

# BRIDGNORTH LIVESTOCK MARKET

## WEEKLY REPORT – 11.12.18

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### 117 PRIME CATTLE

#### Auctioneer – Mark Burgoyne 07831 192603

Good entries of clean cattle coupled with a small bull entry saw an easier trade with only the very best clean cattle holding values in line or perhaps dearer than last week. More commercial sorts proved hard work, with only well-finished Holstein Friesian bulls seeing any sort of demand. With all the major supermarket suppliers dropping their prices again this week as producers continue to market numbers to reduce winter feed bills nationally.

No top notch steers forward saw Continentals selling to 213p/kg, with heavies to £1328. Well-finished steers easiest placed.

A useful heifer entry sold to 250p/kg on two occasions with several in the 240p/kg or more bracket. Heavy females to £1361.

Best bulls were definitely less money with shapely Lims to 212p/kg, with only two others passed 200p/kg. Black and whites saw similar values to recent sales with the best available passed 170p/kg.

**2 COWS** sold to a high of 97p/kg for British Blues from Mike Davies, with slightly plainer sorts to 85p/kg.

Next week **TUESDAY 18TH DECEMBER** is the last market before Christmas; please let us know your entries so that we can judge buyers requirements. No Primestock Market until Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> January 2019.

### 84 CLEAN CATTLE

**18 Steers sold to ov.av. 181p/kg** – A nice run from Alastair Beedles sold to 213p/kg and 207p/kg for 614kg and 554kg respectively. Blues from Rita Corfield-McCowan sold to 202p/kg, with John Cantrill selling 664kg Limousins to 200p/kg (£1328).

**64 Heifers sold to ov.av. 206p/kg** – Richard Parkes' super bunch sold to 250p/kg on two occasions for butchers heifers around half a ton. Martin Pain sold to 248p/kg, Roger Jordin to 247p/kg and Andrew Craig and Mrs Burgoyne to 246p/kg. Heavy British Blues to £1361.04 for 642kg from Phil Clarke.

### 35 BULLS SOLD TO OV. AV. 172P/KG

642kg and 648kg Limousins from Jan Edwards sold to 212p/kg and 209p/kg, with 668kg Lims to 205p/kg at 22m from Edward Howells. Simmentals sold to 199p/kg from Andrew Bryan.

Colin Evans' usual run of black and whites sold to 172p/kg, with David Cantrill selling to 168p/kg.

### STEERS £/KG

213p/kg	614kg	21m	LIMx	RE & RM Beedles
207p/kg	554kg	20m	LIMx	RE & RM Beedles
202p/kg	610kg	20m	BRB	Corfield McCowan
200p/kg	664kg	18m	LIMx	R & T Cantrill
199p/kg	588kg	20m	LIMx	RE & RM Beedles
195p/kg	620kg	20m	LIMx	RE & RM Beedles
195p/kg	654kg	18m	LIMx	R & T Cantrill & Son

### STEERS £/HEAD

£1328.00	664kg	18m	LIMx	R & T Cantrill & Son
£1307.82	614kg	21m	LIMx	RE & RM Beedles
£1275.30	654kg	18m	LIMx	R & T Cantrill & Son
£1264.44	514kg	19m	LIMx	C Burgoyne
£1257.12	648kg	21m	SDx	C Leeke & Son

### HEIFERS £/KG

250p/kg	504kg	18m	LIMx	EP Parkes & Sons
250p/kg	498kg	15m	LIMx	EP Parkes & Sons
248p/kg	494kg	25m	LIMx	RJ Pain & Son
248p/kg	496kg	14m	LIMx	EP Parkes & Son
247p/kg	530kg	19m	LIMx	W Jordin & Son
246p/kg	514kg	19m	LIMx	C Burgoyne
246p/kg	544kg	20m	LIMx	TR Craig & Sons
245p/kg	482kg	21m	LIMx	C Burgoyne

### HEIFERS £/HEAD

£1361.04	642kg	26m	BRB	PG & EA Clarke
£1352.16	626kg	29m	LIMx	PG & EA Clarke
£1338.24	544kg	20m	LIMx	TR Craig & Sons
£1329.40	578kg	18m	LIMx	TR Craig Sons
£1319.04	576kg	24m	LIMx	R & T Cantrill & Son
£1312.72	538kg	21m	LIMx	W Jordin & Son

### BULLS £/KG

212p/kg	642kg	18m	LIMx	RW & JL Edwards
209p/kg	648kg	17m	LIMx	RW & JL Edwards
205p/kg	668kg	22m	LIMx	WE Howells & Son
199p/kg	568kg	14m	SMx	GB & M Bryan & Son
199p/kg	556kg	16=m	SMx	GB & M Bryan & Son

### BULLS £/HEAD

£1369.40	668kg	22m	LIMx	WE Howells & Son
£1361.04	642kg	18m	LIMx	RW & JL Edwards
£1354.32	648kg	17m	LIMx	RW & JL Edwards
£1256.40	698kg	19m	LIMx	GE Tomley & Sons
£1247.40	660kg	18m	LIMx	GE Tomley & Son

### DAIRY BULLS £/KG

176p/kg	480kg	14m	FR	JB & EJ Green
175p/kg	526kg	14m	FR	JR Beaumont & Sons
172p/kg	578kg	14m	FR	C Evans
171p/kg	482kg	13m	HO	JB & EJ Green
171p/kg	486kg	15m	FR	JB & EJ Green

### DAIRY BULLS £/HEAD

£1137.74	698kg	14m	FRx	C Evans
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### OTMS £/KG

97p/kg	684kg	98m	BRB	MJ Davies
85p/kg	662kg	88m	BRB	MJ Davies

### OTMS £/HEAD

£663.48	684kg	98m	BRB	MJ Davies
£562.70	662kg	88m	BRB	MJ Davies



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## 1200 LAMBS

### Auctioneer – Martin Clack 07977 067519

One of the only positives of a weakening pound- a rise in the lamb trade jumping to the dizzy heights of 185p/kg; not brilliant but an improvement on past months.

An exceptional lamb from Lee Preece at 42kg realised 220p/kg, with several from Peter Morris and Rob Jones 215p/kg to 220p/kg.

Texels from Sally Moss averaged almost 50kg and £98.00 to £103. The lambs showing the largest increased in value were those under 43kg. A very difficult trade to this time last year when weight paid.

31.5kg lambs from Rob Rose at 187p/kg, 36.5kg to 192p/kg and 37.5kg to 205p/kg.

Normal market next Tuesday when more lambs are required.

### **Top Price/kg**

220p/kg	42kg	M Preece & Co
219p/kg	41kg	IGC Morris
218p/kg	42kg	WJ Jones & Co
216p/kg	38kg	IGC Morris
213p/kg	46.5kg	S Moss

### **Top Price/head**

£103.10	61kg	S Moss
£103.00	54kg	S Moss
£102.30	63kg	J Freeman
£101.50	58kg	M Preece & Co
£96.70	57.5kg	G Haywood

## 912 EWES

### Auctioneer – Martin Clack 07977 067519

Five full rows of ewes and trade not hitting the highs of last week but still very respectable, with large lean ewes looking very well sold.

Over-fat sheep possibly as a consequence of the change in rules regarding carcase temperature remain harder work but smaller ewes have improved over the past month.

Texel cross ewes to £108 twice, Suffolks £100 and North Country Mules £74.

Plainer ewes much dearer per kilo with plenty of Suffolks and Continentals £70 to £85.

Hill ewes to 45 Beulah, £38 Welsh and Cheviots £70.

In just short of 1000 sheep, only 9 rams to £93 Texels and £90 Zwartbles.

### **Top Price/head**

£105.00	F & M Sturgess
£96.00	G Davies
£91.00	JB & EJ Green
£85.50	DL Partridge
£85.00	THJ & MA Lloyd & Son (Texel Ram)

## STORE SALE REPORT - FRIDAY 7TH DECEMBER

### STORE CATTLE/COWS & CALVES

#### Auctioneer - Martin Clack 07977 067519

A smaller entry of cattle attracted plenty of interest and spirited bidding throughout.

Steers to £810 for 19m Limousins and several others 17m to 24m from £700 to £750, notably Herefords at £750. Charolais heifers to £815, Herefords to £680 and Angus to £765.

The annual 'event' from Frank Breakwell passed without too much drama with heifers at £805 and 8m Limousin bulls at £770. A single Limousin x cow and calf realised £960 with cows running with bull to £590.

### 400 STORE LAMBS

#### Auctioneer - Martin Clack 07977 067519

One of the best entries of lambs quality wise and a brisk trade with Suffolk x Mule Lambs at £70, smaller Texel x Mules £67 and longer term Suffolk Mules over £60 to £65.

Continental top lambs to £59.50 and small Welsh Mules at £55.

**NEXT SPECIAL SALE OF STORE LAMBS ON FRIDAY 21ST DECEMBER. ENTRIES INVITED.**

## **NEXT STORE SALE**

### **FRIDAY 21ST DECEMBER**

**AT BRIDGNORTH LIVESTOCK MARKET**

**Sale of Store Cattle & Store Sheep**

*Catalogue entries close Monday 17<sup>th</sup> December*

## **DRESSED POULTRY SALE**

### **FRIDAY 21ST DECEMBER AT 5:00PM**

**AT BRIDGNORTH LIVESTOCK MARKET**

*Entries invited*