

# BRIDGNORTH LIVESTOCK MARKET WEEKLY REPORT

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## Prime Cattle Report (Red Market)

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### 221 Prime Cattle

Trade a little firmer, with less cattle and quality forward. Plenty of demand for shapely lean cattle, with fat heavily penalised. The normal ring of buyers attended producing a slightly better than anticipated market. Overall market average 142p/kg.

A very sharp trade on butcher's cattle, with buyers struggling to fulfil orders. Best heifers sold to 197p/kg or £1088.70. Steers sold to 170p/kg with a strong Holstein influence in the bullock section. Plenty of poorer percenting beasts helped to deplete our overall average figure.

Bull trade a little better, with the largest majority Holstein/Friesian (56 out of 86). Best suckler bulls sold to 179p/kg, with heavy bulls to £1263.74.

### 36 Cows sold to av. 102p/kg

Following last week's bonanza, cows maintained a good trade. Meat Limousins sold to 128p/kg for 722kg, with 694kg and 784kg Simmentals to 117p/kg. Holstein meated cows sold to 112p/kg. Very few steaking cows below £1/kg, with boners generally above 70p/kg unless devastation!

**MORE COWS REQUIRED NEXT WEEK**

### 135 Clean Cattle

33 steers sold to average 142p/kg. 594kg and 550kg Limousins from Neil Preece topped at 170p/kg and 169p/kg, with handy 478kg Limousins to 166p/kg from Ray Bason. 488kg Belgian Blues to 157p/kg from Bill Aston. Holstein steers to £1078.56 and £991.38 from John Rogers.

102 heifers sold to average 150p/kg. 494kg Limousins sold to a high of 197p/kg, with 520kg to 190p/kg and 574kg to 187p/kg all from Roger Jordin. Dave Brick's 526kg Blue sold to 194p/kg, with 570kg Limousin to 191p/kg from Robert Beaman. John Griffiths' British Blue also sold to 190p/kg for 494kg. Other notable heifers sold to 186p/kg and 185p/kg (x2) from Ray Bason and Peter Raybould respectively.

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

Our entry included 56 Holstein/Friesian bulls. Ian Bebb's cracking red Limousin sold to 177p/kg for 534kg, with his black 612kg Limousin to 170p/kg, but both were eclipsed by Charlie Cadwallader's 706kg Blonde at

179p/kg realising £1263.74. 588kg Limousins to 169p/kg from Ed Green. 586kg Limousin to 160p/kg from Henry and Richard Yates.

Best Friesian bulls sold to a tremendous trade, with 578kg to 157p/kg, 532kg to 154p/kg and 510kg to 151p/kg all from Peter Jones. Roger Rowson sold to 147p/kg for 542kg. All black and whites averaged 124p/kg, with 'blowers' at 78p/kg included.

### Leading Vendors

#### Steers

170p/kg	594kg	M Preece & Co
169p/kg	550kg	M Preece & Co
166p/kg	478kg	JG Bason & Son
157p/kg	488kg	Corfield & Aston
156p/kg	444kg	JG Bason & Son
156p/kg	612kg	JJ Johnston Farms Ltd

#### Heifers

197p/kg	494kg	W Jordin & Son
194p/kg	526kg	WJ Brick & Sons
191p/kg	570kg	GR Beamam
190p/kg	494kg	TG & GA Griffiths & Son
190p/kg	520kg	W Jordin & Son
187p/kg	514kg	W Jordin & Son
186p/kg	426kg	JG Bason & Son
185p/kg	444kg	SJ Raybould & Son
185p/kg	502kg	SJ Raybould & Son

#### Bulls

179p/kg	706kg	EB & C Cadwallader
177p/kg	534kg	IR Bebb Ltd
170p/kg	612kg	IR Bebb Ltd
169p/kg	622kg	JB & EJ Green
168p/kg	588kg	IR Bebb Ltd
166p/kg	648kg	EB & C Cadwallader
166p/kg	614kg	JB & EJ Green
163p/kg	604kg	JB & EJ Green
160p/kg	586kg	H Yates
159p/kg	684kg	GR Beaman
159p/kg	720kg	GR Beaman

#### Cows

128p/kg	722kg	AG Kirton & Son	Limousin x
117p/kg	694kg	Barrow Farms	Simmental x
117p/kg	784kg	WT & D Link	Simmental x
116p/kg	734kg	W Jordin & Sons	Limousin x
115p/kg	564kg	Barrow Farms	Simmental x
114p/kg	676kg	Barrow Farms	Simmental x
113p/kg	662kg	SD Pennington	Angus x
112p/kg	642kg	SD Pennington	Angus x
112p/kg	754kg	W Rodenhurst & Son	Friesian x
109p/kg	668kg	AG Kirton & Sons	Limousin x

**Sheep**  
**1287 Hogs**

**Auctioneer – Martin Clack 07977 067519**

An overall average for hogs of 199p/kg. The best average for many years, with best hogs 38kg to 43kg nothing short of a remarkable trade to 267p/kg twice both from Peter Morris and selling well over £100- £110.80. Export sheep lean with meat and good conformation were all over 225p/kg, with purchasers willing to pay a real premium for quality. Heavier sheep also an improved trade generally, trading around 185p/kg-190p/kg for 46kg and 50kg plus to 170p/kg-178p/kg (£90-£98 per head) Light weights 29.5kg to 186p/kg virtually all over 180p/kg. 42 spring lambs sold to £110 for 40kg at 275p/kg, with more customers looking for lambs

**Leading Prices**

267p/kg	41.5kg	IGC Morris
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258p/kg	41kg	N Kinsey
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254p/kg	42kg	N Kinsey
275p/kg	40kg	MM Rushbrooke
275p/kg	38kg	MM Rushbrooke
250p/kg	32kg	E Rowley
248p/kg	39kg	AW Preece

**380 Ewes**

More ewes this week and trade a little easier although still well over £100 to a top of £106 from Sam Jones, with several lots sold around £100 with purchasers very shy after the £100 barrier. Lesser quality ewes no less money, with mules £80 plus to £88 and large lean ewes as dear as ever, with very plain Texels at £60. Hill ewes to £78 Cheviots, £54 Beulahs and Welsh Mountain at £40 plus. Rams sold to £80, with an overall sale average of £74.32 Good entry of ewes required for next week with mutton sales not affected by Easter!

**NEXT STORE SALE FRIDAY 9<sup>TH</sup> APRIL 2010**

Entries to date include:

55 Suckler Charolais Bulls from one farm  
6 Limousin Bulling Heifers, 10 Holstein Bulls  
& 60 Continental Stores.

**FOLLOWING STORE SALES**

FRIDAY 16<sup>TH</sup> APRIL

FRIDAY 30<sup>TH</sup> APRIL

ANNUAL MAYFAIR- FRIDAY 7<sup>TH</sup> MAY

Prize Show & Sale of  
Store Cattle, Cows & Calves, Calves &  
Weanlings, Store Lambs & Ewes & Lambs

**FOR SALE**

10 HOLSTEIN HEIFERS  
DUE TO CALVE BEGINNING OF MAY  
Contact Mark Burgoyne 07831 192603

**DAVID BOTLEY LIME**

CA & MG Lime	Slag for Grassland
& Limex 70	containing Phosphate,
supplied & spread	Lime, Magnesium,
Soil Testing	Manganese, Sulphur &
Store for Yards & Drives	many more trace element

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**GRAZING LAND TO LET**

**40.33 acres Pasture**  
**at Upper Netchwood, Bridgnorth**  
AVAILABLE NOW – DECEMBER  
MOWING AND/OR SHEEP GRAZING

**47.00 acres Pasture**  
**at Eudon Burnell, Bridgnorth**  
AVAILABLE MAY – DECEMBER.  
MOWING AND/OR SHEEP GRAZING

**Contact: Melanie Holt**

**BRIDGNORTH MACHINERY SALE**

**To include:** Tractors, Loaders, Vehicles,  
Machinery, Livestock Equipment, Building  
Materials, Small Tools & Sundries

**AT BRIDGNORTH LIVESTOCK MARKET**  
**SATURDAY 24<sup>TH</sup> APRIL**

NO BUYERS PREMIUM

**CALL MARTIN 07977 067519**

**ENTRIES FOR CATALOGUE INVITED**  
Entries for Catalogue close Friday 15<sup>th</sup> April