

BRIDGNORTH LIVESTOCK MARKET

WEEKLY REPORT – 12.05.15

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PRIME CATTLE (RED)

Auctioneer – Mark Burgoyne 07831 192603

178 PRIME CATTLE

A good number of cattle forward with a full contingent of buyers around the ring. Generally an improved trade on the better sorts, with handy-weight and in-specification in strong demand and selling well above dead-weight quotations and other local markets so far this week. However, more commercial sorts and processing cattle still a difficult trade and having to compete with cheap imports and cow beef.

Useful entries of steers took a 5p/kg lift, with best sorts selling above 200p/kg to 218p/kg or £1317 in the lump. It is noticeable that some heavier cattle are now coming to less than the ones that are ticking all the boxes at lighter weights? Butchers heifers sold to a dearer trade to 245p/kg with lean, shapely types the order of the day. Producers need to note that cattle have been in the yards a long time now and are coming thicker than you might realise.

More best quality bulls were penned this morning helping overall averages, but also selling well in front of the competition. Two sucklers sold to 218p/kg with a few more around the £1300 mark. Very few black and whites of any quality with the best to 164p/kg and 163p/kg.

ONLY 13 COWS SOLD TO AV.114P/KG

Once again, trade held up well here, with more numbers needed to get orders started. British Blue crosses 758kg sold to 127p/kg for Robert Beaman, with Bill Yeoman's' Blonde cross to 126p/kg. 840kg Simmentals sold to £1058 from David Meddins.

MORE COWS & STOCK BULLS REQUIRED

119 CLEAN CATTLE

53 steers sold to av. 172p/kg – handy-weights from Phil Roberts at 510kg topped this department at 218p/kg, with a super black Blonde to 206p/kg from Frank Millichamp. Helen Shropshire-Jones sold to 230p/kg (we hope Richard has dusted himself down after his debacle this morning!), as did Peter Raybould. Gordon Jones sold his Limousins to £1317 in the lump/

66 heifers sold to av. 190p/kg – A super run of Continentals from Richard Parkes sold to a high of 245p/kg and 244p/kg, with others over 200p/kg. 500kg Lims from Matt & Wendy Bower sold to 239p/kg, whilst Stuart Bebb's run topped at 237p/kg for 454kg. 512kg Lims sold to 234p/kg from Dave Chilton. 692kg Blondes sold to £1280 from Martin Mottershead.

59 BULLS SOLD TO AV. 175P/KG

Generally a better show forward plus some "also rans". Rob Hartley sold five Blondes and Blues above 200p/kg to 218p/kg for 598kg (£1303). Brian Watkins' Blondes sold from 206p/kg to 212p/kg, with Todd Harris selling to 206p/kg for 574kg Limmies. Stuart Bebb's Limmie added up pretty well to 20 pence short of £1300, with Charlie Cadwallader selling 676kg Blondes to £1284. Holsteins 600kg to 164p/kg for Colin Evans.

MORE WELL MEATED CONTINENTALS & FRIESIAN BULLS WERE NEEDED

STEERS £/KG

| | | | | |
|---------|-------|-----|------|--------------------|
| 218p/kg | 510kg | 15m | BRB | RD & KM Roberts |
| 206p/kg | 590kg | 26m | BAX | Millichamp Bros |
| 200p/kg | 580kg | 20m | BAX | Shropshire & Jones |
| 200p/kg | 656kg | 25m | LIMx | SJ Raybould & Son |
| 199p/kg | 662kg | 23m | LIMx | TE Jones & Son |
| 199p/kg | 620kg | 25m | LIMx | SJ Raybould & Son |

STEERS £/HEAD

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|----------|-------|-----|------|-------------------|
| £1317.38 | 662kg | 23m | LIMx | TE Jones & Son |
| £1312.00 | 656kg | 25m | LIMx | SJ Raybould & Son |
| £1287.00 | 650kg | 25m | BRB | SJ Raybould & Son |
| £1285.20 | 714kg | 26m | LIMx | TE Jones & Son |
| £1270.08 | 648kg | 30m | BRB | G & M Kincaid |

HEIFERS £/KG

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|---------|-------|-----|------|------------------|
| 245p/kg | 478kg | 22m | LIMx | EP Parkes & Sons |
| 244p/kg | 486kg | 22m | LIMx | EP Parkes & Sons |
| 239p/kg | 504kg | 12m | LIMx | MJ Bower |
| 237p/kg | 454kg | 13m | LIMx | RT Bebb Ltd |
| 234p/kg | 512kg | 16m | LIMx | JDW Chilton |

HEIFERS £/HEAD

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|----------|-------|-----|------|------------------|
| £1280.20 | 692kg | 28m | BAX | MG Mottershead |
| £1220.92 | 524kg | 24m | LIMx | EP Parkes & Sons |
| £1204.56 | 504kg | 24m | LIMx | MJ Bower |
| £1203.36 | 552kg | 15m | LIMx | JDW Chilton |
| £1202.70 | 570kg | 22m | LIMx | LR Morgan & Sons |

BULLS £/KG

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|---------|-------|-----|------|------------------|
| 518p/kg | 598kg | 15m | BRB | JL Hartley & Son |
| 218p/kg | 560kg | 16m | BAX | CO Watkins & Co |
| 212p/kg | 568kg | 12m | BAX | CO Watkins & Co |
| 210p/kg | 508kg | 14m | LIMx | JL Hewitt |
| 207p/kg | 556kg | 14m | BAX | JL Hartley & Son |

BULLS £/HEAD

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|----------|-------|-----|------|-------------------|
| £1303.64 | 598kg | 15m | BRB | JL Hartley & Son |
| £1299.80 | 670kg | 14m | LIMx | RT Bebb Ltd |
| £1284.40 | 676kg | 14m | BAX | B & C Cadwallader |
| £1274.34 | 634kg | 14m | LIMx | MJ Bower |
| £1254.50 | 650kg | 20m | LIMx | JL Hewitt |

HOL/FR BULLS £/HEAD

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|---------|-------|-----|-----|-----------------|
| 164p/kg | 600kg | 17m | HOL | C Evans |
| 163p/kg | 568kg | 17m | FR | SB Lloyd & Sons |

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OTMs £/KG

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|---------|-------|------|-----|------------------|
| 127p/kg | 758kg | 80m | BBx | GR Beaman |
| 126p/kg | 656kg | 115m | BAX | Yeoman Bros |
| 126p/kg | 840kg | 87m | SMx | TEG Meddins & Co |
| 125p/kg | 618kg | 41m | BRB | BV & DT Whiteman |
| 120p/kg | 720kg | 156m | SMx | TEG Meddins & Co |
| 120p/kg | 832kg | 151m | SMx | TEG Meddins & Co |

OTMs £/HEAD

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|----------|-------|------|-----|------------------|
| £1058.40 | 840kg | 87m | SMx | TEG Meddins & Co |
| £998.40 | 832kg | 151m | SMx | TEG Meddins & Co |
| £962.66 | 758kg | 80m | BBx | GR Beaman |
| £864.00 | 720kg | 156m | SMx | TEG Meddins & Co |
| £851.04 | 788kg | 96m | HEX | PG & EA Clarke |

600 HOGGS**Auctioneer: Martin Clack 079777 067519**

A firmer trade despite the quality varying with all manner of under-finished, over-fat, big, small and tups all to be expected as the hogg numbers finally show signs of tightening up.

Good shaped finished hoggs still sought after selling to 196p/kg for 42kg from Simon Wadlow, with several pens 40kg to 42kg over £90.

Heavier hoggs to £92.50 for 58.5kg Suffolks at 158p/kg from Dave Chilton and to a top price per kilo of 162p/kg (52kg).

A selection of light hoggs to 190p/kg for 35kg with 28kg to 34kg very poor in quality selling to 160p/kg.

Top Prices

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|---------|--------|-----------|
| 196p/kg | 42kg | CN Wadlow |
| 195p/kg | 42.5kg | N Kinsey |
| 195p/kg | 41kg | N Kinsey |
| 195p/kg | 40kg | N Kinsey |
| 190p/kg | 38.5kg | N Kinsey |

914 LAMBS

The largest entry of lambs this season and trade firmer than anticipated averaging 214p/kg including a large number of over-weight lambs which sold to £101.40 (52kg at 193p/kg).

Top price this week of 236p/kg for 41.5kg from Peter Kirton, with customers looking for finished, lean lambs.

Lighter weights easier to sell with 34kg at 231p/kg and several consignments of 35kg to 37kg lambs averaging over £80 per head.

Top Prices

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|---------|--------|-----------------|
| 236p/kg | 41.5kg | AG Kirton & Son |
| 235p/kg | 42kg | AG Kirton & Son |
| 232p/kg | 38kg | D Halford |
| 231p/kg | 34kg | D Evans |
| 230p/kg | 36kg | C Clarke |
| 230p/kg | 43.5kg | AG Kirton & Son |

527 EWES

A large entry although quality poor with several runs of small hill ewes. Overall trade would be up on recent weeks with large ewes to £131, with Continentals and Suffolk fed ewes £120 to £130. Weaned Suffolks to £125 and North Country Mules breaking the £100 barrier to £109.

Beulah types very dear to £85, £80 Easy Cares and £83 Nelsons.

Smaller, lean hill sheep to £68 Swales, £66 Welsh and £69 Cheviot.

53 hoggetts and rams to £159 Texel rams, £158 Charollais and £150 Suffolks. Lean rams a remarkable trade to £129 Charollais and £120 Suffolk.

2 tooth hoggs to £73 and wethers £70.

**SUPPLEMENTARY MAYFAIR STORE SALE
THIS FRIDAY 15TH MAY 2015 AT 11AM**

250 Store Cattle

(catalogue online plus many additional entries)

Ewes & Lambs

Calves & Weanlings

3 Stock Bulls

(1 Charolais, 1 Simmental, 1 British Blue)

10 Cows & Calves

Bulling Heifers

*Catalogues available online**On behalf of Mr & Mrs Matt Bower, Footbridge Farm, Bridgnorth***GENUINE REDUCTION SALE****29 CONTINENTALS COWS/HEIFERS
WITH NOV/DEC BORN LIMOUSIN CALVES AT FOOT**

Running back with Ped Limousin Bulls

THIS FRIDAY 15TH MAY 2015 AT 12 NOON

before Supplementary Mayfair Store Cattle Sale

*Catalogue & Photographs available online***FOR SALE BY PRIVATE TREATY****25 CONTINENTAL X STEERS 12-14M****25 CONTINENTAL X BULLS 12-14M**

Good quality.

Price includes delivery in Shropshire or nearby

Contact: Mark Burgoyne 07831 192603

**LARGE CLAMP OF 2014
ROUND BALE SILAGE FOR SALE**

Any reasonable offers considered.

Very good access & loading facilities.

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COLLECTIVE MACHINERY SALE

Sale of Small Tools, Workshop, Gardening & Horticultural Equipment, Timber, Seasonal Logs & Fodder, Large Farm Machinery, Livestock Equipment, Tractors, Vehicles & Quads

ON SATURDAY 13TH JUNE AT 10:30AM

At Bridgnorth Livestock & Auction Centre

ENTRIES INVITED