

BRIDGNORTH LIVESTOCK MARKET WEEKLY REPORT

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Prime Cattle Report (Red Market)

Auctioneer: Mark Burgovne 07831 192603

243 Prime Cattle

A similar number of cattle forward, with a few better sorts penned. There were still several cattle more suited to the store ring where cattle are averaging at least 15p/kg more than the prime market. An overall market average of 145p/kg resulted, with stronger demand for cattle today, with butchers ringing wholesalers on Monday and Tuesday morning with orders to fill for Christmas.

Supermarket steers carried more flesh today and sold to 175p/kg on two occasions and to £1085 per head. Best heifers a very sharp trade, with handy weights under 500kg proving harder to find. 534kg sold to 200p/kg. Second quality beasts a firming trade, but there were plenty of clean cattle over thirty months included in the clean averages today.

Bull trade a little firmer and saw Continentals to 172p/kg. 38 Holstein Friesians forward sold to 141p/kg. A sharper trade on the plain bulls also.

42 Over 48mth Cows ov av. 80p/kg

Trade steady as reported at yesterday's marts. 722kg meat Angus cows to 106p/kg and 812kg Limousin to 105p/kg. 714kg Simmentals with meat and belly to 98p/kg, with another Angus to 98p/kg for 758kg. Very few meated Holsteins forward with the best available black and whites to 93p/kg for 812kg. Plain cows no less money, with small and plain models hard going.

If you have the feed and the patience, please get your cows fit.

146 Clean Cattle

35 steers sold to average 150p/kg. 620kg and 550kg Limousins both to 175p/kg for Neil Preece and John Westwood respectively. 600kg Simmentals to 169p/kg from Gerald Kincaid, with Mr Preece again achieving the same for 530kg empty British Blue steer. 622kg Limousins from Mr Kincaid hit 168p/kg, with 606kg Limousins from Murray Roberts to 164p/kg. Herefords to 147p/kg. Angus to 140p/kg.

121 heifers sold to average 150p/kg. Tremendous Blondes to 200p/kg and 194p/kg for 534kg and 524kg from Richard Parkes. 500kg Limousins to 193p/kg from Roger Jordin, with Steve Perkins' model to 190p/kg for 492kg. The Jordin's handy 478kg sold to 189p/kg. Miss Kirkham's 458kg Limousin to 186p/kg. 496kg from Andrew Meredith to 185p/kg for another Limousin.

Welsh Blacks to 141p/kg. Herefords to 142p/kg. Angus heifers over thirty months 129p/kg. Over age Blondes to 152p/kg.

82 Young Bulls ov. av 138p/kg

38 Holstein/Friesians were forward this morning. A useful run of Limousins from Mulberry Homes sold to 172p/kg, 171p/kg x 2 and 170p/kg for 538kg to 580kg. 556kg and 578kg Limousins to 170p/kg both from Robert Morris. 604kg Limousins to 166p/kg from Roger Tomley, with 662kg to 165p/kg from Paul Taylor.

Clive Bunning's black and white sold to 141p/kg, with others to 128p/kg from Rob Mayer and the Bunnings once again. Roger Hillage sold to 127p/kg. Our average includes a 73p/kg 'special'.

Leading Vendors

Steers

175p/kg	620kg	M Preece & Co
175p/kg	550kg	J & J Westwood
169p/kg	600kg	G & M Kincaid
169p/kg	530kg	M Preece & Co
168p/kg	622kg	G & M Kincaid
164p/kg	606kg	Murray Roberts & Co
163p/kg	624kg	Murray Roberts & Co
162p/kg	594kg	L Falconbridge

Heifers

200p/kg	534kg	EP Parkes & Son
194p/kg	528kg	EP Parkes & Son
193p/kg	500kg	W Jordin & Son
190p/kg	492kg	S & A Perkins
185p/kg	496kg	AJ Meredith
185p/kg	594kg	EP Parkes & Son
183p/kg	516kg	JL Hewitt
183p/kg	570kg	I & J Preece & Son
182p/kg	604kg	W Jordin & Son
181p/kg	494kg	JL Hewitt
181p/kg	464kg	WA Jebb & Son

Bulls

172p/kg	544kg	Mulberry Homes
171p/kg	580kg	Mulberry Homes
171p/kg	556kg	Mulberry Homes
170p/kg	578kg	JN Morris & Son
170p/kg	538kg	Mulberry Homes
170p/kg	522kg	JN Morris & Son]
169p/kg	536kg	Mulberry Homes
169p/kg	616kg	JN Morris & Son

Bulls cont'd

167p/kg	616kg	Mulberry Homes
166p/kg	604kg	GE Tomley & Sons
165p/kg	594kg	Mulberry Homes
165p/kg	662kg	PI Taylor

Cows

106p/kg	722kg	MP Cullum	A Angus x
105p/kg	812kg	L Faulconbridge	Limousin x
98p/kg	714kg	JG Bason & Son	Simmental x
98p/kg	758kg	MP Cullum	A Angus x
98p/kg	614kg	Millichamp Bros	Blonde x
97p/kg	840kg	PD Levi	Simmental x
94p/kg	680kg	Millichamp Bros	Simmental x
93p/kg	812kg	RT Tudor & Son	Holstein x
88p/kg	702kg	TM Evans & Sons	Blonde x
88p/kg	778kg	RT Tudor & Son	Holstein x

Sheep**1058 Lambs****Auctioneer – Martin Clack 07977 067519**

An improved entry, with a significant number of lambs weighing over 45kg selling to £77. Trade a little easier than the exceptional trade experienced last week, although well in line with other auctions this week.

170p/kg the top price per kilo for 35kg from HA Bunning & Son, with export spec lambs few and far between.

Heavier weights to 149p/kg from RC Evans and several entries averaging well over £70 per head.

SIMILAR ENTRY REQUIRED FOR NEXT WEEK**Leading Prices**

35kg	170p/kg	HA Bunning & Sons
35kg	168p/kg	HA Bunning & Son
38.5kg	168p/kg	IGC Morris
41kg	167p/kg	IGC Morris
38.5kg	166p/kg	MD & JH Watkins

400 Ewes

Suffolk ewes to £82 from Colin Davies. Continentals at £78 and North Country Mules £58 to £64.

Smaller hill ewes to £50 Cheviots, £42 Rough Fell and £38 Scotch. A large number of Welsh ewes to £42, with small plain Welsh £27 to £32.

Rams to £52.50, Mule Wethers £59.50 and the overall average up £5 per head on last week despite the influx of hill ewes.

TUESDAY PRIMESTOCK MARKET**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	

Store Report – 20/11/09**392 Store Cattle – Auctioneer Mark Burgoyne**

An extremely successful sale to report on 20th November, with a large entry of cattle, as producers look to house cattle and make room in their buildings. A firm trade resulted, but it would be fair to say that smaller cattle weren't quite as sharp a trade as our last two bonanzas. Heavier feeders sold to £928 and heifers to £815, with most bulls around the 200p/kg mark or £300 plus through their weight.

Prices as follows:

Cows & Calves

£1180	Charolais Heifer & Calf
£ 940	Charolais Cow in-calf
£ 640	Shorthorn Cow & Heifer Calf
£ 880	Angus x Cow & Heifer Calf
£ 980	Blonde Cow & Heifer Calf
£ 700	Angus Cow in-calf for March

Stock Bull

Charolais £1070

Feeding Cows

660kg	£620	Holstein	560kg	£768	Holstein
660kg	£840	Charolais	640kg	£595	Simmental
660kg	£770	Charolais	700kg	£600	Devon
660kg	£790	Charolais	670kg	£610	Simmental
660kg	£805	Charolais			

Steers

Limousin		Belgian Blue		Simmental	
587kg	£928	550kg	£905	310kg	£410
475kg	£725	315kg	£500	380kg	£590
465kg	£530	550kg	£820	370kg	£568
400kg	£485				
405kg	£450	Charolais		Devon	
587kg	£928	288kg	£450	420kg	£510
375kg	£622	235kg	£410		
355kg	£640			Blonde	
		Holstein		395kg	£692
		560kg	£768		

Heifers

Charolais		Belgian Blue		Limousin	
433kg	£640	320kg	£540	350kg	£565
434kg	£620	295kg	£320	295kg	£390
325kg	£560	330kg	£535	280kg	£450
307kg	£550	380kg	£535	356kg	£610
285kg	£465	287kg	£535	315kg	£505
230kg	£465	305kg	£610	250kg	£490
430kg	£692	380kg	£520	350kg	£495
385kg	£660	540kg	£775	200kg	£380
280kg	£590	460kg	£665	340kg	£585
300kg	£500	560kg	£815	355kg	£590
336kg	£585				
355kg	£625	Devon		Simmental	
375kg	£610	380kg	£538	330kg	£570
		275kg	£410	433kg	£622
		295kg	£475	335kg	£445
		310kg	£410	295kg	£470
				355kg	£470

Blonde

428kg £660
 460kg £765
 420kg £450
 370kg £532
 275kg £495
 320kg £480
 370kg £630
 440kg £785
 360kg £565

Hereford

320kg £480
 190kg £320
 260kg £300

MRI

405kg £450

Devon

340kg £470

Feeding Bulls**Limousin**

360kg £685
 395kg £680
 430kg £665
 290kg £600
 290kg £595
 275kg £295
 375kg £680
 395kg £625
 365kg £620
 300kg £570
 260kg £538

Charolais

385kg £670
 375kg £655
 333kg £650
 385kg £670
 385kg £620
 315kg £600
 273kg £530

Belgian Blue

305kg £660
 333kg £590
 280kg £660
 340kg £625
 375kg £648
 350kg £605
 320kg £608
 215kg £475

Hereford

530kg £710
 250kg £520
 315kg £450
 261kg £420

Holstein

238kg £210
 420kg £350

Devon

350kg £530

33 Calves & Weanlings – Auctioneer Mike Walters

A very strong trade throughout, with a ring full of buyers.

Calves

British Blue Bulls - £305, £282
 British Blue Heifers - £205
 Limousin Bulls - £252, £198
 Hereford Bulls - £214, £190
 Hereford Heifers - £192, £171
 Holstein Bulls - £54, £48

HT Probert & Sons
 HT Probert & Sons
 J & P Breakwell
 PE Brown
 PE Brown
 EJ Clark & Sons

Weanlings

Limousin Bulls - £385, £230
 Limousin Heifers - £260, £240
 British Blue Heifers - £280
 Hereford Bulls - £302
 Hereford Heifers - £300
 Simmental Bulls - £300
 Holstein Bulls - £245

S & J Brown
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 G Martin
 G Martin
 EJ Clark & Son
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350 Store Lambs – Auctioneer Martin Clack

Lambs sold to £69.50 from Chris Clark and £65 Suffolk Wether lambs from R Sedgley. More customers present to purchase over 1,000 lambs, with all grades of lamb extremely dear. Smaller sheep £59.50 Texels, £54 Charollais and Texels weighing 27kg to £50

**CHRISTMAS PRIMESTOCK
SHOW & SALE**

Un-haltered Cattle Classes
 Supreme Champion Beast
 Sheep Classes for Lambs & Ewes
 Special Prizes for Best Single Lamb
 Numerous Cash Prizes & Trophies

MAIN SPONSORS: BARCLAYS BANK PLC

ON TUESDAY 1ST DECEMBER 2009

CATALOGUES AVAILABLE

NEXT STORE SALE

FRIDAY 4TH DECEMBER

ENTRIES INVITED

FOR SALE

18mth old Pedigree Charolais Stock Bull

Contact: Martin Clack 07977 067519

**28 ACRES PASTURE
PERTON, WOLVERHAMPTON**

Available from 1st December
 for equestrian use.

Contact: Melanie Holt 01476 76266

ENTITLEMENTS FOR SALE**5.64 Non SDA Normal
Single Payment Entitlements**

2008 Unit Value €228.37 £180.48

Use by 2010

Offers: circa. £200/unit

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