BRIDGNORTH LIVESTOCK MARKET

WEEKLY REPORT – 09.08.16



139 PRIME CATTLE

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With harvesting continuing in earnest, a small entry of clean cattle forward but with a larger bull contingent. Quality sorts were harder to come by today, with trade at least holding its own but paper averages affected by this.

Very few suckler steers penned today sold to 218p/kg or £1413 in the lump. Plenty of bullocks better suited to the store ring presented today.

Butchers heifers in short supply as yarded cattle finish. The best available were good sorts selling to 231p/kg on three occasions and to £1322 as a whole.

MORE CLEAN CATTLE WERE REQUIRED

Good bull numbers helped filling viable loads and sold to similar values to last week. There is still no real bite in the bull trade although 500-620kg well-finished bulls saw decent demand. Best sucklers sold to 208p/kg, with Holsteins a sharper trade to 167p/kg.

ONLY 6 COWS & 2 STOCK BULLS FORWARD saw a good trade with heavy, meated Devon cross cows to 134p/kg at 846kg. Saler stock bulls sold to 124p/kg, with Blondes to 120p/kg being a little leaner. No dairies forward.

MORE COWS & STOCK BULLS NEEDED

64 CLEAN CATTLE

Only 17 steers forward with many very plain and/or non-FABBL. 648kg Limousins from IGC Morris sold to 218p/kg, with handy-weight Limousins to 214p/kg for 538kg from Tony Barker. 698kg thicker Hereford x Limousins to 191p/kg from Andrew Nicholls.

47 heifers sold to av. 197p/kg — Handy-weights from Dave Chilton sold to 231p/kg at 482kg, with heavier Limmies to the same for 566kg and 560kg from IGC Morris and Mr Yates respectively. Charolais heifers sold to £1322 from David Preece. MORE CLEAN CATTLE REQUIRED PLEASE

75 BULLS SOLD TO AV. 170P/KG

Good numbers with our fair share of weight evident. A super run from Matt Bower sold from 200p/kg to 208p/kg, with his heavier Continentals around £1300. DJM Farming sold handy shop Blondes to 200p/kg for 496kg.

Holsteins sold to 167p/kg from Tom Hill, with Friesians to 163p/kg from Roger Rowson. Other black and whites to £1136.66 from James Woolrich.

GOOD BULL ENTRIES NEXT WEEK PLEASE

STEERS £/KG									
218p/kg	648kg	29m	LIMx	IGC Morris					
214p/kg	538kg	15m	LIMx	P Barker & Son					
191p/kg	698kg	26m	LIMx	H Snelson & Son					
187p/kg	496kg	16m	LIMx	JH Maydew & Son					
186p/kg	610kg	28m	LIMx	EB Mullard & Son					
STEERS £/HEAD									
£1412.64	648kg	29m	LIMx	IGC Morris					
£1333.18	698kg	26m	LIMx	H Snelson & Son					
£1200.20	706kg	24m	BAx	IS Lewis & Son					
HEIFERS £/KG									
231p/kg	482kg	16m	LIMx	JDW Chilton					
231p/kg	566kg	25m	LIMx	IGC Morris					
231p/kg	560kg	17m	LIMx	MG Yates					
230p/kg	560kg	17m	LIMx	MG Yates					
230p/kg	534kg	23m	LIMx	JDW Chilton					
228p/kg	508kg	15m	LIMx	JDW Chilton					
228p/kg	580kg	23m	CHX	A Preece & Son					
HEIFERS £/HE	AD								
£1322.40	580kg	23m	CHx	A Preece & Son					
£1318.64	622kg	27m	LIMx	A Preece & Son					
£1307.46	566kg	25m	LIMx	IGC Morris					
£1293.60	560kg	17m	LIMx	MG Yates					
BULLS £/KG	J								
208p/kg	614kg	16m	LIMx	MJ Bower					
205p/kg	588kg	15m	LIMx	MJ Bower					
204p/kg	580kg	15m	LIMx	MJ Bower					
200p/kg	572kg	17m	LIMx	MJ Bower					
200p/kg	636kg	16m	LIMx	MJ Bower					
200p/kg	496kg	15m	BAx	DJM Farming					
193p/kg	578kg	20m	LIMx	M Preece & Co					
BULLS £/HEAI	D								
£1316.88	_ 708kg	16m	LIMx	MJ Bower					
£1285.22	718kg	16m	LIMx	MJ Bower					
£1277.12	614kg	16m	LIMx	MJ Bower					
£1272.00	636kg	16m	LIMx	MJ Bower					
£1248.90	690kg	16m	BRB	A Preece & Son					
DAIRY BULLS	£/KG								
167p/kg	618kg	16m	НО	ES Hill & Sons					
163p/kg	606kg	15m	FR	CPB Rowson					
161p/kg	706kg	17m	НО	JH Woolrich					
160p/kg	600kg	15m	НО	TA Hartley & Son					
BULLS £/HEAI	_			,					
£1136.66	- 706kg	17m	НО	JH Woolrich					
OTMS £/KG									
134p/kg	846kg	78m	SDx	WE Howells & Son					
129p/kg	680kg	77m	LIMx	CT Jones & Sons					
125p/kg	540kg	132m	AAx	P Taylor					
124p/kg	954kg	42m	SAL	WE Howells & Son					
120p/kg	1004kg	64m	BL	CO Watkins & Co					
OTMS £/HEAD									
£1204.80 1004kg 64m BL CO Watkins & Co									
£1204.80 £1182.96	954kg	42m	SAL	WE Howells & Son					
£1133.64	954kg 846kg	78m	SDx	WE Howells & Son					
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1266 LAMBS

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Quite remarkably for the summer months, the trade is improving week on week averaging 195p/kg, with best lambs realising over £100 per head to a top price per kilo of 217p/kg. Compare this to last year's trade where there were half as many lambs averaging 142p/kg, 53p/kg less. There are plenty of suggestions as to why this is; whatever the reason, long may it continue.

Top price this week of 217p/kg for Stuart Moss' Texel lambs and 50kg lambs from Lee Preece at 210p/kg or £105/head. Lambs generally over 200p/kg for finished commercial lambs, with the only lambs harder to sell being a number of very plain lambs

More lambs required next week to take advantage of the very string trade.

Top prices

217p/kg	42kg	S Moss
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 215p/kg
 40.5kg
 AG Kirton & Son

 214p/kg
 41.5kg
 AG Kirton & Son

 213p/kg
 44kg
 AG Kirton & Son

 210p/kg
 50kg
 M Preece & Co

333 EWES

A strong trade for large ewes however, small plainer ewes hard work. Texels from Andrew Preece at £99, Suffolks from Dave Sturgess at £96 and Mules passed £80 to £85.

Large lean ewes, as ever, still very dear, with what would look quire plain Suffolks over £70 and North Country Mules to £73. Hill ewes to £69 Scotch, £47 Cheviot and larger meated Welsh at £51.

Rams to £100 and a single goat to £64.

FOR SALE

GOOD QUALITY BRITISH BLUE STOCK BULL

2011. Good stock getter but surplus to needs at present. Contact: Mark Burgoyne 07831 192603

NEXT RURAL LAND & PROPERTY AUCTION

THURSDAY 26TH OCTOBER

to be held at Bridgnorth Livestock & Auction Centre

ENTRIES NOW INVITED

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FOR SALE

6 ACRES STANDING MAIZE

Levedale Area

Contact: Rob McCabe 07970 981183

STORE SALE – 05.08.16 60 STORE CATTLE PLUS COWS & CALVES

A small show with a sale last week saw trade no less. Devon cross steers 420kg sold to £870 for Mr England, with Bill Hayward selling British Blue cross heifers to £1020 for 590kg. In-calf Shorthorn heifers sold to £1010 from John Beaman, with Angus x cows (2^{nd} calvers) with a young Limousin bull calf to £1260

MORE CATTLE NEEDED IN A FORTNIGHT'S TIME ON 19TH AUGUST PLEASE

Prices as follows;

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Steers £/kg							
219p/kg	335kg	15m	SDx	LAJ England			
207.1p/kg	420kg	19m	SDx	LAJ England			
189.9p/kg	395kg	16m	BRB	LAJ England			
Steers £/head							
£870.00	420kg	19m	SDx	LAJ England			
£750.00	395kg	16m	BRB	LAJ England			
£735.00	335kg	15m	SDx	LAJ England			
£475.00	338kg	15m	FRx	LAJ England			
Heifers £/kg							
198.9p/kg	440kg	21m	CHx	P Taylor			
192.3p/kg	390kg	16m	LIMx	J & J Beaman			
188.7p/kg	530kg	27m	BRB	AE Hayward & Sons			
Heifers £/head							
£1020.00	590kg	22m	BRB	AE Hayward & Sons			
£1000.00	530kg	27m	BRB	AE Hayward & Sons			
£930.00	520kg	20m	AAx	AE Hayward & Sons			
£910.00	525kg	20m	BRB	AE Hayward & Sons			
£905.00	500kg	20m	BRB	AE Hayward & Sons			
Cows & Calves							

Cows & Calves

£1260.00	AAx Cow (43m) with Lim Bull Calf	R Rose
£1200.00	BAx Cow (94m) with Lim Bull Calf	R Rose
£1200.00	HEx Cow (38m) with Lim Bull Calf	R Rose

500 STORE SHEEP

A smaller entry of store lambs created considerable interest selling to £63 for April-born young Texel lambs from John Lawley. Trade as previous sales this year being extremely brisk on smaller, long-keep sheep with mini lambs all over £50.

Breeding ewes to £128 several times for Suffolk x Mules from Dave Edwards and Richards Davies. There were plenty of customers and interest for black faced yearlings.

Texels to £122 and older ewes straight off their lambs to £89 4yo, with small, lean, aged ewes all over £71.

NEXT SALE FRIDAY 19TH AUGUST

Entries invited

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- Extensive range of livestock buildings
- Stunning far reaching views to the south
- Good equestrian outriding potential
- Sporting potential

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