BRIDGNORTH LIVESTOCK MARKET WEEKLY REPORT – 04.04.23



83 PRIME CATTLE

Auctioneer – Mark Burgoyne 07831 192603

Tight on numbers once again, especially in the bull department. A firm trade throughout but no dearer than recent sales, as the forthcoming Easter Bank Holiday period disrupts trade. 18 cattle sold past 300p/kg with bulls over £2000 on three occasions.

A nice steer entry but with a few too many needing further finishing. Best steers sold to 313p/kg or £1784 in the lump.

Butchers' heifers topped at 336p/kg with 6 over or at 320p/kg. Heavy females sold to £1801.

Bull trade was sharp with more orders than bulls – similar story every Tuesday. Best suckler bulls sold to 290p/kg or £2139 in the body. Friesian bulls topped at 241p/kg with many more Black & Whites needed.

65 CLEAN CATTLE

10 STEERS SOLD TO OV. AV. 273P/KG

A sweet black Limmie from Roger Jordin topped here at 313p/kg for 570kg with 'Mrs B' taking second spot for her 538kg Limmie at 310p/kg. John Cantrill sold his yearling Simmental Limmies to 272p/kg.

55 HEIFERS SOLD TO OV. AV. 280P/KG

The Parkes family were top dog again selling their Blue to 336p/kg for 538kg with others to 320p/kg and 317p/kg. Andrew and Neale Dalton sold their shapey Limmie to 331p/kg with his second best to 328p/kg. Nigel Fieldhouse sold to 330p/kg for his handy weight Limousin early in the draw.

18 BULLS SOLD TO OV. AV. 252P/KG

Desperately short of bulls once again with John Hewitt selling his 3 Limmies to a high of 290p/kg for 724kg to average £2085. Stabilisers from James Woolrich to 266p/kg for 718kg. Only a few Black & Whites sold to 241p/kg from the returning Colin Evans.

* MORE BULLS URGENTLY NEEDED *

AFU CATTLE VENDORS PLEASE NOTE:

Could producers selling in the Red Market from Approved Finishing Units (AFU) please provide a copy of your licence (TB24h) for our records. This is a requirement of our licencing with the Veterinary Inspectorate.

STEERS P/KG

313p/kg	570kg	15m	LIMx	W Jordin & Son
310p/kg	538kg	30m	LIMx	C Burgoyne
272p/kg	564kg	13m	LIMx	R & T Cantrill & Son
271p/kg	506kg	12m	LIMx	R & T Cantrill & Son
270p/kg	540kg	13m	LIMx	R & T Cantrill & Son

STEERS £/HEAD

£1784.10	570kg	15m	LIMx	W Jordin & Son
£1667.80	538kg	30m	LIMx	C Burgoyne
£1606.40	640kg	22m	BRB	C Burgoyne
£1534.08	564kg	13m	LIMx	R & T Cantrill & Son
£1502.80	578kg	22m	BRB	C Burgovne

HEIFERS P/KG

336p/kg	536kg	17m	BRB	HE Parkes
331p/kg	508kg	18m	LIMx	LH Dalton & Son
330p/kg	492kg	17m	LIMx	K & N Fieldhouse
328p/kg	546kg	21m	LIMx	LH Dalton & Son
322p/kg	558kg	15m	LIMx	K & N Fieldhouse
320p/kg	520kg	23m	LIMx	HE Parkes
317p/kg	568kg	23m	LIMx	HE Parkes
314p/kg	570kg	16m	CHx	W Jordin & Son
314p/kg	526kg	20m	LIMx	W Jordin & Son
312p/kg	496kg	27m	LIMx	GG Davies
310p/kg	548kg	11m	LIMx	LH Dalton & Son
310p/kg	516kg	19m	CHx	C Burgoyne
310p/kg	526kg	23m	LIMx	HE Parkes
309p/kg	568kg	21m	LIMx	HE Parkes
304p/kg	514kg	22m	LIMx	W Jordin & Son
300p/kg	528kg	19m	CHx	W Jordin & Son

HEIFERS £/HEAD

£1800.96	536Kg	1/m	RKR	HE Parkes
£1800.56	568kg	23m	LIMx	HE Parkes
£1796.78	558kg	15m	LIMx	K & N Fieldhouse
£1790.88	546kg	21m	LIMx	LH Dalton & Son
£1789.80	570kg	16m	CHx	W Jordin & Son
£1755.12	568kg	21m	LIMx	HE Parkes
£1713.60	612kg	23m	LIMx	GG Davies
£1698.80	548kg	11m	LIMx	LH Dalton & Son
£1696.20	660kg	24m	LIMx	C Burgoyne
£1681.48	508kg	18m	LIMx	LH Dalton & Son





DAIRY BULLS P/KG241p/kg470kg14mFRC Evans236p/kg492kg16mFRC Evans

BULLS P/KG

290p/kg	/24kg	23m	LIIVIX	JW Hewitt
289p/kg	740kg	20m	LIMx	JW Hewitt
285p/kg	708kg	26m	LIMx	JW Hewitt
266p/kg	718kg	19m	CONT	JH Woolrich
266p/kg	704kg	21m	SALx	GB & M Bryan & Son
260p/kg	646kg	19m	CONT	JH Woolrich

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GB & M Bryan & Son

BULLS £/HEAD

260p/kg

£2138.60	740kg	20m	LIMx	JL Hewitt
£2099.60	724kg	23m	LIMx	JL Hewitt
£2017.80	708kg	26m	LIMx	JL Hewitt
£1909.88	718kg	19m	CONT	JH Woolrich

630kg 16m

£1872.64 704kg 21m SALx GB & M Bryan & Son

116 SPRING LAMBS

Auctioneer - Martin Clack 07977 067519

A few more lambs forward and trade well up on recent weeks with best lambs well over 400p/kg to 448p/kg for 38kg Texels from Andrew Preece and 448p/kg for 37.5kg from Steve Lewis.

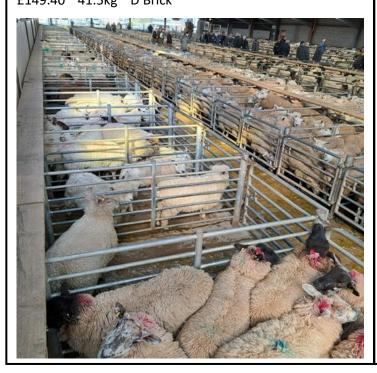
Lambs over 40kg to 452p/kg also from Andrew Preece and £180.80 per head. Overweight lambs at 59.5kg to £156.

Top Prices p/kg

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452p/kg	40.0kg	AW Preece
448p/kg	38.0kg	AW Preece
448p/kg	37.5kg	IS Lewis & Son
415p/kg	36.5kg	AG Kirton & Son
404p/kg	39.5kg	GR Needham

Top Prices £/Head

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£180.80	40.0kg	A Preece
£159.50	39.5kg	G Needham
£156.00	40.0kg	G Needham
£156.00	59.0kg	D Roberts
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1835 PRIME HOGGS

Auctioneer - Martin Clack 07977 067519

A very similar trade to last week averaging 281p/kg without the highs and lows of last week.

Best hoggs over 300p/kg to 317p/kg for 43.5kg from Richard Yates. Plenty of 40kg to 42kg hoggs at 310p/kg to 315p/kg with heavier hoggs 47kg to 309p/kg and £157 from Dave Roberts.

Meat in demand with well finished hoggs realising the higher prices per kilo regardless of weight.

Hoggs under 36kg very well sold with 35.5kg cross bred hoggs from Rob Rose to 293p/kg.

Top Prices p/kg

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317p/kg	43.5kg	H Yates
315p/kg	42.0kg	N Kinsey
315p/kg	42.5kg	N Kinsey
315p/kg	43.0kg	MD & EA Evans
314p/kg	43.5kg	N Kinsey
313p/kg	45.5kg	R Yates
311p/kg	45.5kg	LH Dalton Haughton Ltd
311p/kg	41.0kg	MD & EA Evans

Top Prices £/Head

£156.80	64.0kg	DB Roberts
£156.00	56.5kg	AG Kirton & Son
£151.80	60.0kg	J Griffin
£149.00	54.0kg	AG Kirton & Son
£145.00	56.5kg	D Shakeshaft
£143.00	61.0kg	J Rogers

600 EWES

Auctioneer - Martin Clack 07977 067519

A good entry of ewes and trade much dearer than expected. Seven customers in attendance for all classes of sheep.

Better Continental ewes from Pete Kirton at £180. Smaller but very good shaped Beltex £160, Blue Texels £150, Suffolk x Mules £140 and North Country Mules £120.

Trade generally very firm on the plainer and smaller ewes with heavy ewes a very similar trade to recent weeks.

Hill ewes dearer with small Welsh Mountain at £46, Speckles £60 and small Easy Care £64.

Very plain Mules £60 and Warmed up Suffolks £80 and Milk sheep £110.

A mixed bag of Rams to £125 for lean Texels.

10 Goats to £82 for Boer Goats and £90 for small but meated Mexican Racing Goats.

Top Prices £/Head:

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£180.00	Texel	AG Kirton & Son
£160.00	Texel	MD & EA Evans
£155.00	Texel	H Digwood
£154.00	Texel	AG Kirton & Son
£150.00	Blue Texel	D Roberts

STORE SALE REPORT – FRIDAY 31st MARCH STORE SHEEP

Quality not quantity was in store with Texel x store hoggs selling to £115 and longer term Suffolks to £91.

Texel x Mule (full mouth) with doubles selling to £62 a life and Badger Face ewes to £60 a life. Broken mouthed Speckle ewes with strong lambs to £52 a life.

More Store Sheep required for the next sale – 21st April

115 STORE CATTLE

What a trade – absolutely off the clock! A superb go on the cows and calves from Ian Archer with outlying Blue x 3rd calving cows with young Limousin calves selling to £1850 and his 4 year old Limousin stock bull to £3200.

Store steers were headed by a bunch of 5 well shown 20m old British Blue x Dairy breds from Ryan Pugh selling to £1435. Hereford bullocks from John and David Pritchard sailing to £1330 for a very satisfactory result.

In the heifer section homebred Limousins from Colin and Howard Fish sold to £1390 with two other lots to £1340.

Limousin x bulls hit £1010 from Neville Taylor.

STEERS P/KG

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289p/kg	307kg	22m	HEx	JWL Pritchard	
277p/kg	517kg	21m	BRB	RJ Pugh	
271p/kg	417kg	24m	HEx	JWL Pritchard	
268p/kg	495kg	23m	HEx	JWL Pritchard	
STEERS £/H	<u>EAD</u>				
£1435.00	517kg	21m	BRB	RJ Pugh	
£1330.00	495kg	23m	HEx	JWL Pritchard	
£1260.00	500kg	21m	BRB	RJ Pugh	
£1210.00	462kg	24m	HEx	JWL Pritchard	
£1130.00	417kg	24m	HEx	JWL Pritchard	
£1070.00	370kg	22m	HEx	JWL Pritchard	
£1040.00	437kg	11m	AAx	JM Rowley	
£940.00	415kg	10m	HEx	JM Rowley	
HEIFERS P/H	<u>(G</u>				
297p/kg	451kg	21m	LIMx	SH Fish & Sons	
286p/kg	485kg	21m	LIMx	SH Fish & Sons	
278p/kg	380kg	20m	LIMx	SH Fish & Sons	
265p/kg	505kg	21m	LIMx	SH Fish & Sons	
HEIFERS £/H	HEAD				
£1390.00	485kg	21m	LIMx	SH Fish & Sons	
£1340.00	505kg	21m	LIMx	SH Fish & Sons	
£1340.00	451kg	21m	LIMx	SH Fish & Sons	
£1300.00	535kg	22m	LIMx	SH Fish & Sons	
£1250.00	557kg	25m	HEx	JWL Pritchard	
£1190.00	487kg	24m	HEx	SH Fish & Sons	
STOCK BULL	£/HEAD	<u>)</u>			
£3200.00	945kg	47m	LIMx	I Archer	
BULLS £/HE					
£1110.00	540kg	24m	HEx	JWL Pritchard	
£1010.00	415kg	13m	LIMx	NJ & D Taylor	
COW & CAL	<u>F</u>				
£1850.00	59m +		BRB	I Archer	
£1700.00	61m +	1m	BRB	I Archer	
£1600.00	59m +	5m	BRB	I Archer	

ANTIQUES/FURNITURE DEPARTMENT

During the past six months the Furniture Saleroom in Bridgnorth has been under 'new management' with Dylan Ward having taken over following Mark's retirement.

Sales have grown averaging around 1000 lots every sale including a wide variety of varied and interesting lots. Past sales have included a large collection of Cadbury's memorabilia, which attracted considerable media interest and sold well beyond expectations and over 400 lots of Doulton Lambeth-ware which commanded worldwide interest via the Easy Live online platform, which since its introduction, has grown with numbers of potential buyers increasing sale-on-sale.

Sales are now catalogued with a full pictorial version displayed online, with live internet bidding as well as bidding in the saleroom.

Highlights from a previous sale were:

£2,800 for a Regency 18th Century Steel 10-foot Bench £820 for a selection of Jewellery £415 for a small Oil on Board £340 for Latin Correspondence

For all Saleroom enquires please contact Dylan Ward on 01746 762666 or 07415 815266



The next Furniture/Antiques Sale will be held on

Wednesday 19th April 2023

The auction will be held on-line at www.easyliveauctions.com and live at Bridgnorth

Viewing on Monday 17th and Tuesday 18th April 2023, 9.00am – 3.00pm



PLEASE NOTE

NO STORE SALE
THIS FRIDAY 7th APRIL 2023
(Good Friday)

NEXT STORE SALE

FRIDAY 21st APRIL 2023

Entries Invited for the catalogue by 12 noon on Monday 17th April 2023

All categories of store/breeding cattle required as well as ewes & lambs. **Buyers waiting!**

Contact: Mark Burgoyne 07831 192603 Martin Clack 07977 067519

FARMING EQUIPMENT & TECHNOLOGY FUND GRANTS IN 2023

Grants for farmers, horticulturalists, forestry owners and contractors for specific items of equipment.

ANIMAL HEALTH AND WELFARE – * NOW OPEN UNTIL MIDDAY ON THURSDAY 15th JUNE*

The **Animal Health and Welfare** theme, which is now open, includes items such as:- mobile or fixed cattle handling systems, cattle crushes, head scoops, mobile or fixed sheep handling systems, weigh bars, electric fencing and ventilation fans.





The grants are for a minimum of £1,000 and maximum of £25,000 per theme, and are based on set grant amounts for each item. The grant element is usually around 40% of the item's cost, however if the price of the item you purchase results in the grant payment making up a lesser or greater percentage, this will not affect the amount of grant paid, so long as the requirements below are still met.

These requirements include all equipment which is purchased to meet the minimum specifications set out within the option guidance, to be brand new (ex-demo or second hand is not allowed) and purchased through a supplier or manufacturer. All items must also be paid for in full (part exchange is not allowed) and no items must be purchased before a grant funding agreement is offered, although it is possible to secure items with a refundable deposit if you are concerned about supply issues.

The application process is competitive with each item given a score, and applications with the highest average scores then being offered agreements.

For advice and help with making an application contact Camilla Whitehouse on 01746 762666

ANNUAL MAYFAIR STORE SALE

To be held on

FRIDAY 5th MAY 2023

Entries invited for the catalogue by

12 Noon on Friday 28th April 2023

Class 1 - Best Cow & Calf

Class 2 - Best Pen of Steers (4 or more)

Class 3 - Best Pen of Heifers (4 or more

Class 4 - Best Pen of Bulls or Single Bull

Class 5 - Best Pen of Ewes & Lambs (10 or more)

Rosette and £30 Prize Money for each Class winner Mayfair Cup for winner of Classes 2,3 & 4

Entry forms available online or from the Market Office

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FOR RENT



OFFICE PREMISES WITH WAREHOUSE/STORAGE
The Old Navy Building, Ditton Priors, Bridgnorth, WV16 6SU
Office & Storage Premises (with potential)

- Net Internal Area approx. 465m²
- Rural location situated between Bridgnorth and Ludlow
- Close proximity to Ditton Priors Trading Estate
- WC & kitchenette facilities
- Former Navy building and latterly occupied for office and storage uses

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