BRIDGNORTH LIVESTOCK MARKET WEEKLY REPORT – 08.03.22



101 PRIME CATTLE

Auctioneer – Mark Burgoyne 07831 192603

Fair numbers of meaty, clean cattle about today but a terrible shortage of bulls. A flier of a trade on the best end — especially those butchers' heifers, with more commercial sorts seeing a level trade and possibly getting dearer as the sale progressed. Once again, there were a few 'store cattle' entered which seriously lost out when compared to a Friday trade!

Fewer steers penned today saw best quality selling to 262p/kg, with heavies just below the £1900 in the lump. Some tidy heifers forward amongst some more commercial sorts saw a buoyant trade selling to past 300p/kg on three occasions to a high of 327p/kg. Heavy heifers sold to a cracking £1931.80

Only a sprinkling of bulls today with both sucklers and black and whites in short supply. Suckler Limousins sold to 258p/kg or £1860 in the lump. Black and whites were a sharp trade and sold to 213p/kg.

It was great to see double figures of cows today with three buyers in attendance. Cows are in strong demand at present and sold accordingly. Meated Simmentals sold to 180p/kg or £1282, with heavier Simmentals to £1316.52 for 828kg. Several cows would have benefited from some hard feeding.

80 CLEAN CATTLE

11 STEERS SOLD TO OV. AV. 220P/KG

Black Limmies from Roger Jordin sold to 262p/kg for 630kg, with Limousin crosses from Rita Corfield-McCowan at 568kg and 242p/kg. Heavy Blondes from Frank Millichamp & Co at 798kg and 752kg selling to £1899.24 and £1774.72 in the lump.

69 HEIFERS SOLD TO OV. AV. 247P/KG

The Jordin Bros. stole nearly all the honours it seems selling 486kg Limmies to 327p/kg, with their second best selling to 319p/kg (£1709). Angus crosses from Mrs B also sold to 319p/kg for 484kg and her two Limmies to 304p/kg and 306p/kg. Andrew Dalton's run was topped at 313p/kg for 534kg. Dave Preece's superfit, shapey Limmie sailed to £1942 for 730kg.

21 BULLS SOLD TO OV. AV. 216P/KG

Three super bulls from the Hewitt stable sold to 258p/kg and passed £1800 twice, to take top spot here. Rob Hartley's first homebred Limmies this time sold to 237p/kg

For 622kg at 13 months. 588kg Holsteins sold to 213p/kg from Dave Preece, £1252.44 with his 800kg model to 194p/kg.

STEERS P/KG

2	262p/kg	630kg	23m	LIMx	Jordin & Son
2	242p/kg	568kg	18m	LIMx	Corfield-McCowar
2	238p/kg	798kg	23m	BAx	Millichamp Bros
2	236p/kg	752kg	23m	BAx	Millichamp Bros
2	235p/kg	528kg	20m	AAx	C Burgoyne
2	230p/kg	718kg	23m	BAx	Millichamp Bros
5	230n/kg	566kg	18m	ΔΔχ	C Burgovne

STEERS £/HEAD

£1899.24	798kg	23m	BAx	Millichamp Bros
£1774.72	752kg	23m	BAx	Millichamp Bros
£1651.40	718kg	23m	BAX	Millichamp Bros
£1650.60	630kg	23m	LIMx	Jordin & Son
£1482.00	650kg	22m	LIMx	BV & DT Whiteman

HEIFERS P/KG

327p/kg	486kg	16m	LIMx	Jordin & Son
319p/kg	536kg	17m	LIMx	Jordin & Son
319p/kg	484kg	23m	AAx	C Burgoyne
313p/kg	534kg	22m	LIMx	Dalton & Son
306p/kg	524kg	16m	LIMx	C Burgoyne
304p/kg	544kg	20m	LIMx	C Burgoyne
298p/kg	506kg	23m	LIMx	C Burgoyne
297p/kg	530kg	20m	LIMx	RJ Pain & Son
296p/kg	544kg	23m	LIMx	RH Pugh & Son
294p/kg	548kg	23m	LIMx	LH Dalton & Son
286p/kg	496kg	21m	BAx	C Burgoyne
286p/kg	488kg	13m	BRB	JL Hartley & Son
281p/kg	632kg	23m	LIMx	Jordin & Son
281p/kg	504kg	15m	LIMx	C Burgoyne
280p/kg	550kg	15m	LIMx	C Burgoyne
280p/kg	574kg	20m	LIMx	LH Dalton & Son
280p/kg	496kg	24m	BAx	C Burgoyne
280p/kg	552kg	24m	LIMx	LH Dalton & Son

HEIFERS £/HEAD

£1941.80	730kg	22m	LIMx	M Preece & Son
£1775.92	632kg	23m	LIMx	Jordin & Son
£1739.68	664kg	23m	LIMx	Jordin & Son
£1709.84	536kg	17m	LIMx	Jordin & Son
£1671.42	534kg	22m	LIMx	LH Dalton & Son
£1659.20	610kg	22m	LIMx	LH Dalton & Son
£1653.42	544kg	20m	LIMx	C Burgoyne
£1638.42	658kg	24m	SDx	R&E Kennerley





£1611.12	548kg	23m	LIMx	LH Dalton & Son
£1610.24	544kg	23m	LIMx	RH Pugh & Son
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BULLS P/K				
258p/kg	704kg	24m	LIMx	JL Hewitt
252p/kg	654kg	23m	LIMx	JL Hewitt
248p/kg	750kg	23m	LIMx	JL Hewitt
237p/kg	622kg	20m	LIMx	JL Hartley
234p/kg	602kg	14m	LIMx	JL Hartley
225p/kg	732kg	17m	AAx	O Davies & Son
223p/kg	648kg	15m	BRB	H Yates
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£1860.00	750kg	23m	LIMX	JL Hewitt
£1816.32	704kg	24m	LIMX	JL Hewitt
£1648.08	654kg	23m	LIMx	JL Hewitt
£1647.00	732kg	17m	AAx	O Davies & Son
DAIRY BU	LLS P/K	G		
213p/kg	588kg	 17m	HOL	A Preece & Son
DAIRY BU	LLS £/HI	<u>EAD</u>		
£1552.00	800kg	20m	BRB	A Preece & Son
OTMS P/K				
180p/kg	712kg	47m	SMx	TEG Meddins & Co
159p/kg	828kg	97m	SMx	TEG Meddins & Co
149p/kg	746kg	203m	SMx	TEG Meddins & Co
144p/kg	552kg	116m	LIMx	SH Lloyd & Son
144p/kg	634kg	83m	LIMx	RH Pugh & Son
OTMS £/H	IEAD			
£1316.52	816kg	84m	SMx	TEG Meddins & Co
£1281.60	784kg	84m	SMx	TEG Meddins & Co
£1111.54	716kg	159m	SMx	TEG Meddins & Co

1761 PRIME HOGGS

Auctioneer - Martin Clack 07977 067519

£912.96 634kg 83m LIMx RH Pugh & Son

A reasonable entry of hoggs and despite a wide variation of quality, trade would be dearer than last week for all classes of sheep.

Best hoggs sold to 329p/kg for a 43kg Beltex from Ian Morris (£141.90), with several pens well over to 300p/kg, although hoggs weighing up to 43kg would attract the higher prices per kilo, heavier hoggs remain hard work with most around £125 and the better sorts £125 to £140.

Lighter weights to 278p/kg for 35kg Lleyn cross from Hayden Woolley, with 277p/kg for 34kg mixed breeds, with increasing demand for hoggs under 37kg.

Generally the entry of hoggs today would be clean, dry and even belly clipped, which on a tricky trade makes selling hoggs a little easier.

Top Prices p/kg (under 46kg):

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329p/kg	43.0kg	IGC Morris
319p/kg	42.0kg	MD & EA Evans
310p/kg	45.5kg	IGC Morris
309p/kg	41.0kg	SW Moss

308p/kg	43.0kg	D&C Evans
307p/kg	42.0kg	D&C Evans
306p/kg	45.5kg	IGC Morris

Top Prices p/kg (over 46kg):

292p/kg	46.0kg	LH Dalton
288p/kg	46.5kg	LH Dalton
286p/kg	47.0kg	SW Moss
280p/kg	50.0kg	IGC Morris
275p/kg	46.0kg	LH Dalton
273n/kg	46.5kg	CT Whiteman & Co

Top Prices £/Head:

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£141.50	43.0kg	IGC Morris
£141.50	65.0kg	AE Halford & Son
£141.50	45.5kg	IGC Morris
£140.00	50.0kg	IGC Morris
£140.00	53.0kg	IGC Morris
£139.00	45.5kg	IGC Morris

841 EWES

Auctioneer – Martin Clack 07977 067519 and Gwawr Jones 07930 553661

An amazing average of £102.20 with ewes over £200 on eight occasions to £240 for four Texels from Pete Kirton, Suffolks to £212 and North Country Mules approaching £150. This could easily be the best trade for ewes in my auctioneering career.

Large, lean ewes very dear at £124 for very plain Suffolk, £114 for lean Welsh yearlings, £105 for North Country Mules with no meat whatsoever and very plain Continental ewes for £120.

Once again more than our fair share of hill ewes selling at £89 for Welsh, £68 for small Scotch Blackface, £45 for Swales and £40 for Hebridean.

A Charollais ram from Rita Corfield was sold for £201. Generally ram quality was quite poor.

Top Prices:

£240.00	Texel	AG Kirton & Son
£238.00	Texel	N Ellis
£220.00	Texel	AG Kirton & Son
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£214.00	Texel	N Ellis
£212.00	Suffolk	H Jones
£208.00	Texel	N Ellis
£201.00	Charollais	R Corfield



STORE SALE REPORT – FRIDAY 4th MARCH 2022 106 STORE CATTLE

Auctioneer – Martin Clack 07977 067519

Quite a varied selection of stores sold to £1040 for 22 month-old Simmental steers from Rob Jones, Chelmick and Hereford heifers from the same farm at £935. Very few suckler-bred animals forward selling to 266p/kg for an 11 month-old Limousin steer. More stores to 247p/kg for six Continental steers from Max Ossig.

Plenty of dairy breeds represented, with Ayrshire 370kg at £805, Holstein 395kg at £640, Angus heifers 490kg at £935 and Angus steers 445kg at £940.

Prices as follows:

STEERS P/KG

226p/kg	11m	LIM	LAJ England
250p/kg	15m	CONT	M Ossig
246p/kg	21m	BRB	M Ossig
226p/kg	22m	SIM	ER Jones & Son

STEERS £/HEAD

£1040.00	460kg	22m	SIM	ER Jones & Sor
£990.00	450kg	22m	HE	ER Jones & Sor
£940.00	445kg	27m	AA	LAJ England
£840.00	315kg	11m	LIM	LAJ England
£805.00	370kg	21m	AYR	M Ossig
£805.00	324kg	19m	CONT	M Ossig

HEIFERS P/KG

19m	BRB	LAJ England
21m	HRx	M Ossig
10m	HRx	LAJ England
19m	LIMx	M Ossig
19m	SMx	M Ossig
12m	CHx	LAJ England
	21m 10m 19m 19m	21m HRx 10m HRx 19m LIMx 19m SMx

HEIFERS £/HEAD

£935.00	477kg	21m	HRx	ER Jones & Son
£935.00	490kg	20m	AAx	LAJ England
£900.00	616kg	25m	HRx	L Strong
£869.00	417kg	21m	LIMx	R Wilcox
£865.00	400kg	19m	SMx	M Ossig
£860.00	420kg	17m	LIMx	LAJ England

STORE SHEEP

Auctioneer - Martin Clack 07977 067519

A small entry of lambs to £90 for small, but well-bred Texel stores, smaller Suffolk x mules £84.50 and Ryelands £77.

An entry of 320 in-lamb Lleyn ewes to £148 from Hayden Woolley, scanned around 140% for 1st April lambing to an Easycare tup.

Top Prices (Breeding Ewes):

£148.00	GR Woolley & Co
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£145.00	GR Woolley & Co
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Top Prices (Store Lambs):

£90.00	V Gatehouse
£84.50	TR Brown & Son
£84.50	TR Brown & Son
£77.00	C Armstrong
£60.00	TR Brown & Son

NEXT STORE SALE

Friday 18th March 2022

Sale of sheep at 11.00 am and Cattle at 12.00 noon

Entries for Catalogue by Monday 14th March at 12.00 noon

Entries to date include:

2 x Pedigree Hereford Stock Bulls and 14 x Hereford Feeding Bulls (all from one farm) We are anticipating strong demand on all categories so please let us know your entries by 14th March

Friday 1st April 2022

"April Fools" Store Sale – bound to be a "mad trade"

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LUMP SUM EXIT SCHEME

Details have now been released regarding the

Basic Payment Scheme - Lump Sum Exit Scheme

The Scheme will be available for applications this year. To register your interest, or for more information, contact James on

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COUNTRYSIDE STEWARDSHIP APPLICATIONS

*Mid-Tier – 5 year agreements including a wide range of revenue options and capital items. A competitive application process & deadline for applications of 29th July 2022.

*Wildlife Offers – 5 year agreements including a smaller range of revenue options only. A non-competitive application process & deadline for applications of 29th July 2022.

*Capital Grants – 2 year capital item only grants, with some options requiring Catchment Sensitive Farming Officer Approval & applicants to be located in high priority areas for water quality (concrete yard renewal, farm tracks, roofing over muck stores/ livestock handling areas). Some options including hedgerow works and fencing against water courses are available to a wider range of applicants. A competitive application process, with the application window likely to be open year-round.

For more information/assistance with making your application, please contact **Camilla** on **01746 762666**