

BRIDGNORTH LIVESTOCK MARKET

WEEKLY REPORT – 11.08.15

PRIME CATTLE (RED)

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124 PRIME CATTLE

A very sharp trade with more cattle required with eleven buyers around the ring. Vendors must take credit for producing some quality finished cattle to suit regular orders. There were a few also rans forward which did impact on our overall average which was still just short of 200p/kg, with clean cattle averaging 206p/kg.

Only a sprinkling of steers penned this morning saw the best to 210p/kg at £1453 in the lump. More demand for bullocks today with the Jewish trade operating following festivities.

Butchers heifers were a marvellous trade, with a fresh face around the ring once again. Best quality sold to 252p/kg with several others 240pence plus. More females would have sold to everyone's benefit. £1461 was top price heifer per head.

Too few bulls to satisfy buyers' needs with lorries leaving the market only partially full. Suckler bulls sold to 215p/kg under 16 months or £1573 in the lump. Meated Friesians passed 170p/kg and met strong demand with meat.

88 CLEAN CATTLE

Only 15 steers sold to av. 178p/kg – Best bullocks were from Gerald Kincaid selling from 205p/kg to 210p/kg, with 692kg Limousins to £1453.20. Friesian steers to 152p/kg from LJ Truswell.

73 heifers sold to av. 206p/kg – A cracking run from Richard Parkes topped the day at 252p/kg for 530kg Limousins. Handy-weight 436kg Blondes from Dan Watkins took second spot at 249p/kg. David Preece's heavier females lumped up to £1461.18 for 686kg Charolais crosses.

MORE CATTLE WERE NEEDED- STRONG BUYING SUPPORT EVERY WEEK

ONLY 36 BULLS SOLD TO AV. 177P/KG

A small harvest entry was not enough for regular orders. Shapey Blues from Richard Preece sold to 215p/kg for 600kg, with 594kg Lims to 214p/kg from Matt Bower who also sold 742kg to £1573.04. Handy-weight 532kg Limousins sold to 213p/kg from Goulburn Farms.

Well-finished Friesians sold to 178p/kg from Dave Evans, with plenty of well-meated black and whites passed 160p/kg in most cases unless too much belly!

MORE BULLS REQUIRED NEXT WEEK PLEASE

STEERS £/KG

210p/kg	692kg	23m	LIMx	G & M Kincaid
209p/kg	630kg	26m	LIMx	G & M Kincaid
206p/kg	634kg	26m	LIMx	G & M Kincaid
205p/kg	692kg	27m	LIMx	G & M Kincaid
184p/kg	656kg	24m	BAX	Shropshire & Jones
183p/kg	708kg	24m	BAX	NJ Truswell

STEERS £/HEAD

£1453.20	692kg	23m	LIMx	G & M Kincaid
£1418.60	692kg	27m	LIMx	G & M Kincaid
£1316.70	630kg	26m	LIMx	G & M Kincaid

HEIFERS £/KG

252p/kg	530kg	15m	LIMx	EP Parkes & Sons
249p/kg	436kg	16m	BAX	CO Watkins & Co
247p/kg	514kg	13m	LIMx	EP Parkes & Sons
247p/kg	500kg	19m	LIMx	EP Parkes & Sons
246p/kg	520kg	14m	LIMx	EP Parkes & Sons
244p/kg	534kg	15m	LIMx	EP Parkes & Sons
244p/kg	516kg	18m	LIMx	W Jordin & Son
244p/kg	472kg	16m	BAX	CO Watkins & Co
242p/kg	480kg	13m	BAX	WP & R Kinnish
242p/kg	478kg	15m	LIMx	EP Parkes & Sons
242p/kg	478kg	13m	BAX	WP & R Kinnish
241p/kg	516kg	16m	LIMx	MJ Bower
241p/kg	534kg	19m	CONT	IGC Morris
241p/kg	474kg	20m	LIMx	EP Parkes & Sons
240p/kg	482kg	15m	LIMx	EP Parkes & Sons
240p/kg	488kg	17m	BAX	EP Parkes & Sons

HEIFERS £/HEAD

£1461.18	686kg	26m	CHx	A Preece & Son
£1412.20	614kg	27m	BRB	W Jordin & Son
£1344.00	640kg	26m	LIMx	A Preece & Son
£1339.80	580kg	25m	LIMx	W Jordin & Son
£1335.60	530kg	15m	LIMx	EP Parkes & Sons

BULLS £/KG

215p/kg	600kg	15m	BRB	I & J Preece & Son
214p/kg	594kg	16m	LIMx	MJ Bower
213p/kg	532kg	17m	LIMx	Goulburn Farms
212p/kg	742kg	16m	LIMx	MJ Bower
212p/kg	722kg	16m	LIMx	MJ Bower
210p/kg	574kg	15m	BRB	I & J Preece & Son
209p/kg	526kg	16m	LIMx	F Poval & Son
206p/kg	652kg	14m	LIMx	RT Bebb Ltd
205p/kg	588kg	17m	LIMx	Goulburn Farms
205p/kg	590kg	14m	BRB	T Hartley & Sons

BULLS £/HEAD

£1573.04	742kg	16m	LIMx	MJ Bower
£1530.64	722kg	16m	LIMx	MJ Bower
£1343.12	652kg	14m	LIMx	RT Bebb Ltd

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DAIRY BULLS

180p/kg	576kg	17m	MONT	W Rodenhurst & Son
178p/kg	500kg	17m	FR	JA Evans & Son
170p/kg	538kg	18m	FR	JA Evans & Son
165p/kg	486kg	12m	FR	F Povall & Son
165p/kg	564kg	15m	HO	BR Charles & Partners

1100 LAMBS

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More lambs sloshing around this week, a rollover from last week's campaign providing processors with a sudden over supply and reasons to drop the price.

Last week's trade in Bridgnorth would have been the trade of the week but this week, back to reality.

Top price of 174p/kg for 42kg from Richard Morgan and heavier lambs 49kg at 164.5p/kg.

A good run of Texel x lambs from Sam Jones 162p/kg to 168p/kg weighing up to 46kg.

Lighter lambs to 170p/kg from Ed Bunning and Cheviots to 155p/kg for 34kg from Rob Rose.

Top Prices

174p/kg	42kg	LR Morgan & Son
170p/kg	36.5kg	HA Bunning
169p/kg	40kg	HA Bunning
168p/kg	43kg	WJ Jones & Co
165p/kg	44kg	WJ Jones & Co
164.5p/kg	49kg	LR Morgan & Son

700 EWES

Another large entry of ewes and trade very brisk to £94 Suffolk and Texel x Mules, £90 smaller Texel ewes and £84.50 Romney x ewes.

Over-fat ewes worth less than light or lean ewes which sold to £75 Suffolks and £70 Mules.

Once again a large number of hill ewes to £48.50 Easy Care, £59 Scotch, £46 Cheviot and £50 Beulah.

Rams remain dear to £113 Charollais, £110 Texel and £80 Welsh Mountain.

DOWNTON ESTATES 7TH ANNUAL SALE OF 5450 EWE & STORE LAMBS

ON SATURDAY 29TH AUGUST AT 11AM

At Brakes Farm, Downton On The Rock
Ludlow, Shropshire, SY8 2HU

TO LET

28.16 ACRES GRAZING

PERTON, WOLVERHAMPTON

Suitable for mowing or equestrian uses.

Contact Anne-Marie Brettell for more information

POTATO GROUND WANTED

Bridgnorth/Much Wenlock Area

Contact Anne-Marie Brettell for more information

STORE CATTLE SALE – 07.08.15

52 STORE CATTLE

A small harvest entry saw trade no faster but a fair price none the less. All cattle sold to average 206p/kg. Hereford x steers sold to £970 for 460kg from Mr Griffin, with Devon x heifers to £850 for 410kg from University Farms. Good entries are required for our next sale on Friday 21st August 2015. Entries close for catalogue Monday 17th August at 12noon.

Steers £/Head

£970	460kg	16m	Hex	218p/kg	370kg	23m	BAX
£935	465kg	16m	LIMx	211p/kg	460kg	16m	HEX
£915	440kg	14m	LIMx	210p/kg	415kg	16m	LIMx
£870	415kg	16m	LIMx	208p/kg	440kg	14m	LIMx
£805	370kg	23m	BAX				

Steers £/kg

Heifers £/Head

£850	410kg	15m	SDx	214p/kg	350kg	15m	LIMx
£800	400kg	15m	SDx	207p/kg	410kg	15m	SDx
£780	380kg	12m	LIMx				

Heifers £/kg

700 STORE SHEEP

A very brisk store lamb trade with stores to £57.20 from Ian Powell, £55.80 Texel and Texel x Suffolk £54.20.

A larger than expected entry of breeding ewes created considerable interest to a virtual total clearance with Texel yearlings to £120, Suffolk x Mules £127 from Dave Edwards and smaller Texel x yearlings which had had lambs to £97.

Older ewes to £109 Texel x 3yo, £101 Texel x 4yo and £101 Texel x 2yo.

A Suffolk x Mule yearlings donated by Roger & Jill Davies for Cancer Research realised £355 and was eventually purchased by Steve Crump.

NEXT STORE SALE

FRIDAY 21ST AUGUST AT 11:00AM

Entries close Monday 17th August at 12noon

AUTUMN RURAL LAND & PROPERTY AUCTION

WEDNESDAY 9TH SEPTEMBER 2015 AT 6:30PM

At Bridgnorth Town Hall, WV16 4EJ

5.50 ACRES ARABLE LAND

Rushbury, Church Stretton, Shropshire

GUIDE PRICE: £45,000 - £55,000

2.78 ACRES PASTURE LAND

Shepherds Plock, Asterton, Shropshire

GUIDE PRICE: £25,000 - £45,000

32.80 ACRES ARABLE LAND AT BRICKYARD FARM

Aston Eyre, Bridgnorth, Shropshire

GUIDE PRICE: £300,000 - £330,000

23.30 ACRES LAND & STABLES

Ribbesford, Bewdley, Worcestershire

GUIDE PRICE LOT 1: £50,000 - £60,000

LOT 2: £120,000 - £140,000