

# BRIDGNORTH LIVESTOCK MARKET WEEKLY REPORT



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## Prime Cattle Report (Red Market)

**Auctioneer: Mark Burgoyne 07831 192603**

### 272 Prime Cattle

Fewer clean cattle forward this morning with farmers tidying up the hay harvest and with more saleable beasts forward especially in the steer and heifer department, a very good trade resulted producing an overall average including bulls of 145p/kg.

Lean, shapely, retail heifers were the order of the day, with strong orders helping to see females to 191p/kg and 190p/kg and passed 180p/kg on many occasions. Heifers sold to £1046.64. Steers a tremendous trade to 179p/kg or £1120.54 per head. Second quality cattle a firm trade if not too fat.

Bull trade lacks any real spark, with Continentals selling passed 160p/kg if they had real shape and finish. Holsteins were less money than last week selling to 128p/kg. Heavy bulls to £1086.44.

### 10 Cows & 1 Stock Bull

Not enough cows with all our regular buyers present. A useful trade to average 102p/kg including Dexter cows.

520kg young Hereford cows to 127p/kg, with Holsteins to 103p/kg and 100p/kg for 786kg and 604kg. No best Continentals forward. 410kg Dexters to 62p/kg. 846kg Limousin stock bulls to 108p/kg.

### 153 Clean Cattle

54 steers sold to an overall average of 146p/kg. Two Limousins from Matthew Bower topped the section at 179p/kg for 608kg and 626kg (£1120.54 & £1088.32). 594kg Continentals to 172p/kg for John Griffiths, with 554kg to 170p/kg from Arthur Hill. 526kg Limousins to 167p/kg from John Johnston and handy 498kg Limousins to 165p/kg for Mr Howells. Holstein steers to 120p/kg from John Rogers. Red Herefords to 144p/kg from Mr Bridges.

99 heifers sold to average 157p/kg. Matt Bower topped the heifers also at 191p/kg for 490kg. 506kg Blondes to 190p/kg from George Morris who also sold four others from 183p/kg to 187p/kg for Lims, Piedmontese and more Blondes. Arthur Hill sold 508kg Blues to 188p/kg and 472kg Blondes to 182p/kg. Limousins to 182p/kg from Bill Morgan & John Woolrich for 442kg & 496kg respectively. 588kg Limousins from Simon Jones to £1046.64. 386kg Blondes to 176p/kg from Tom Barker. Holstein heifers to 120p/kg from Charles Cadwallader. There were good orders for heifers and steers born, bred

and fed in Wales in operation today. Contact Mark Burgoyne for further information.

### 119 Young Bulls ov av 135p/kg

36 Holstein/Friesians were penned this morning and are included in the averages. John White's Limousin topped this section at 168p/kg for 558kg, with 588kg to 166p/kg from Pete Kirton. Michael Williams' handy Lims sold to 167p/kg for 528kg. Ian Bebb's heavy Lims sold to 161p/kg and 160p/kg for 654kg and 656kg. 570kg to 161p/kg from David Povall, with 576kg to 160p/kg from Goulburn Farms who sold 692kg to £1086.44. 516kg Blues to 160p/kg from Neil Preece.

Roger Rowson topped the black and white department at 128p/kg, with an overall average of 112p/kg including an 82p/kg 'special'.

### Leading Vendors

#### Steers

179p/kg	608kg	GD Bower & Sons
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172p/kg	594kg	CB Griffiths & Son
170p/kg	554kg	CH Hill & Son
167p/kg	526kg	JJ Johnston & Son
165p/kg	498kg	WH Howells
161p/kg	542kg	LR Morgan & Sons

#### Heifers

191p/kg	490kg	GD Bower & Sons
190p/kg	506kg	IGC Morris
188p/kg	508kg	CH Hill & Son
187p/kg	504kg	IGC Morris
186p/kg	520kg	IGC Morris
185p/kg	462kg	CO Watkins & Co
184p/kg	474kg	IGC Morris
183p/kg	492kg	IGC Morris
182p/kg	496kg	JH Woolrich
182p/kg	472kg	CH Hill & Son
182p/kg	442kg	WGT Morgan
180p/kg	524kg	GD Bower & Sons
180p/kg	460kg	GD Bower & Sons
180p/kg	480kg	JH Woolrich

#### Bulls

168p/kg	558kg	ET White & Son
167p/kg	528kg	MJ Williams
166p/kg	588kg	AG Kirton & Sons
161p/kg	654kg	IR Bebb Ltd
161p/kg	570kg	D & K Povall & Sons
160p/kg	656kg	IR Bebb Ltd
160p/kg	576kg	Goulburn Farms
160p/kg	516kg	M Preece & Co

### OTMs

127p/kg	520kg	EM Burgoyne
103p/kg	786kg	EH Pearman & Co
100p/kg	604kg	GH Barker & Son
99p/kg	756kg	EH Pearman & Co
98p/kg	660kg	HT Probert & Son
98p/kg	682kg	HT Probert & Son
95p/kg	778kg	WJ Jones & Co
108p/kg	846kg	WE Monk & Son

### Sheep

**Auctioneer – Martin Clack 07977 067519**

#### **1545 Lambs**

Another large entry of lambs but even with twelve customers in attendance, trade still easier averaging 160p/kg, with best lambs firmer than Monday selling to 204p/kg for 40kg Beltex from T Evans.

Generally very few sheep over 180p/kg, with customers very price conscious. Heavy lamb to £81.60 averaging £73.60.

Lighter weight lambs remain sought after selling around 160p/kg, with hill breeds looking well sold against Continental sired lambs.

1500+ lambs required for next week, with trade for best quality lambs as dear in Bridgnorth as any market in the country.

#### **Leading Prices**

204p/kg	40kg	T Evans
187p/kg	40kg	F Sturgess & Son
186p/kg	38kg	AJ Meredith
181p/kg	40kg	HS Frazer & Son
178p/kg	38kg	F Sturgess & Son

34 Hoggetts sold to average 155p/kg. We still have customer looking for hogs.

#### **333 Ewes**

Eight customers in attendance this week and trade firmer averaging £66 per head to £90 for Suffolks from GL Williamson. Plenty of ewes sold over £80 mainly Suffolk and Continental but also the odd pen of Mules.

Rough Fell cross sold to £74 and Beulah £66, with small Speckles and Nelson ewes to £55.

Rams extremely dear to £120 with 8 rams averaging £102.75.

A single wether realised £78 – a proper good price but possibly the largest non-female ewe in Shropshire!!

## **NEXT STORE SALE**

**FRIDAY 2<sup>ND</sup> JULY**

Sale of 150 Store Cattle,  
2 Simmental Stock Bulls,  
30 Cows & Calves & In-Calvers,  
30 Calves & Weanlings  
& Suffolk Hogs & Lambs

**Catalogues available from website or office**

**ENTRIES INVITED FOR FORTHCOMING**

## **STANDING STRAW SALE**

**DATE TO BE ANNOUNCED**

**CONTACT PAUL TAYLOR 07815 509504**

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