

BRIDGNORTH LIVESTOCK MARKET

WEEKLY REPORT – 12.01.21



107 PRIME CATTLE

Auctioneer – Mark Burgoyne 07831 192603

It was great to see trade holding up well, with Covid lockdown causing logistic problems but not dampening the price. Perhaps not quite the heady heights of last Tuesday on the best cattle, but as a yard of beasts, they sold to a fair trade.

More steers penned this morning with best shapes selling to 250p/kg and to £1645 in the lump. Well finished bullocks attracted plenty of interest.

Our heifer entry was sprinkled with stardust, but there were also several runs of more commercial types and overagers. Best butchers cattle sold to a high of 266p/kg, with 5 others past 260p/kg. Less handy-weight cattle forward generally. Heavy females sold to £1638.36.

More bulls forward but quality was very limited. A strong level of demand throughout, with suckler bulls selling to 231p/kg or £1574 in the lump. Several consignments of Holsteins met a sharp trade to 184p/kg. Any bulls with meat were easy to sell

6 COWS SOLD TO OV. AV. 113P/KG

Cow trade is on the up as numbers have been tight nationally. British Blue crosses sold to 130p/kg for 698kg, with 686kg Limousin crosses to 127p/kg.

MORE COWS NEEDED EACH WEEK PLEASE

107 CLEAN CATTLE

24 STEERS SOLD TO OV.AV. 203P/KG

A super run of homebred Limousin crosses from Gordon & Chris Jones sold to 250p/kg and 249p/kg both 658kg, the best adding up to £1645 in the lump. Handy-weight Blonde steers from Rob Lilley topped at 249p/kg, with 644kg Limmies to 240p/kg from the Dalton stable. British Blues sold to 238p/kg from Rita Corfield-McCowan.

83 HEIFERS SOLD TO OV. AV. 218P/KG

Last man in topped the day with Marcus Whitehouse's Limousin cross heifer selling to 266p/kg for 490kg. 585kg British Blues from Rob Morris took second spot at 265p/kg, with Richard Parkes selling the best of his heifers to 264p/kg for 518kg. Rob Amphlett sold his quick Limmie to 262p/kg with Blues from Mrs B to 260p/kg. Heavy Limousins from the Dalton stable sold to £1638.36 for 666kg. Once again, heavy meated heifers seeing strong demand.

67 BULLS SOLD TO OV.AV 185P/KG

A great average considering a strong Holstein influence penned this morning.

Richard Price's fit Limousins sold to 231p/kg for 600kg and 228p/kg for 630kg. 706kg Limmies from Dave Preece added up nicely at £1574.35 (223p/kg) with Nigel Lloyd selling his to 221p/kg for 638kg Limousin.

Several runs of Holsteins forward saw Colin Evans selling his black & whites to 184p/kg.

50 plus well fed bulls required each week.

STEERS P/KG

250p/kg	658kg	25m	LIMX	TE Jones & Son
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249p/kg	490kg	16m	BAX	Connington Farms Ltd
240p/kg	644kg	21m	LIMX	LH Dalton & Son
239p/kg	600kg	19m	LIMX	LH Dalton & Son
238pp/kg	622kg	19m	BRB	R Corfield-McCowan
230p/kg	568kg	16m	LIMX	P Taylor

STEERS £/HEAD

£1645.00	658kg	25m	LIMX	TE Jones & Son
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£1545.60	644kg	21m	LIMX	LH Dalton & Son
£1480.36	622kg	19m	BRB	R Corfield-McCowan

HEIFERS P/KG

266p/kg	490kg	18m	LIMX	DS & MA Whitehouse
265p/kg	588kg	16m	BRB	JN Morris & Son
264p/kg	518kg	17m	LIMX	EP Parkes & Sons
262p/kg	582kg	22m	LIMX	CR Amphlett
260p/kg	538kg	15m	LIMX	EP Parkes & Sons
260p/kg	526kg	23m	BRB	C Burgoyne
259p/kg	510kg	19m	LIMX	EP Parkes & Sons
258p/kg	518kg	23m	BRB	C Burgoyne
258p/kg	618kg	20m	LIMX	LH Dalton & Son
257p/kg	530kg	18m	LIMX	EP Parkes & Sons
257p/kg	592kg	16m	LIMX	RC Evans (Curdale Farm)
256p/kg	516kg	15m	Shorthorn	C Burgoyne
254p/kg	560kg	17m	LIMX	P Parker & Son
251p/kg	528kg	19m	LIMX	RC Evans (Curdale Farm)

HEIFERS £/HEAD

£1638.36	666g	20m	LIMX	LH Dalton & Son
£1594.44	618kg	20m	LIMX	LH Dalton & Son
£1558.20	588kg	16m	BRB	JN Morris & Son
£1547.52	624kg	20m	BRB	LH Dalton & Son
£1524.84	582kg	22m	LIMX	CR Amphlett
£1521.44	592kg	16m	LIMX	RC Evans (Curdale Farm)
£1440.96	608kg	21m	BAX	Millichamp Bros



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BULLS P/KG

231p/kg	600kg	15m	LIMX	VT & J Price
228p/kg	630kg	20m	LIMX	VT & J Price
223p/kg	706kg	22m	LIMX	A Preece & Son
221p/kg	638kg	14m	LIMX	NJ PA & RA Lloyd
219p/kg	612kg	18m	LIMX	TEG Meddins & Co
219p/kg	670kg	19m	LIMX	RJ Skellern
219p/kg	600kg	19m	LIMX	TEG Meddins
216p/kg	510kg	14m	LIMX	F Povall & Son
210p/kg	644kg	18m	BRB	JD Williams & Son
209p/kg	632kg	17m	SMX	Blaeneifed Farms Ltd

BULLS £/HEAD

£1574.38	706kg	22m	LIMX	A Preece & Son
£1467.30	670kg	19m	LIMX	RJ Skellern
£1436.40	630kg	20m	LIMX	VT & J Price
£1409.98	638kg	14m	LIMX	NJ PA & RA Lloyd
£1386.00	600kg	15m	LIMX	VT & J Price
£1352.40	644kg	18m	BRB	JD Williams & Son
£1349.40	692kg	17m	SMX	Blaeneifed Farms Ltd

DAIRY BULLS P/KG

184p/kg	540kg	14m	FRX	C Evans
180p/kg	490kg	16m	FRX	C Evans

OTM COW P/KG

130p/kg	698kg	165m	BBX	Millichamp Bros
127p/kg	686kg	158m	LIMX	RT Bebb Ltd
120p/kg	816kg	85m	BRB	Millichamp Bros
118p/kg	720kg	142m	LIMX	RT Bebb Ltd
110p/kg	706kg	85m	BRB	R Corfield-McCowan

OTM COW £/HEAD

£979.20	816kg	85m	BRB	Millichamp Bros
£907.40	698kg	165m	BBX	Millichamp Bros
£871.22	686kg	158m	LIMX	RT Bebb Ltd
£849.60	720kg	142m	LIMX	RT Bebb Ltd
£776.60	706kg	85m	BRB	R Corfield-McCowan

**1830 HOGGS****Auctioneer – Martin Clack 07977 067519**

A large show of hogs averaging 267p/kg and selling to over £3/kg, with 43kg to 303p/kg from Richard Morgan and £142.70 for 51½kg.

Once again, clean, belly clipped hogs sold to a premium with abattoirs experiencing problems with wet, dirty hogs. That said, this would be the best trade for some time. All hogs over 44kg averaged £125.50. The wholesale average was £111.58 and with wholesalers generally busy, the only downside being exporters are struggling with the mass of paperwork now involved in exporting to the European Union

Heavy hogs sold to 256p/kg for 52½kg from Alan Jones, 49kg to 280p/kg from Pete Levi and 36kg to 42kg hogs in short supply and easily sold around 260p/kg to 280p/kg. Lighter hill sheep a mind blowing trade with 32kg at 259p/kg and Beltex 33kg to 274p/kg.

Good show of hogs required for next week.**Top Prices:**

43.0kg	303p/kg	LR Morgan & Son
45.0kg	300p/kg	AJ Meredith
40.0kg	296p/kg	IGC Morris
41.0kg	290p/kg	H Mold
40.5kg	290pkg	H Mold

Top Price Hogs Over 45kg:

49.5g	280p/kg	P Levi
49.5kg	278p/kg	AJ Meredith
51.5kg	277p/kg	LR Morgan
50.5kg	277p/kg	LR Morgan
51.5kg	277p/kg	LR Morgan
46.5kg	270p/kg	LH Dalton & Son
51.5kg	£142.70	LR Morgan & Son
52.0kg	£142.40	CN Wadlow
50.5kg	£140.00	LR Morgan & Son
49.5kg	£137.60	AJ Meredith
49.0kg	£137.20	P Levi



CLEAN, DRY, BELLY CLIPPED SHEEP WILL SELL TO A PREMIUM, SO PLEASE MAKE AN EFFORT TO PRESENT STOCK CLEAN

677 EWES

Auctioneer – Martin Clack 07977 06751

A very good entry of ewes and with numbers of ewes in markets drastically reduced, average was £92 and selling to £128 for Texel x ewes from Garry Davies.

The larger entry attracted more customers and heavy ewes were keenly sought after, with a drove of ewes £120 to £128. Large lean ewes sold well over £100 with plain Suffolks at £103. North Country Mules sold to £100 with ¾ meated Mules £88 to £92.

Plenty of cross bred ordinary ewes which sold extremely well, with most wholesalers short on supplies. Hill ewes sold to £53 Welsh Mountain, £60 Swales and £62 Scotch Blackface.

More ewes urgently required for next week, please contact Martin Clack on 07977 067519

Top Prices:

£128.00	Texel	G Davies
£127.00	Texel	MD & EA Evans
£127.00	Texel	AW Preece
£127.00	Texel	Ed Bunning
£127.00	Texel	G Davies
£125.00	Texel	Totley Farms



STORE SALE THIS FRIDAY

15TH JANUARY 2021 AT 11AM

200 Store Lambs

200 Store Cattle

Entries to date include:

60 British Blue Steers/Heifers 12m from D Hughes Plasgwy

20 Holstein Bulls from C Mansell, Forge Farm

80 Store Cattle from University Farms

Further Entries accepted on sale day

ORANGE TB RESTRICTED STORE SALE REPORT – 08.01.21

104 STORE CATTLE

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A nice ring full of buyers for the first store sale of 2021 with mainly dairy-bred cattle. Most of the cattle that were feeders were well over 30 months and most of the smaller types were plenty old enough for age. However, all sold to a satisfactory end with 32m Hereford cross steers to £1105 and 32m old British Blue cross heifers to £905.

Plenty of men looking for cattle – especially stronger and better quality sorts.

We are in the process of booking an Orange TB Store Sale for February – please could you contact Mark Burgoyne if you have restricted cattle to sell.

Top Prices as follows:

STEERS P/KG

185.70p/kg	595kg	32m	HEX	Brood Ltd
177.30/kg	423kg	23m	LIMX	Brood Ltd

STEERS £/HEAD

£1105.00	595kg	32m	HEX	Brood Ltd
£1095.00	647kg	32m	HEX	Brood Ltd
£800.00	585kg	40m	LIMX	Brood Ltd
£750.00	423kg	23m	LIMX	Brood Ltd

HEIFERS P/KG

185.00p/kg	365kg	32m	HEX	Brood Ltd
176.10p/kg	494kg	32m	BRB	Brood Ltd

HEIFERS £/HEAD

£905.00	530kg	32m	BRB	Brood Ltd
£880.00	510.8kg	32m	BRB	Brood Ltd
£870.00	494kg	32m	BRB	Brood Ltd
£835.00	484kg	31m	BRB	Brood Ltd
£815.00	495kg	32m	BRB	Brood Ltd
£800.00	465kg	32m	BRB	Brood Ltd

RURAL BUSINESS & FARMING FINANCE

Looking ahead to 2021, it's likely that a post-Brexit era and the regulatory impacts of the Agricultural Bill will add further complications as you make plans for your business' future.

Consider Your Options

Whether your plans have changed or not, now may be a good time to control the things you can and consider your financial options. If you are looking to expand, diversify, purchase new land or buildings, make improvements to infrastructure or need to restructure your current borrowing, AMC are here to support you.

Long-Term Support

- Terms from 5 to 30 years
- Long-term fixed or variable rates*
- Repayment or interest only options
- Loans that can be passed on to the next generation†

* There is always a possibility that interest rates may go down leaving a fixed rate loan at a higher level compared to a variable rate loan. However, if interest rate rise, a fixed rate loan will remain at the same rate.

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