

BRIDGNORTH LIVESTOCK MARKET WEEKLY REPORT

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Prime Cattle Report (Red Market)

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250 Prime Cattle

An excellent number of cattle forward, with quality hard to come by once again. Trade no faster, with buyers complaining of little demand. Hopefully more may be sold now at these reduced prices and begin to firm trade once again. An overall average of 143p/kg resulted, with one buyer missing this morning.

Most steers lacked finish today unless they were over 700kg or above thirty months of age, selling to 165p/kg or £1089.20. Best butchers cattle sold to a very firm trade realising passed 190p/kg on two occasions to 193p/kg. Heavy heifers to £1095.12. Plenty of fat in the heifers, with these penalised and in the 130 pence's generally.

A firm bull trade, with few suckler bulls entered. Handy shop bulls sold to 186p/kg, with Friesians to 144p/kg. Well over half the bulls were Holsteins or Holstein/Friesian.

35 Cows /Stock Bulls sold to av. 89p/kg

Cows are the easiest beef to sell at the moment, with an extra buyer for meat cows today.

692kg Limousin cows sold to 128p/kg, with another 618kg to 126p/kg. Meat Friesians sold to 105p/kg, with most of the black and white cows direct out of the parlour and lean. Boners sold to 84p/kg and down to 45p/kg for 'blue cows'. Lean Limousin stock bulls to 94p/kg for 894kg.

173 Clean Cattle

33 steers sold to average 141p/kg. A nice run of lean shapely Blue and Blondes from Peter Raybould sold to 165p/kg, 163p/kg and 162p/kg for 508kg to 538kg. 522kg Limousins to 163p/kg from Mr Hargreaves. 778kg Limousins to £1089.20 from Matthew Bower, with 784kg Blondes to £1081.92 from Mr Hargreaves once again. 710kg British Blues non FABBL to £1029.50 from Tom Talbot. Over thirty monthers to £999.60 for 714kg Blondes from Frank Millichamp. Holsteins to 123p/kg from Dave Moseley.

140 heifers sold to 149p/kg. George Evans topped with his red Limmies at 193p/kg for 504kg. 568kg British Blues to 191p/kg from Graham Poyner. 422kg handy Limousin to 187p/kg from Dave Chilton and 428kg Blondes to the same from Brian Watkins. Many heifers sold to 180p/kg to 184p/kg. Fat heifers were plentiful today, with buyers trying to side step them!

77 Young Bulls ov av 133p/kg

48 Holstein/Friesians are included in our entry. A cracking 506kg Limousin sold to 186p/kg from Bob Beaman. Heavy bulls to 171p/kg for 642kg from Richard Skellern to realise £1097.82, with another Blue from the same stable to £1097.82 for 698kg. 596kg and 592kg Limousins to 169p/kg and 168p/kg from Ed Green.

Dave Evans' well-finished Friesian topped the black and white section at 144p/kg. Shapeless but meaty Holsteins sold between 125p/kg and 135p/kg generally.

Leading Vendors

Steers

165p/kg	508kg	SJ Raybould & Son
164p/kg	526kg	SJ Raybould & Son
163p/kg	522kg	SW Hargreaves
163p/kg	518kg	SJ Raybould & Son
162p/kg	538kg	SJ Raybould & Son

Heifers

193p/kg	504kg	GM & E Evans
191p/kg	568kg	EG & GI Poyner
187p/kg	428kg	CO Watkins & Co
187p/kg	422kg	JDW Chilton
184p/kg	566kg	GM & E Evans
184p/kg	506kg	SW Hargreaves
184p/kg	512kg	JH Woolrich
183p/kg	576kg	GM & E Evans
183p/kg	508kg	LR Morgan & Son
183p/kg	496kg	F Pinches & Son
183p/kg	560kg	I & J Preece & Co
182p/kg	582kg	EG & GI Poyner

Bulls

186p/kg	506kg	GR Beaman
171p/kg	62kg	JB & EJ Green
169p/kg	596kg	JB & EJ Green
168p/kg	698kg	RJ Skellern
150p/kg	490kg	GH Barker & Son
148p/kg	628kg	DG Glover

Cows

128p/kg	692kg	F Pinches & Son	Limousin x
126p/kg	618kg	F Pinches & Son	Limousin x
118p/kg	694kg	SD Pennington	
118p/kg	792kg	JD & DM Powell	Simmental x
117p/kg	736kg	JD & DM Powell	Simmental x
116p/kg	710kg	SD Pennington	Simmental x
107p/kg	682kg	SD Pennington	Charolais x
107p/kg	766kg	SD Pennington	Hereford x
105p/kg	622kg	JR Beattie & Son	Friesian x
100p/kg	672kg	WD Sykes & Partners	Holstein x
94p/kg	894kg	F Pinches & Son	Lim x Bull

Sheep

1309 Hoggs

Auctioneer – Martin Clack 07977 067519

The best lambs a very brisk trade, with 210p/kg easily achieved for hoggs of the correct weight and finish, to a top price per kilo of 225p/kg for 42kg Texels from Roger Swift and 46 lambs from BJ Ward averaging 38kg and 214p/kg.

Heavier hoggs a little firmer to 185p/kg for 46.5kg and quality mixed over 50kg selling to 165p/kg for 52.5kg. This resulted in the average pound per head as dear as any week to date.

Very few light lambs selling to 180p/kg for 31.5kg

Leading Prices

225p/kg	42kg	R Swift & Son
220p/kg	37.5kg	IGC Morris
217p/kg	38kg	BJ Ward
216p/kg	38.5kg	IGC Morris
216p/kg	37.5kg	BJ Ward

264 Ewes

Suffolk ewes to £133, Charollais £121, Texels £111 and North Country Mules £92, with an overall average of £77 to include several hill ewes.

Swales to £47 and Nelson £65, with one pen of Welsh ewes at £64.50. Lean sheep sought after to £80 Mules and £85 Suffolks. Rams to £95 Charollais.

Store Cattle Report – 05/03/10

248 Store Cattle – Auctioneer Mark Burgoyne

A useful number of cattle forward this morning met a firm trade. A large show of Holstein bulls saw plenty of bidding especially on the young, sweeter bunches. Yearling heifers sold up to £845 for British Blue crosses from Goulburn Farms. Limousin x Heifers with young Angus calves sold to £940.

Prices as follows:-

In-Calf Heifers

£750 Hereford- unknown bull

Grazing Cows

700kg £700 Simmental

Cows & Calf

£940 Limousin x Heifer & Angus Heifer
 £820 Limousin x Heifer & Angus Heifer
 £800 Angus x Cow (2004) & Limousin Heifer Calf

Heifers

Limousin	Charolais	Belgian Blue
360kg £515	350kg £502	400kg £550
305kg £428	370kg £552	406kg £640
306kg £530	465kg £700	370kg £600
433kg £550	485kg £655	330kg £568
330kg £562	450kg £805	360kg £680
343kg £620		355kg £580
330kg £558		395kg £665
310kg £522	Blonde	337kg £618
402kg £590	270kg £390	335kg £490
335kg £475	415kg £632	500kg £735
540kg £680	400kg £700	
432kg £640	435kg £700	Simmental
473kg £690	335kg £590	395kg £580
365kg £625		312kg £530
371kg £600	Angus	
440kg £845	377kg £460	Hereford
340kg £552	450kg £460	540kg £650
445kg £755		346kg £475

Steers

Limousin

375kg	£605
450kg	£668
475kg	£770
295kg	£480
535kg	£840
410kg	£590

Hereford

490kg	£665
404kg	£600
530kg	£720
392kg	£500
445kg	£560
477kg	£648

Belgian Blue

457kg	£682
541kg	£812

South Devon

306kg	£530
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Angus

505kg	£578
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Feeding Bulls

Holstein

243kg	£355
378kg	£345
490kg	£460
415kg	£448
363kg	£375
210kg	£330
176kg	£302
147kg	£225

Limousin

355kg	£545
475kg	£595

Simmental

395kg	£560
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Charolais

297kg	£525
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23 Calves & Weanlings- Auctioneer Mike Walters

A better entry of calves but no outstanding types on offer. Trade however was very brisk for both calves and weanlings. Larger entries needed to meet buyer requirements.

Calves

Limousin Bull Calves	£250	SJ Palmer
Limousin Heifers	£216, £166, £156	J & P Breakwell
	£142	SJ Palmer
Hereford Bulls	£170, £120	PE Brown
Hereford Heifers	£158, £140, £138	PE Brown
Holstein/Friesian Bulls	£40, £38	SJ Palmer

Weanlings

Limousin Bulls	£372	J & P Breakwell
Angus Heifers	£390	P Taylor
Angus Steers	£315	P Taylor

ENTITLEMENTS FOR SALE

Qty	Type	EOUT	£ 2009	£/unit
12.47	NML	Non-SDA	173.19	£190
7.99	NML	Non-SDA	173.19	£190
3.32	NML	Non-SDA	173.19	£190
3.53	NML	Non-SDA	173.19	£190
6.77	NML	Non-SDA	192.17	£200
5.64	NML	Non-SDA	230.05	SOLD
8.90	NML	Non-SDA	245.45	£220
0.62	NML	Non-SDA	245.48	£220
11.26	NML	Non-SDA	287.23	£230
160.36	NML	ESDA		WANTED

FOR SALE

Suffolk x Mule & Texel x Ewes
 scanned to Beltex due 1st April

50 North Country Mules Ewes
 & their 98 Suffolk x Lambs
 tailed, 3-6 weeks old, Heptavac

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