for Peter Kirton but Graham Johnson's 614kg Limousin topped at 170p/kg (£1043.80). 624kg and 638kg Limousins from Rob Morris sold to 169p/kg and 165p/kg. 504kg Blues to 166p/kg from Brian Watkins. 586kg Limousins also 166p/kg from Goulburn Farms. 610kg from Paul Taylor to 165p/kg. Plenty of others sold above 160p/kg.

Roger Rowson's Black & Whites sold to 136p/kg. Overall Holstein average 123p/kg including 112p/kg 'specials'.

GOOD ENTRIES REQUIRED NEXT WEEK PLEASE

Leading Vendors

Steers

170p/kg	498kg	JG Bason & Son
166p/kg	416kg	PI Taylor
165p/kg	458kg	JG Bason & Son
159p/kg	604kg	G & M Kincaid
156p/kg	644kg	G & M Kincaid

Heifers

195p/kg	492kg	JG Bason & Son
194p/kg	480kg	JG Bason & Son
190p/kg	500kg	GR Beaman
190p/kg	528kg	EM Corfield
188p/kg	476kg	Miss JE Kirkham
187p/kg	446kg	JG Bason & Son
185p/kg	526kg	GR Beaman
184p/kg	442kg	Corfield & Aston
182p/kg	466kg	JG Bason & Son
181p/kg	480kg	JG Bason & Son
181p/kg	500kg	JE Kirkham
180p/kg	472kg	JDW Chilton
180p/kg	506kg	JG Bason & Son
180p/kg	486kg	LH Dalton & Son
180p/kg	512kg	LH Dalton & Son
180p/kg	514kg	GE Morris
178p/kg	500kg	JH Woolrich
178p/kg	426kg	JDW Chilton
178p/kg	444kg	CH Hill & Son
178p/kg	452kg	JDW Chilton

Bulls

170p/kg	170p/kg	JG Johnson
169p/kg	526kg	AG Kirton & Sons
169p/kg	624kg	JN Morris & Son
166p/kg	586kg	Goulburn Farms
166p/kg	504kg	CO Watkins & Co
165p/kg	638kg	JN Morris & Son
165p/kg	610kg	PI Taylor
164p/kg	596kg	AG Kirton & Sons
164p/kg	650kg	JN Morris & Son
164p/kg	572kg	M Maiden
162p/kg	628kg	JN Morris & Son
161p/kg	530kg	M Trevor-Jones

Cows

£890.24	832kg	MM Rushbrooke	South Devon x
£734.24	706kg	SD Pennington	Limousin x
£631.62	638kg	CO Watkins & Co	Blonde x
£687.96	702kg	SD Pennington	Holstein x
£595.20	620kg	SD Pennington	Belgian Blue x
£630.80	664kg	CT Jones & Sons	Blonde x
£604.20	636kg	WJ Jones & Co	Friesian x
£651.70	686kg	SB Lloyd & Son	Friesian x
£600.40	632kg	SD Pennington	Simmental x
£646.00	680kg	Mr H Yates	Friesian x
£673.04	716kg	A Preece	Holstein
£1119.36	1056kg	Goulburn Farms	Belgian Blue x
£1056.30	1006kg	Goulburn Farms	Belgian Blue x

Sheep

600 Lambs

Auctioneer – Martin Clack 07977 067519

A shortage of sheep this week with trade firmer than Monday but not quite as firm as last week.

Lambs sold to 140p/kg twice for 38.5kg and 40kg lambs, with commercial Continental lambs 36kg to 44kg over 135p/kg for 18 pens.

More lambs required for next week with customers looking to buy more lambs every Tuesday.

Leading Prices

140p/kg	40.5kg	RC Evans
140p/kg	37kg	M Preece & Co
139p/kg	40.5kg	TG & TI Bebb
138p/kg	49kg	CT Jones & Son
138p/kg	36.5kg	MD & EA Evans

260 Ewes

The ewe trade has cooled down over the last three weeks, with customers now reluctant to trade meat and chase trade.

Heavy sheep to £69.50 Suffolks with only the best or heavy ewes £60 plus.

Second rate or plainer ewes a similar trade, with lean Suffolks £58 and Mules £52. Hill ewes to £37 Swales and £34 Beulahs.

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

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

WANTED

**Housing required for store cattle
over winter months**

Call Paul Taylor 07815 509504

ST LUKE'S FAIR

Prize Show & Sale of
Store Cattle & Sheep

FRIDAY 16TH OCTOBER 2009

FURTHER ENTRIES INVITED
(Entries close Wednesday 7th October)