

BRIDGNORTH LIVESTOCK MARKET WEEKLY REPORT

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Prime Cattle (Red)

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235 PRIME CATTLE

Following the quiet Christmas period, there were more cattle forward as expected. There was a very good level of demand but with prices slightly easier than recent sales. There was plenty of meat for our ring full of buyers to bid at but not always the very best shapes. There was a very strong Holstein influence in the bull section.

A fair steer entry saw best quality thin on the ground. Best bullocks sold to 240p/kg or £1506.96; generally a pretty good trade with cattle not having the weight power of recent sales. Butchers heifers met a slightly easier trade but the crème de la crème still sold to 273p/kg, with five others above 250p/kg. Well fleshed commercial cattle saw plenty of demand to satisfactory returns.

Improved bull numbers with few suckler bulls forward. Suckled Limousins sold to 214p/kg. Holsteins sold to 175p/kg. There were a few runs of bulls that would have greatly benefitted from more time at the trough whether 16 months or not!

30 COWS & 1 STOCK BULL

Not too much life in this trade, although a little better than before Christmas. With no best cows forward, Blonde crosses sold to 127p/kg for 758kg at 71 months, with meat British Blue crosses to 115p/kg for 664kg. Meat Friesians sold to 104p/kg for 760kg at 57 months of age. Plain cows sold from 40p/kg-60p/kg but were very plain.

Limousin stock bulls sold to 96p/kg for 792kg in his working clothes.

144 CLEAN CATTLE

Only 37 steers sold to average 193p/kg. A handy 476kg Limousin from Gordon Jones sold to 240p/kg with 644kg Limousins to 234p/kg from Alastair Beedles. 578kg red Limousins from Gerald Kincaid sold to 229p/kg. 498kg Angus sold to 210p/kg from David Thomas. Holsteins sold to 180p/kg from Sam Jones.

107 heifers sold to average 206p/kg. A cracking run from Richard Parkes was headed by his shapely British Blue at 273p/kg for 546kg. His next four Limousins sold from 249p/kg - 260p/kg all just above 500kg. British Blues from Peter Gore sold to 258p/kg and 255p/kg for 508kg and 526kg. 486kg Limousin from Paul Chilton sold to 249p/kg. Herefords sold to 179p/kg from Julian Aston.

91 YOUNG BULLS SOLD OV AV. 171P/KG

Best suckler bulls available achieved 214p/kg from Steve Howells at 562kg and 17 months with Blue cross Friesians to 212p/kg for 612kg at 16 months. Mike Evans' Blue cross Friesians sold to 211p/kg for 574kg at 17 months. Simmentals at 12 months from Charlie Sandells achieved 210p/kg.

A large contingent of black and whites was headed by Dave Glover's Holsteins selling to 175p/kg, with Graham Potter selling to 174p/kg. Friesians from Dave Evans sold to 180p/kg. MRIs from David Thomas sold to 188p/kg. There were 55 Holsteins/Friesians/Ayrshires etc. penned this morning.

Steers

240p/kg	476kg	21m	LIMx	TE Jones & Son
234p/kg	644kg	22m	LIMx	RE & RM Beedles
229p/kg	578kg	22m	LIMx	G & M Kincaid
224p/kg	548kg	22m	LIMx	JG Bason & Son
222p/kg	646kg	20m	LIMx	RE & RM Beedles
219p/kg	598kg	20m	LIMx	RE & RM Beedles
219p/kg	514kg	26m	LIMx	TE Jones & Son
216p/kg	558kg	20m	LIMx	RE & RM Beedles
210p/kg	702kg	21m	CHx	G & M Kincaid
210p/kg	498kg	18m	AAX	JD & L Thomas & Son

Heifer

273p/kg	546kg	23m	BRB	EP Parkes & Son
260p/kg	512kg	16m	LIMx	EP Parkes & Son
259p/kg	528kg	20m	LIMx	EP Parkes & Son
258p/kg	516kg	20m	LIMx	EP Parkes & Son
258p/kg	508kg	22m	BRB	PT Gore
255p/kg	526kg	19m	BRB	PT Gore
249p/kg	522kg	22m	LIMx	EP Parkes & Son
249p/kg	486kg	20m	LIMx	JDW Chilton
248p/kg	518kg	20m	LIMx	W Jordin & Son
247p/kg	536kg	18m	LIMx	EP Parkes & Son
243p/kg	470kg	19m	LIMx	JDW Chilton
242p/kg	476kg	30m	LIMx	SJL Roberts
241p/kg	512kg	22m	LIMx	Millichamp Bros
241p/kg	502kg	20m	BRB	EP Parkes & Son
240p/kg	490kg	21m	LIMx	W Jordin & Son

Bulls

214p/kg	562kg	17m	LIMx	WH Howells
212p/kg	612kg	16m	BRBx	RD & KM Roberts
211p/kg	574kg	17m	BRB	MD & E Evans
210p/kg	578kg	12m	SMx	KJ Sandells
208p/kg	564kg	17m	BRB	A Tudor
207p/kg	602kg	13m	BAX	JR Beaumont & Sons
206p/kg	598kg	15m	BRB	JH Woolrich
204p/kg	538kg	17m	BRB	A Tudor
204p/kg	464kg	16m	BAX	SB Lloyd & Son
203p/kg	590kg	14m	LIMx	G Potter & Sons
203p/kg	544kg	16m	BRB	RD & KM Roberts

OTM

127p/kg	758kg	71m	BAX	Yeoman Bros Ltd
115p/kg	768kg	64m	BAX	Yeoman Bros Ltd
115p/kg	664kg	44m	BRB	FC Osborne & Son
111p/kg	694kg	72m	BBx	FC Osborne & Son
110p/kg	782kg	138m	BRB	Shropshire & Jones
108p/kg	888kg	142kg	SMx	H Scriven
108p/kg	852kg	89m	CHx	BR Charles & Partners
106p/kg	724kg	83m	CHx	BR Charles & Partners
104p/kg	760kg	57m	FR	N & Jm Tomkinson
96p/kg	792kg	148m	LIM	W Westwood

700 LAMBS

Auctioneer: Martin Clack 07977 067519

Nationally, hogs eased back over the last seven days and this week's average, although well in line with other auctions, would be 10p/kg back on last week. A top price this week of 204p/kg for 45kg hogs from Richard Cotham and heavier hogs to over £90 peaking at £91.80.

Lighter weights short in supply and attracting more interest to 174p/kg for 34kg. Generally, a considerable number of over fat hogs forward realising around 10p/kg less than equivalent leaner lambs.

Leading Prices

204p/kg	45kg	R Cotham
192p/kg	38kg	CT Jones & Son
186p/kg	39kg	CT Jones & Son
186p/kg	41kg	IA Greenhalgh
186p/kg	41.5kg	RH Gregory
186p/kg	40kg	Millichamp Bros

538 EWES

Texel ewes sold to £72, Suffolks £71 and Mules £61.50, with the heavier fatter sheep still showing no signs of improvement however, lean and smaller ewes look well sold with extremely lean mules at £41, horned ewes £38 and plain Suffolks £58. Several rams to £70 and goats £54.

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*Entries invited for Catalogue by
Monday 13th January at 12noon*

FODDER SALE - EVERY TUESDAY AT 11:30AM

**Fodder Beet sold to av. £27/tonne this week
Square Bale Haylage sold to £19.50/bale**

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Mark Burgoyne 07831 192063

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- **Gail Soutar** - Senior CAP and International Affairs Advisor (NFU)
- **Stuart Richards** - Surveyor Nock Deighton Agricultural

ON WEDNESDAY 22ND JANUARY 2013 AT 2:00PM

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