

# BRIDGNORTH LIVESTOCK MARKET

## WEEKLY REPORT – 01.09.15

### PRIME CATTLE (RED)

**Auctioneer – Mark Burgoyne 07831 192603**

#### 118 PRIME CATTLE

A small Bank Holiday week entry saw cattle a firm trade especially as they ticked all the boxes. All cattle sold in line or above deadweight quotations, with large abattoirs ringing around this morning short of cattle. An overall average just short of 190p/kg was seriously depleted by a strong Holstein influence in the bulls.

Less than double figures of steers sold to 205p/kg or £1460 in the lump. More steers could have easily sold especially 550kg-700kg with meat.

Heifers were a sharp trade to 249p/kg on two occasions with many 240p/kg or above. Heavy females to £1345.

More bulls than clean helped fill regular orders and saw prices in front of last week. Heavy Continental bulls with shape sold to 216p/kg or £1568 in the whole. Meated black and white bulls were a cracking trade to 176p/kg.

#### ONLY 4 COWS FORWARD

Farm Assured small Jersey cows 438kg sold to 57p/kg from John Eveson. 604kg ruby Devon cows sold to 92p/kg for Mr Colley with plenty of bark on.

**MORE COWS NEEDED WHEN WE HAVE A NORMAL WEEK NEXT TUESDAY**

#### 57 CLEAN CATTLE

**Only 8 steers sold to av. 182p/kg** – The Truswell brothers' 712kg Charolais headed the section at 205p/kg with their 544kg British Blue to 200p/kg. Holstein steers to 159p/kg.

**49 heifers sold to av. 217p/kg** – The normal run of quality from Richard Parkes sold to 249p/kg to average 242p/kg on seven Limousins. IGC Morris' Blonde equalled this at 249p/kg for 516kg. Sweet 466kg Limmies from Charlie Sandells sold to 248p/kg, with Dave Chilton selling to 246p/kg and 240p/kg. Heavier Limousins to £1345 from David Bradley.

#### 61 BULLS SOLD TO AV. 166P/KG

A pleasing trade masked a little by the dairy bulls in the averages. 726kg Limousins from Matt Bower stole the honours at 216p/kg, with 718kg Lims to 215p/kg from Todd Harris. Handy-weight 542kg Limousins also sold to 216p/kg from Andrew Preece, with Blondes 548kg to 212p/kg from Brian Watkins.

Mary Beaumont's thick meat Holsteins sold to 176p/kg, 174p/kg and 171p/kg, with plenty of black and whites 160p/kg-169p/kg and adding up nicely.

### STEERS £/KG

|         |       |     |      |              |
|---------|-------|-----|------|--------------|
| 205p/kg | 712kg | 25m | CHx  | NJ Truswell  |
| 200p/kg | 544kg | 26m | BRB  | NJ Truswell  |
| 198p/kg | 666kg | 26m | BAX  | NJ Truswell  |
| 181p/kg | 704kg | 29m | LIMx | RG & TI Bebb |

### STEERS £/HEAD

|          |       |     |      |              |
|----------|-------|-----|------|--------------|
| £1459.60 | 712kg | 25m | CHx  | NJ Truswell  |
| £1381.56 | 794kg | 29m | SMx  | RG & TI Bebb |
| £1318.68 | 666kg | 26m | BAX  | NJ Truswell  |
| £1274.24 | 704kg | 29m | LIMx | RG & TI Bebb |

### HEIFERS £/KG

|         |       |     |      |                  |
|---------|-------|-----|------|------------------|
| 249p/kg | 516kg | 26m | BAX  | IGC Morris       |
| 249p/kg | 500kg | 16m | LIMx | EP Parkes & Sons |
| 248p/kg | 462kg | 18m | LIMx | EP Parkes & Sons |
| 248p/kg | 466kg | 14m | LIMx | KJ Sandells      |
| 246p/kg | 482kg | 23m | LIMx | JDW Chilton      |
| 245p/kg | 486kg | 15m | LIMx | EP Parkes & Sons |
| 244p/kg | 530kg | 16m | LIMx | EP Parkes & Sons |
| 242p/kg | 494kg | 16m | LIMx | EP Parkes & Sons |
| 240p/kg | 458kg | 17m | LIMx | JDW Chilton      |

### HEIFERS £/HEAD

|          |       |     |      |                  |
|----------|-------|-----|------|------------------|
| £1345.20 | 708kg | 28m | LIMx | DJ Bradley       |
| £1293.20 | 530kg | 16m | LIMx | EP Parkes & Sons |
| £1288.56 | 546kg | 19m | LIMx | EP Parkes & Sons |
| £1284.84 | 516kg | 26m | BAX  | IGC Morris       |
| £1264.00 | 632kg | 28m | LIMx | A Preece & Son   |

### BULLS £/KG

|         |       |     |      |                 |
|---------|-------|-----|------|-----------------|
| 216p/kg | 726kg | 16m | LIMx | MJ Bower        |
| 216p/kg | 542kg | 17m | LIMx | AR Preece       |
| 215p/kg | 718kg | 16m | LIMx | JL Hewitt       |
| 212p/kg | 548kg | 14m | BAX  | CO Watkins & Co |
| 210p/kg | 638kg | 16m | LIMx | MJ Bower        |
| 208p/kg | 734kg | 16m | LIMx | JL Hewitt       |
| 207p/kg | 566kg | 16m | BRB  | Smith & Barnett |

### BULLS £/HEAD

|          |       |     |      |           |
|----------|-------|-----|------|-----------|
| £1568.16 | 726kg | 16m | LIMx | MJ Bower  |
| £1543.70 | 718kg | 16m | LIMx | JL Hewitt |
| £1526.72 | 734kg | 16m | LIMx | JL Hewitt |
| £1354.56 | 664kg | 16m | LIMx | MJ Bower  |
| £1339.80 | 638kg | 16m | LIMx | MJ Bower  |

### DAIRY BULLS £/KG

|         |       |     |      |                    |
|---------|-------|-----|------|--------------------|
| 206p/kg | 588kg | 15m | MONT | W Rodenhurst & Son |
| 180p/kg | 592kg | 18m | MONT | W Rodenhurst & Son |
| 176p/kg | 516kg | 13m | HO   | JR Beaumont & Sons |
| 174p/kg | 572kg | 13m | MONT | W Rodenhurst & Son |
| 174p/kg | 520kg | 13m | HO   | JR Beaumont & Sons |
| 171p/kg | 482kg | 13m | HO   | JR Beaumont & Sons |

### DAIRY BULLS £/HEAD

|          |       |     |      |                    |
|----------|-------|-----|------|--------------------|
| £1211.28 | 588kg | 15m | MONT | W Rodenhurst & Son |
| £1065.60 | 592kg | 18m | MONT | W Rodenhurst & Son |
| £909.22  | 538kg | 13m | HO   | JR Beaumont & Sons |
| £908.16  | 516kg | 13m | HO   | JR Beaumont & Sons |
| £904.80  | 520kg | 13m | HO   | JR Beaumont & Sons |

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### OTMS £/KG

|        |       |      |      |           |
|--------|-------|------|------|-----------|
| 92p/kg | 604kg | 138m | DEVx | JM Colley |
| 86p/kg | 712kg | 77m  | DEVx | JM Colley |
| 57p/kg | 438kg | 95m  | JE   | R Eveson  |
| 45p/kg | 444kg | 106m | JE   | R Eveson  |

### 850 LAMBS

**Auctioneer: Martin Clack 079777 067519**

Trade up some 27p/kg on last week to 187p/kg and £93 per head. A very volatile trade firming throughout the sale with several pens of heavier lambs well over 160p/kg to 168p/kg for 49kg Texels.

Once again, top honours went to WJ Jones & Co for 44kg Texels lambs and lighter lambs keenly sought after to 175p/kg for 35kg, 174p/kg for 34kg and 170p/kg for 33kg.

### Top Prices

|         |        |               |
|---------|--------|---------------|
| 187p/kg | 44kg   | WJ Jones & Co |
| 184p/kg | 40.5kg | GR Woolley    |
| 184p/kg | 43kg   | IGC Morris    |
| 184p/kg | 40kg   | GR Woolley    |
| 182p/kg | 44kg   | WJ Jones & Co |

### EWES

A smaller entry with trade simmering off the boil. Texel x ewes to £80, Lleyns £77 and Suffolk £76. Large Mule ewes around £60.

Less hill ewes this week selling to £42. Rams a firm trade to £86 Suffolk, £85 Texel and £84 Charollais.

### DOWNTON ESTATES 7TH ANNUAL STORE SHEEP SALE

On Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> August, 5490 sheep were offered at The Brakes Farm, Downton, Ludlow.

It was another early start with the entire lamb crop sorted and penned for an 11am start, with customers travelling from all corners of the UK to purchase lambs despite the uncertainty of the fat lamb trade.

As predicted wether lambs sold to an easier trade to last year although smaller, long term lambs virtually all over £50 to £56.80 Suffolks and £56.20 Texels.

2400 ewes lambs to £79 New Zealand x North Country Mules with a growing reputation and customers travelling to purchase New Zealand x lambs. Smaller Suffolk Mules around £70 and Texels £72.50.

An overall average for ewe lambs of £63.40, up on last year's average, with overall the sale within £1 of last year.

Grazing ewes to £57 averaging to £53.80, with the plainer mules all over £50.50. Leaner ewes looking very well sold.



### **NEXT STORE SALE**

**THIS FRIDAY 4TH SEPTEMBER AT 11:00AM**

To include; 100 Store Cattle

125 Breeding Rams

200 North Country Mule Yearlings

& 40 Welsh Mule Yearlings

*Further Entries invited. Catalogue available online*

### **COLLECTIVE MACHINERY SALE**

Sale of Small Tools, Workshop, Gardening & Horticultural Equipment, Timber, Seasonal Logs & Fodder, Large Farm Machinery, Livestock Equipment, Tractors, Vehicles & Quads

**ON SATURDAY 12TH SEPTEMBER AT 10:30AM**

At Bridgnorth Livestock & Auction Centre

**ENTRIES INVITED**

*On behalf of JR & SE Mapp who are retiring from farming*

**A GENUINE DISPERSAL SALE OF AGRICULTURAL MACHINERY & EFFECTS IN FIRST CLASS ORDER**

**ON SATURDAY 26TH SEPTEMBER AT 11:00AM**

At Catstree Farm, Worfield, WV15 5JY

*Pictures online. Catalogues to follow*

### **TO LET**

**270 ACRES PRIME ARABLE LAND WITH GRAIN STORAGE**

**Benthall Farm, Ford, Shrewsbury, Shropshire**

Available to let on 3 year FBT

**TENDER DEADLINE:**

**MONDAY 14TH SEPTEMBER AT 12NOON**

### **TO LET**

**70 ACRES GRASS, ALBRIGHTON AREA**

Sheep only until mid-March. Mostly well-fence.

Small length of electric required. Owner will check sheep & battery.

Contact: Mark Burgoyne 07831 192603

### **FOR SALE**

**EQUESTRIAN SMALLHOLDING, CHELMARSH**

An equestrian smallholding with portfolio of let property, range of outbuildings with equestrian facilities, pasture and woodland extending in total to approx. 22.70ac (9.19ha)

**GUIDE PRICE: £1,050,000**