

BRIDGNORTH LIVESTOCK MARKET WEEKLY REPORT

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Prime Cattle Report (Red Market)

Auctioneer: Robin Nettleton

252 Prime Cattle

With Mark Burgoyne enjoying a relaxing family holiday on the beach in Borth, it was time again for Robin to return to the rostrum for his annual reunion or baptism!

Similar numbers to the previous week, with a marked difference (gulf) between good conformation with flesh/finish and poor conformation and poor finish.

Best butchers heifers were again a remarkable trade selling to 197p/kg, 194p/kg for Belgian Blue from IGC Morris, 191p/kg for Limousin from JG Bason & Son and 190p/kg for Limousin from Miss Jean Kirkham.

6 Cows ov. Av. 98.98p/kg

A poor entry forward but two suckler cows selling to 115p/kg (£931/head) from Henry Yates helped the overall average. Friesian Holsteins to 96p/kg from F Pinches & Son.

152 Clean Cattle

Double the entry of steers (40) from last week met an overall average of 141.5p/kg, with a good spread of quality and finish to see a top price of 172p/kg from John Woolrich for his 490kg Limousin steer.

112 heifers met a remarkable trade, with top prices of 197p/kg and 196p/kg for Belgian Blue and Limousin heifers from GD Bower.

100 Bulls

100 bulls met a similar trade to previous week selling to 167p/kg for Belgian Blue from GE Morris. Friesian/Holstein bulls selling to 130p/kg from CPB Rowson and 129p/kg from R Mayer & Son.

Top price per head £1,059 for I & J Preece's Limousin steer, followed by JN Morris £1,052 for Limousin x Bull.

Steers

170p/kg	444kg	GD Bower & Sons
166p/kg	582kg	GD Bower & Sons
161p/kg	476kg	F Pinches & Son
160p/kg	582kg	GD Bower & Sons
160p/kg	650kg	Mulberry Homes
160p/kg	524kg	I & J Preece & Son
153p/kg	564kg	GD Bower & Sons

Heifers

197p/kg	482kg	GD Bower & Sons
196p/kg	484kg	GD Bower & Sons
194p/kg	492kg	IGC Morris
191p/kg	504kg	JG Bason & Son
190p/kg	510kg	Miss JE Kirkham
189p/kg	512kg	Miss JE Kirkham
188p/kg	524kg	JDW Chilton
187p/kg	498kg	JDW Chilton
187p/kg	532kg	JDW Chilton
183p/kg	450kg	F Pinches & Son
181p/kg	498kg	Forest Vale Growers
179p/kg	460kg	F Pinches & Son
175p/kg	438kg	IGC Morris
170p/kg	444kg	IGC Morris
165p/kg	478kg	JG Bason & Son
165p/kg	468kg	F Pinches & Son
161p/kg	476kg	F Pinches & Son
160p/kg	416kg	Corfield & Aston

Bulls

167p/kg	544kg	GE Morris
167p/kg	630kg	JN Morris & Son
163p/kg	574kg	JN Morris & Son
160p/kg	624kg	JN Morris & Son
159p/kg	514kg	Goulburn Farms
159p/kg	508kg	GE Morris
156p/kg	540kg	Corfield & Aston
156p/kg	506kg	GE Morris
153p/kg	560kg	O Davies & Son
153p/kg	610kg	Goulburn Farms

Cows

115p/kg	810kg	Mr H Yates	Lim x
110p/kg	696kg	Forest Vale Growers	BBx
96p/kg	586kg	F Pinches & Son	Lim x
94p/kg	626kg	JR Beattie & Son	Friesian x

Sheep

Auctioneer – Martin Clack 07977 067519

1039 Lambs

Surprisingly less lambs this week, with trade firming to the end of last week.

Several purchasers unable to complete orders, with 1600 sheep required each week.

Lambs sold to £88 per head, with 55kg at 160p/kg and 53.5kg at 162p/kg from Bill Rodenhurst.

More conventional sheep to 179p/kg for 36.5kg Texels from Dave Sturgess and 44kg Texels to 177p/kg from Graham Poyner.

As recent weeks, weight realising no less per kilo.

Light weights 31.5kg to 161p/kg and Continental crosses 34kg to 171p/kg.

Leading Prices

Lambs

36.5kg	179p/kg	F Sturgess & Son
38.5kg	177p/kg	M Preece & Co
43.5kg	177p/kg	EG & GI Poyner
44kg	177p/kg	EG & GI Poyner
39kg	176p/kg	RC Evans

590 Ewes

Texels to £97 from Peter Kirton and Suffolk x Mules at £86 from TE Jones & Son, with several large ewes over £80.

Lean ewes remain very dear, with medium Continental sheep at £80.

A large proportion of this week's entry being very plain Hill ewes still in the wool. Mules to £60 and large cross bred at £91. Hill ewes to £45 Swales and £50 Beulahs.

Can all cattle vendors please ensure that Booking-in Form and Food Chain Declaration are completed prior to arrival at market.

NEXT STORE SALE

FRIDAY 30TH JULY

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