BRIDGNORTH LIVESTOCK MARKET WEEKLY REPORT

Tuesday 8th April 2014

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Prime Cattle (Red)

Auctioneer - Mark Burgoyne 07831 192603

208 PRIME CATTLE

Once again a slip in trade following on from the large abattoirs dropping their deadweight quotations on Monday morning. As the auctioneer envisaged last week, there was little Jewish demand today, so consequently heavier steers and heifers saw easing prices with only the very best holding their own. Overall market average including bulls and cattle over thirty months was 172p/kg.

EASTER PRIMESTOCK SHOW

Great thanks to all exhibitors today with the current trade not giving too much encouragement. Mr Mike Walters kindly agreed to judge having moved to the other side of the ring in recent times. Mr Walters' placings are as follows;

Class 1- Best Butchers Heifers

1^{st}	W Jordin & Sons	452kg	257p/kg	Limousin x		
2 nd	N & C Perkins	482kg	240p/kg	Limousin x		
3 rd	RT Bebb Ltd	502kg	239p/kg	Limousin x		
Class 2 – Best Butchers Steers						
1^{st}	S Pennington	588kg	227p/kg	Limousin x		
2 nd	WA Jebb	688kg	213p/kg	Limousin x		
3 rd	JB Green	590kg	209p/kg	Limousin x		
Class 3 – Best Young Bulls						
1^{st}	JB Green	644kg	223p.kg	British Blue		
2 nd	JB Green	630kg	209p/kg	Limousin x		
3 rd	Corfield & Aston	656kg	208p/kg	Limousin		
Champion - Best Heifer						
W Jordin & Son – Lot 10			452kg	257p/kg		
Purchased by Mr M Walters for Ken Francis, Wellington						

6 COWS SOLD TO AV. 118P/KG

Depleted cow numbers once again with 3 buyers in attendance. Blonde cross cows sold to 148p/kg for 814kg from Pete Raybould. Cows look well sold against the clean trade.

MORE COWS & STOCK BULLS ARE REQUIRED

152 CLEAN CATTLE

62 steers sold to average 170p/kg. Steers outside of the show sold to 212p/kg for 616kg from John Johnstone, with Gerald Kincaid's Limousins selling to 203p/kg for 650kg. More commercial cattle met a bottomless trade, especially if too fat or heavy.

90 heifers sold to average 182p/kg. A decent trade on butchers heifers saw females outside of the show selling to 228p/kg for 500kg from Dave Chilton, with Rob Pugh and Rob Hartley selling to 226p/kg. Butchers cattle saw plenty of demand whereas heavier thick heifers were not really required.







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56 BULLS OV. AV. 160P/KG

34 Holsteins, Friesians etc. were forward today with ex-deadweight cattle over 16 months also sprinkled in! Non-show bulls sold to 208p/kg for 630kg Limousins from Stuart Bebb. Square Friesians to 179p/kg for 636kg from Dave Evans.

STEERS						
227p/kg	588kg	20m	LIMx	SD Pennington		
213p/kg	688kg	21m	LIMx	JB & EJ Green		
212p/kg	616kg	20m	LIMx	JJ Johnston Farms		
209p/kg	590kg	21m	LIMx	WA Jebb & Son		
203p/kg	650kg	23m	LIMx	G & M Kincaid		
200p/kg	628kg	25m	BRB	SJ Raybould & Son		
199p/kg	642kg	25m		TE Jones & Son		
195p/kg	674kg	23m	LIMx	G & M Kincaid		
195p/kg	626kg	23m	LIMx	TE Jones & Son		
195p/kg	638kg	23m	LIMx	G & M Kincaid		
HEIFERS						
257p/kg	452kg	23m	LIMx	W Jordin & Son		
240p/kg	482kg	13m	LIMx	N & C Perkins		
239p/kg	502kg	12m	LIMx	RT Bebb		
237p/kg	520kg	13m	BRB	N & C Perkins		
236p/kg	514kg	13m	BAx	CO Watkins & Co		
236p/kg	536kg	22m	LIMx	W Jordin & Son		
236p/kg	514kg	13m	BAx	CO Watkins & Co		
233p/kg	488kg	13m	BAx	JL Hartley & Son		
231p/kg	536kg	13m	BRB	N & C Perkins		
228p/kg	500kg	23m	LIMx	JDW Chilton		
226p/kg	474kg	18m	LIMx	RH Pugh & Son		
226p/kg	480kg	14m	BRB	JL Hartley & Son		
224p/kg	436kg	14m	LIMx	H Yates		
221p/kg	520kg	29m	BRB	I & J Preece & Son		
220p/kg	550kg	20m	LIMx	RJ Pain & Son		
220p/kg	440kg	12m	BAx	JL Hartley & Son		
BULLS						
223p/kg	644kg	14m	BRB	JB & EJ Green		
209p/kg	650kg	14m	BRB	JB & EJ Green		
209p/kg	630kg	13m	LIMx	JB & EJ Green		
208p/kg	656kg	17m	LIMx	Corfield & Aston		
208p/kg	630kg	14m	LIMx	RT Bebb		
205p/kg	670kg	17m	LIMx	Corfield & Aston		
200p/kg	684kg	17m	LIMx	Corfield & Aston		
200p/kg	538kg	13m	BAx	CO Watkins & Co		
FRIESIAN/HOLSTEIN BULLS						
179p/kg	636kg	16m	FR	JA Evans & Son		
171p/kg	588kg	16m	FR	JA Evans & Son		
169p/kg	666kg	20m	HEx	GV Brown		
169p/kg	580kg	21m	HO	EJ Clark & Sons		
167p/kg	532kg	14m	HO	R Morgan & Son		
166p/kg	548kg	16m	HO	R Morgan & Son		
164p/kg	760kg	17m	HO	G Breeze & Partners		
164p/kg	606kg	16m	MRI	PI Taylor		
164p/kg	548kg	16m	HO	R Morgan & Son		
160p/kg	616kg	13m	HO	JR Beaumont & Sons		

OTMs

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148p/kg	814kg	110m	BAx	SJ Raybould & Son	
115p/kg	604kg	130m	LIMx	SJ Raybould & Son	
115p/kg	644kg	167m	SMx	JL Hartley & Son	
110p/kg	610kg	147m	SMx	JL Hartley & Son	
108p/kg	736kg	47m	SMx	TK & EM Tolley	
106p/kg	814kg	60m	SMx	TK & EM Tolley	

1238 HOGGS

Auctioneer: Martin Clack 07977 067519

Trade still very firm carrying on from last week, with heavy weights a little dearer selling to £115 per head and 241p/kg, with several consignments averaging £105 per head with one load of Charollais hoggs averaging £107.

Quality better this week with a run of fed hoggs with plenty of weight 50kg plus, generally over £2/kg to 220p/kg for 51kg Texel x and 53.5kg Charollais to 205p/kg.

Handy weights a very sharp trade to 241p/kg for 43.5kg and several pens over 230p/kg, notably 47.5kg at 237p/kg from Henry Yates.,

Light weights to 212p/kg for 31.5kg Texels and hill lambs £2/kg to 208p/kg.

The Easter Show sponsored by Allflex tags and judged by David Partridge saw an entry of 80 lambs average 279p/kg to 322p/kg and £130 per head.

First prize was awarded to RC Evans for 37kg realising 310p/kg and 2nd prize to CO Watkins for 39.5kg realising 322p/kg, purchased by CE Partridge, Bromsgrove and Allan Bennett, Codsall.

First prize hoggs went to Nigel Kinsey for 43.5kg at 241p/kg and joint second prize went to Henry Yates and Bill Morgan for 42.5kg and 40.5kg at 240p/kg.

Lambs			Hoggs		
322p/kg	39.5kg	CO Watkins	241p/kg	43.5kg	N Kinsey
310p/kg	37kg	RC Evans	240p/kg	40.5kg	W Morgan
295p/kg	39kg	RC Evans	240p/kg	42.5kg	H Yates
292p/kg	39kg	GL Williamson	239p/kg	45kg	N Kinsey
292p/kg	40.5kg	RJ Pain & Son	239p/kg	43kg	N Kinsey

387 EWES

Ewes sold to £140 Charollais from S & S Murray, £127 Texels and Suffolks £120.

Trade up on last week averaging £80 per head. This would include several Swale ewes at £52 and small Cheviot ewes which sold very well to £62 and Kippers at £34.

Mule ewes showing the most improvement selling to £94 and very plain Mules at £70.

No strong rams forward selling to £86 Continental and cross breeds.

FODDER SALE – Every Tuesday at 11:30am

2 Loads of Fodder Beet sold to average £20/T delivered If you are looking for Fodder Beet or need any Silage or Hay contact Mark Burgoyne 07831 192603

STORE SALE

GOOD FRIDAY, 18TH APRIL 2014 AT 11:00AM

Entries Invited

35 ACRES GRASS EATING AT TRESCOTT

Available April to October 2014

Contact Rob McCabe 07970 981183

STORE SALE REPORT – 4th April 2014 101 Store Cattle

A disappointing number of stores forward met a particularly buoyant trade. There were few first class cattle forward but there were several bunches of well grown Herefords and Continentals. Hereford x steers sold to £1065 for 540kg for Jackie Lewis, with 490kg Herefords to 214p/kg (£1050) from John Pritchard. Marcus Whitehouse sold 565kg Limousin cross steers to £1000. Small Hereford x steers sold to 243p/kg for Mr Radcliffe who also sold Hereford x Heifers to 233p/kg at 359kg and 24m. Limousin x steers sold to 234p/kg for 355kg from John & Will Westwood.

Grazing Cows

Grazing Cows					
£505	225kg	10m	HEx	J Radcliffe	
£560	410kg	34m	HEx	D Williams	
£450	420kg	59m	HEx	D Williams	
Steers					
£1065	540kg	18m	HEx	JA Lewis	
£1050	490kg	25m	HEx	JWL Pritchard	
£1030	525kg	17m	HEx	JA Lewis	
£1000	495kg	17m	HEx	JA Lewis	
£1000	560kg	21m	LIMx	DS & MA Whitehouse	
£985	590kg	24m	SMx	DS & MA Whitehouse	
£890	465kg	17m	HEx	JA Lewis	
£860	460kg	25m	AAx	J & V Hancock	
£860	515kg	27m	LIMx	DS & MA Whitehouse	
£860	470kg	21m	SMx	DS & MA Whitehouse	
£630	350kg	12m	CHx	S & S Murray	
£505	208kg	11m	HEx	J Radcliffe	
£830	355kg	11m	LIMx	J & J Westwood	
£820	385kg	17m	LIMx	P Taylor	
£780	410kg	12m	CHx	P Taylor	
£770	390kg	22m	AAx	DS & MA Whitehouse	
£745	405kg	24m	AAx	J & V Hancock	
£700	315kg	11m	LIMx	P Taylor	
Heifers					
£980	525kg	34m	HEx	J Radcliffe	
£875	540kg	29m	CHx	J & V Hancock	
£870	461kg	23m	SDx	P Taylor	
£835	359kg	24m	HEx	J Radcliffe	
£820	432kg	26m	BAx	P Taylor	
£805	410kg	25m	LIMx	J Radcliffe	
£780	410kg	25m	HEx	J Radcliffe	
£765	405kg	16m	CHx	P Taylor	
£750	470kg	20m	CHx	P Taylor	
£750	346kg	12m	LIMx	J & J Westwood	
£735	420kg	19m	BAx	J & V Hancock	
£730	430kg	24m	CHx	J & V Hancock	
£700	398kg	23m	LIMx	P Taylor	
£690	323kg	13m	HEx	J Radcliffe	
£665	295kg	13m	SMx	J Radcliffe	
£660	350kg	19m	SMx	P Taylor	
£650	345kg	12m	LIMx	P Taylor	
£615	320kg	11m	LIMx	P Taylor	
£585	270kg	11m	LIMx	P Taylor	
£525	315kg	12m	SDx	P Taylor	
£505	225kg	10m	HEx	J Radcliffe	

4 Calves

A small entry met a slightly easier trade than last sale's flier. Limousin bulls sold to £300 from Chris Shingler with his British Blue heifer to £250. Catherine Dale sold Limousin bulls to £170 with her Hereford heifer £100.

Ewes & Lambs

In lamb ewes to £112 for Texels. Run with Texel Ram and couples a brisk trade to £180 for a black ewes and two lambs. Mules with doubles at £175 and Suffolks with 1.8 Texel lambs at £170. More ewes and lambs could be sold every Friday.