

BRIDGNORTH LIVESTOCK MARKET

WEEKLY REPORT – 13.12.22



76 PRIME CATTLE

Auctioneer – Mark Burgoyne 07831 192603

Numbers difficult to come by once again, saw prices holding their own generally. As usual producers who had meat on their cattle were rewarded. The auctioneer is quick to point out the cost of feed to our ring of buyers but feeding them is definitely cheaper than not feeding them.

More steers were required by the awaiting buyers. Best sorts topped at 306p/kg with heavier not so shapey types c. £1670 in the lump.

Butchers' heifers sold to a roaring trade – passed 300p/kg on seven occasions to a high of 328p/kg. Heavy females sold to a high of £1897.

Bulls in short supply once again, not helping orders to get going. A sharp trade on heavy continentals selling to 270p/kg for 836kg (2257). A decent trade on black and whites sold to 209p/kg for 584kg.

54 CLEAN CATTLE

3 STEERS SOLD TO OV. AV. 266P/KG

The Parkes family sold their 506kg Limmie steer to 306p/kg with 552kg Limmies to 260p/kg from Brian & Dave Whiteman. Heavier 690kg Blondes to 242p/kg £1669.80- from Millichamp Bros.

51 HEIFERS SOLD TO OV. AV. 263P/KG

A great run of Limousins from New House Farm sold to head the day at 328p/kg for 494kg with three others above 300p/kg from the same stable. Evans (Curdale) sold their normal high quality Limmies to 323p/kg for 536kg with another to 308p/kg. Other females of note were Blondes from Mrs B selling to 300p/kg for 538kg. Heavy heifers sold to £1897 for 700kg Blondes from Millichamp Bros, with 736kg Lims to £1869.44 from Dave Preece. Please contact Mark Burgoyne with your prime cattle entries for 20th December in good time, so buyers can be notified of possible numbers.

22 BULLS SOLD TO OV. AV. 228P/KG

Heavy Limousins from Pete Kirton & Co topped this department at 270p/kg for 836kg or £2257.20 in the lump. Handier weight Lims and Herefords from Delves & Co sold to 241p/kg and 240p/kg with Paul Taylor also selling to 240p/kg for 602kg. Black & Whites were in strong demand selling to 209p/kg for 584kg from David Preece. Others to 206p/kg from Charlie Lloyd at 540kg.

AFU Cattle Vendors Please Note:

Could producers selling in the Red Market from **Approved Finishing Units (AFU)** please provide a copy of your licence (TB24h) for our records. This is a requirement of our licencing with the Veterinary Inspectorate.

STEERS P/KG

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|---------|-------|-----|------|------------------|
| 306p/kg | 506kg | 13m | LIMx | EP Parkes & Sons |
| 260p/kg | 552kg | 21m | LIMx | BV & DT Whiteman |
| 242p/kg | 690kg | 20m | BAX | Millichamp Bros |

STEERS £/HEAD

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|----------|-------|-----|------|------------------|
| £1669.80 | 690kg | 20m | BAX | Millichamp Bros |
| £1548.36 | 506kg | 13m | LIMx | EP Parkes & Sons |
| £1435.20 | 552kg | 21m | LIMx | BV & DT Whiteman |

HEIFERS P/KG

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|---------|-------|-----|------|--------------------|
| 328p/kg | 494kg | 22m | LIMx | EP Parkes & Sons |
| 323p/kg | 536kg | 20m | LIMx | RC Evans (Curdale) |
| 318p/kg | 496kg | 14m | LIMx | EP Parkes & Sons |
| 308p/kg | 508kg | 19m | LIMx | EP Parkes & Sons |
| 308p/kg | 522kg | 19m | LIMx | RC Evans (Curdale) |
| 300p/kg | 538kg | 17m | BAX | C Burgoyne |
| 297p/kg | 530kg | 20m | LIMx | EP Parkes & Sons |
| 296p/kg | 554kg | 19m | LIMx | RC Evans (Curdale) |
| 295p/kg | 558kg | 19m | BRB | LH Dalton & Son |
| 289p/kg | 528kg | 28m | LIMx | LH Dalton & Son |
| 288p/kg | 584kg | 19m | LIMx | EP Parkes & Sons |
| 288p/kg | 492kg | 20m | LIMx | RJ Pain & Son |
| 287p/kg | 550kg | 17m | LIMx | C Burgoyne |
| 286p/kg | 544kg | 19m | LIMx | C Burgoyne |
| 282p/kg | 600kg | 19m | LIMx | RC Evans (Curdale) |
| 280p/kg | 536kg | 19m | CHx | C Burgoyne |
| 280p/kg | 526kg | 15m | LIMx | LH Dalton & Son |

HEIFERS £/HEAD

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|----------|-------|-----|------|--------------------|
| £1897.00 | 700kg | 22m | BAX | Millichamp Bros |
| £1869.44 | 736kg | 26m | LIMx | A Preece & Son |
| £1786.16 | 664kg | 29m | LIMx | A Preece & Son |
| £1731.28 | 536kg | 20m | LIMx | RC Evans (Curdale) |
| £1692.00 | 600kg | 19m | LIMx | RC Evans (Curdale) |
| £1681.92 | 584kg | 19m | LIMx | EP Parkes & Sons |
| £1648.38 | 662kg | 27m | BRB | RJ Pugh |
| £1646.10 | 558kg | 19m | BRB | LH Dalton & Son |
| £1646.10 | 590kg | 20m | LIMx | LH Dalton & Son |
| £1641.54 | 654kg | 21m | SMx | BV & DT Whiteman |



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BULLS P/KG

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|---------|-------|-----|------|-------------------|
| 270p/kg | 836kg | 17m | LIMx | JH Woolrich |
| 241p/kg | 598kg | 19m | LIMx | JH Woolrich |
| 241p/kg | 516kg | 19m | LIMx | Delves & Co |
| 240p/kg | 602kg | 15m | LIMx | P Taylor |
| 237p/kg | 638kg | 17m | LIMx | P Taylor |
| 234p/kg | 576kg | 19m | LIMx | Delves & Co |
| 234p/kg | 558kg | 20m | LIMx | Delves & Co |
| 234p/kg | 554kg | 19m | LIMx | VT & J Price |
| 233p/kg | 642kg | 17m | BRB | JD Williams & Son |

BULLS £/HEAD

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|----------|-------|-----|------|-------------------|
| £2257.20 | 836kg | 21m | LIMx | AG Kirton & Sons |
| £1824.84 | 822kg | 25m | CHx | JE Williams & Son |
| £1512.06 | 638kg | 17m | LIMx | P Taylor |

DAIRY BULLS P/KG

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|---------|-------|-----|-----|----------------|
| 209p/kg | 584kg | 17m | HOL | A Preece & Son |
| 206p/kg | 646kg | 16m | HOL | A Preece & Son |
| 206p/kg | 540kg | 13m | FR | SB Lloyd & Son |
| 200p/kg | 580kg | 15m | FR | SB Lloyd & Son |

1000 LAMBS

Auctioneer – Martin Clack 07977 067519

A slow start to the day with 1000 lambs eventually penned, trade improved throughout the sale with the best lambs short in supply and rising in value as the sale went on. Caroline Evans lambs took to spot at 312p/kg for 42kg, with several pens 297p/kg to 308p/kg.

Although customers looking to gain high prices per kilo for smart lambs - heavy lambs totted up nicely to £140.40 for 61kg from DT & LR Davies.

Lean, under-finished lambs remain an issue trading around 200p/kg, detracting from the overall average.

More lambs could easily be sold to advantage every week.

Top Prices p/kg

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| 312p/kg | 42.0kg | D&C Evans |
| 308p/kg | 44.0kg | IGC Morris |
| 297p/kg | 44.5kg | IGC Morris |
| 297p/kg | 42.0kg | IGC Morris |
| 289p/kg | 41.5kg | E Bunning |

Top Prices £/Head

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| £140.40 | 61.0kg | DT & LR Davies |
| £135.00 | 54.0kg | N Kinsey |
| £135.00 | 44.0kg | IGC Morris |
| £132.20 | 44.5kg | IGC Morris |
| £132.00 | 55.0kg | AW Preece |

650 EWES

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An improved ewe trade, with cross-bred ewes to £189 and Suffolk x Mules from Tony Davies at £173.50.

North Country Mules hit the £120 mark with heavier, meated ewes around the £140 mark. Leaner lowland ewes up around £10 per head with very plain Mules £75.

A large proportion of the entry comprised of hill sheep which sold to an improved trade. Swales to £61, plain Scotch Blackface £40.50 and Welsh £46 meat to £70 improved sorts.

31 rams sold today, with a £167 Charollais from G Needham, £152 from Andrew Preece Texel and £142 for Zwartbles.

Top Prices £/Head:

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| £189.00 | Texel | L Burns |
| £173.50 | Suffolk | WH Davies & Son |
| £167.00 | Charollais | G Needham |
| £165.00 | Texel | L Burns |
| £161.00 | Texel | D Digwood |

NEXT STORE SALE

To be held on:

FRIDAY 16th DECEMBER 2022

“2022 Round Up Sale”

100 Store Cattle

500 Store Sheep

Catalogues online

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CHRISTMAS DRESSED POULTRY SALE 2022

**Thursday 22nd December at 5.00pm
In the Canteen at Showroom in Tasley**

We have approximately 150 turkeys for sale at 5.00pm on Thursday 22nd December 2022. The sale will be held in the canteen area at our sale room at Tasley.

We look forward to seeing you on 22nd December

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Further entries are encouraged



LAMBING SHED LABOUR REQUIRED

Mid-January to March 2023
Telephone **07968 081764** for further details

FOR RENT



OFFICE PREMISES WITH WAREHOUSE/STORAGE The Old Navy Building, Ditton Priors, Bridgnorth, WV16 6SU Office & Storage Premises (with potential)

- Net Internal Area approx. 465m²
- Rural location situated between Bridgnorth and Ludlow
- Close proximity to Ditton Priors Trading Estate
- WC & Kitchenette facilities
- Former Navy building and latterly occupied for office and storage uses

GUIDE PRICE: OFFERS OVER £26,000 PER ANNUM

FOR RENT



WAREHOUSE/STORAGE UNIT Unit 1, Station Approach, Station Lane, Bridgnorth, WV16 5DP

- Ground Floor Net Internal Area approx. 54.32m²
- First Floor storage mezzanine approx. 20.73m²
- Located within Bridgnorth, amongst a modest range of commercial units
- Parking for 3 or 4 cars

RENTAL: £10,800 PER ANNUM

ANTIQUES/FURNITURE DEPARTMENT

Our Aim: To focus on breaking down house clearances to one-off specialist items to manipulate the market and gain the most profitable outcome for you.

Located in the Bridgnorth Sale Room, Nock Deighton Agricultural LLP conducts two sales a month on the 1st and 3rd Wednesdays of the month.

We charge a standard rate for **vendors** of 17.5% + VAT for items sold. For **purchases**, the buyer's premium is 12.5% + VAT.

If you have any items to sell, want to declutter or have a valuation, please do not hesitate to get in contact – our services include house clearances to one-off appraisals.

The next Furniture/Antiques Sale will be held on

Wednesday 4th January 2023

The auction will be held on-line at
www.easyliveauctions.com
and live in our Bridgnorth Sale Room

Viewing on Tuesday 3rd January 9.00am – 3.00 pm



AMC - Providing Certainty In Such Uncertain Times

With uncertainties of a Post-Brexit / Post-Covid economy now compounded by concern over the possible implications of the Russian invasion of Ukraine, many may be seeking ways to make their businesses more robust, to face whatever the future may bring.

Often referred to as “price takers rather than price makers”, farm businesses often have little control over prices received for their commodities and so it would seem logical to focus on the costs / outgoings of the business, that can be directly influenced, such as finance costs.

During such uncertain times, the long-standing unique selling of an AMC facility are perhaps more valuable than ever and it is therefore worth a reminder of what AMC can offer, in terms of long-term stability, which may currently be lacking in the offering of a high street lender.

A Commitment for the Term of the Loan

While many lenders insist upon reviews throughout the loan term (often including a review of the initial decision to lend), AMC offer a commitment for the term of the loan.

Repayment Terms of up to 30 years

While the future looks so uncertain, minimising the monthly financial commitments can offer more resilience to such volatility.

On a similar rate of interest, the difference between a 20-year term and a 30-year term can be as much as £1,000/m for every £750,000 borrowed.

This, combined with the ability to make additional capital repayments (to a variable rate loan), offers maximum flexibility.

Long Term Interest Only Loans of up to 30 years

Borrowing on a long-term interest-only basis, while existing commitments are being repaid, can make the time-specific opportunity to buy neighbouring land much more comfortably affordable and can leave the next generation with a more viable business.

Long Term Fixed Rates

AMC are one of the few lenders to still offer long term fixed rates of anything up to 30 years.

While fixed rates have recently increased, they still look attractive in comparison to historical interest rates and can offer the certainty of knowing what the monthly commitments will be, regardless of what happens in the wider economy.

If you are interested in discussing what AMC could offer your business, either to finance a new venture or by restructuring existing debt, speak to Rob McCabe on telephone **01746 762666**