BRIDGNORTH LIVESTOCK MARKET

WEEKLY REPORT – 15.08.17



115 PRIME CATTLE

Auctioneer - Mark Burgoyne 07831 192603

Extremely short of cattle as was the case elsewhere. A blistering trade throughout with supply and demand dictating terms. Prices at least 5-10p/kg up on recent sales across the board. Many more beasts were needed to satisfy regular orders or perhaps half fill them!

Some good bullocks today but some weight up in places selling to 229p/kg, with over-weights selling to nearly £1600. An excellent trade on dairy bred sorts with meat.

Best heifers in shorter supply and met an exceptional market to 252p/kg with others just above 530kg to £1325. Commercial clean cattle dearer whatever they were.

Although bull numbers seemed more in line with recent sales trade saw considerable improvement with buyers seeing clean cattle short. Fewer best Continentals sold to 220p/kg or £1323 as a whole. Holstein Friesian bulls an absolute flier to 195p/kg and many over 180p/kg.

<u>5 COWS</u> saw plenty of demand with Farm Assurance essential here. 704kg Blonde cows sold to 164p/kg with smaller Charolais to 144p/kg. Plain Swedish Reds to 108p/kg.

67 CLEAN CATTLE

15 Steers sold to ov.av. 205p/kg — Matt & Wendy Bower emptied their yards to achieve 220p/kg - 229p/kg for four Limousins up to 692kg (£1522.40), with Dave Bradley's 846kg Limmie to £1565.10 in the lump. Hereford crosses sold to 213p/kg for 504kg from Mr England.

52 Heifers sold to ov.av. 214p/kg — Handy-weight quality Limousins from Wallace & Brian Jones sold to steal the headlines at 252p/kg. Roger Jordin sold five Limousins from 241p/kg up to 249p/kg, with Richard Parkes and Andrew Craig selling to 248p/kg.

MORE CLEAN URGENTLY NEEDED – THE TRADE IS WITH YOU 48 BULLS SOLD TO OV. AV. 189P/KG

More best 500-620kg bulls were needed today with the best available selling to 220p/kg for 552kg from Bill Yeomans. 514kg Limousins sold to 218p/kg from Rob & Harold Pugh to take second spot, with Roger Tomley's 590kg Continental to 217p/kg.

Holsteins sold to 195p/kg from Rita Corfield, with Roger Rowson selling his black and whites to 187p/kg.

STEERS £/KG	i					
229p/kg	628kg	23m	LIMx	MJ & WC Bower		
228p/kg	566kg	16m	LIMx	MJ & WC Bower		
227p/kg	530kg	16m	LIMx	MJ & WC Bower		
220p/kg	692kg	26m	BAx	MJ & WC Bower		
214p/kg	550kg	17m	LIMx	M Whieldon		
213p/kg	504kg	25m	HEx	P Taylor		
213p/kg	712kg	24m	LIMx	MJ & WC Bower		
212p/kg	700kg	18m	LIMx	MJ & WC Bower		
STEERS £/HEAD						
£1565.10	 846kg	27m	LIMx	DJ Bradley		
£1522.40	692kg	26m	BAx	MJ & WC Bower		
£1516.56	712kg	24m	LIMx	MJ & WC Bower		
£1499.16	806kg	26m	LIMx	DJ Bradley		
£1484.00	700kg	18m	LIMx	MJ & WC Bower		
HEIFERS £/K	•					
252p/kg	_ 452kg	14m	LIMx	RT Bebb Ltd		
249p/kg	494kg	18m	LIMx	W Jordin & Son		
248p/kg	482kg	16m	LIMx	TR Craig & Sons		
248p/kg	534kg	17m	BRB	EP Parkes & Sons		
246p/kg	484kg	18m	LIMx	TR Craig & Sons		
246p/kg	502kg	17m	LIMx	JDW Chilton		
HEIFERS £/H	<u>EAD</u>					
£1324.32	534kg	17m	BRB	EP Parkes & Sons		
£1311.30	558kg	20m	LIMx	W Jordin & Son		
£1289.04	524kg	17m	LIMx	W Jordin & Son		
£1280.02	574kg	17m	LIMx	JDW Chilton		
BULLS £/KG						
220p/kg	552kg	12m	BAx	Yeoman Bros		
218p/kg	514kg	14m	LIMx	RH Pugh & Son		
217p/kg	590kg	15m	LIMx	GE Tomley & Sons		
213p/kg	568kg	13m	BAx	Yeoman Bros		
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213p/kg	540kg	12m	LIMx	PI Taylor		
210p/kg	572kg	16m	LIMx	A Preece & Son		
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BULLS £/HEAD						
£1323.00	630kg	19m	LIMx	A Preece & Son		
£1321.08	654kg	17m	LIMx	PI Taylor		
DAIRY BULLS £/KG						
187p/kg	532kg	16m	НО	CPB Rowson		
186p/kg	508kg	17m	НО	CPB Rowson		
184p/kg	510kg	17m	НО	CPB Rowson		
179p/kg	560kg	14m	НО	Mulberry Homes		
177p/kg	616kg	17m	НО	JDW Chilton		
DAIRY BULLS £/HEAD						
£1183.20	680kg	15m	НО	JH Woolrich		
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£1147.52	652kg	16m	НО	JH Woolrich		
£1118.78	662kg	15m	НО	JH Woolrich		
£1090.32	616kg	17m	НО	JDW Chilton		
OTMS £/KG						
164p/kg	704kg	130m	BAx	CO Watkins & Co		
144p/kg	584kg	101m	CHx	RH Pugh & Son		
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£1154.56	704kg	130m	BAx	CO Watkins & Co		
£840.96	584kg	101m	CHx	RH Pugh & Son		











1200 LAMBS

Auctioneer: Martin Clack 07977 067519

A firm trade this week with meated lambs again selling to a premium with the sale average of 193p/kg not representative of the trade which was very diluted by small hill lambs and very lean lambs.

A very smart run of Texel lambs from Stuart Moss sold to 230p/kg for 41kg and 44kg at £95.90, although 50kg lambs from Peter Levi at £105 topped the sale.

Generally quality lambs well over 200p/kg and commercial finished lambs 195p/kg.

Heavy sheep to 190p/kg for 55kg Texels and light weights 30kg at 185p/kg and 35kg to 198p/kg.

Top Price/kg

230p/kg	41kg	S Moss
228p/kg	41.5kg	S Moss
216p/kg	39kg	GR Woolley
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215p/kg	43.5kg	S Moss

Top Price/head

£105.00	50kg	P Levi
£104.50	55kg	A Meredith
£98.40	48kg	R Gough
£97.20	54kg	RC Evans
£96.80	47kg	T Kyte

522 EWES

Auctioneer: Dafydd Parry

Another strong entry of ewes with a sale average of £59. The heavier ewes remain firm selling to £108 Texels, £105 Suffolks and £80 North Country Mules. A slight improvement on the leaner types with buyers being more selective. Leaner Texels sold to £70 with Mules to £60.

A large proportion of hill ewes sold to £40. Pen after pen of Swales sold to £38.

Rams sold to £94 Texels.

MORE EWES REQUIRED NEXT WEEK

ROY KINNISH

Manor Farm, Aston Botterell, aged 67 years

We report the sad loss of Roy, who passed away very suddenly on Thursday 10th August at home.

Roy was well-known both close to home and further afield having bred Blonde d'Aquitaine cattle for many years. He built up a reputation for top quality cattle, selling breeding bulls which were a credit to his name and often topping the market or winning the Christmas auction. He attended Bridgnorth Livestock Market most weeks and his friendly nature will be greatly missed.

Our sympathies go to his wife, Chris and family.

NEXT STORE SALE

THIS FRIDAY 18TH AUGUST 2017

Sale of Store Cattle

Cows & Calves, Calves & Weanlings,
1200 Store & Breeding Sheep
to inc. 50 Texel & Beltex Rams
from Ed Bunning & Lee Preece
Further entries invited

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DOWNTON ESTATES 9TH ANNUAL SALE OF 5500 SUFFOLK & TEXEL X MULE STORE & EWE LAMBS

SATURDAY 26TH AUGUST AT 11AM

AT BRAKES FARM, DOWNTON ON THE ROCK, LUDLOW, SHROPSHIRE, SY8 2HU

On behalf of Mr & Mrs John Cox a most interesting

AUCTION SALE

of Agricultural Machinery, Carpentry & Building Equipment, Antiques & Bygones and various Miscellaneous Items

SATURDAY 2ND SEPTEMBER AT 11AM

AT HONGRASS WOOD
NEWCASTLE UPON CLUN, SY7 8PB

COLLECTIVE MACHINERY SALE

SATURDAY 9TH SEPTEMBER AT 10:00AM

Entries now being taken

WANTED

20-50 AC LAND WITH LIGHT SANDY SOIL

To rent in the Codsall/Albrighton/Brewood area
For Turf Production
High Rents paid
Contact Rob McCabe for more information