

# BRIDGNORTH LIVESTOCK MARKET

## WEEKLY REPORT – 16.02.16

### 161 PRIME CATTLE

#### **Auctioneer – Mark Burgoyne 07831 192603**

A fair entry of cattle once again, with best sorts thinner on the ground. Although trade is nowhere near on fire, we saw a small improvement once again. Commercial cattle above 550kg without shape were the most difficult to sell but with lean, well-conformed and finished cattle easily placed.

More steers forward met a good trade throughout with the best to 230p/kg for 628kg (£1444.40).

Best butchers heifers fell just short of 250p/kg at 247p/kg, with several above 230p/kg. More handy-weight heifers are required.

Our bull entry was 80% Holstein today with hardly a suckler bull penned. The best Limousins sold to 211p/kg and two others above 200p/kg. There were no British Friesian black and whites, with Holsteins to 160p/kg, with well-finished dairy bulls easiest sold. More better quality bulls were desperately needed with buyers for these failing to fulfil orders.

#### **31 COWS SOLD TO AV. 95.5P/KG**

A tremendous cow entry with producers realising, at last, they do not have to leave the parish to have the price. There were no best suckler cows forward, with young but very lean cows to 135p/kg and fed Blondes to 125p/kg. Steaking Friesian Holsteins sold to 105p/kg for 806kg. One buyer left empty handed and as many or more cows will be essential next Tuesday.

### 109 CLEAN CATTLE

**27 steers sold to av. 183p/kg** – Frank Millichamp having been marginally disappointed with his lamb trade, left the market clicking his heels as his superb 628kg Blonde sold to 230p/kg (£1444.40) and his other steer to £1337. Handy-weights from Charlie Sandells to 209p/kg for 532kg. 618kg Limousins to 200p/kg from Alastair Beedles.

**82 heifers sold to av. 187p/kg** – The usual stamp from Richard Parkes headed the way at 247p/kg for 480kg, closely followed by Craig Evans and Alastair Beedles whose butchers beasts both achieved 246p/kg. 570kg Blondes from Brian Watkins sold to 241p/kg. Heavier Blondes to £1277.48 from the Millichamp stable once again. Bidding steady on more ordinary shapes.

#### **52 BULLS SOLD TO AV. 160P/KG**

A decent trade considering the distinct lack of shape available. Paul Taylor topped this department at 211p/kg for his 602kg Limousin. Limousins from Roger Tomley sold to 209p/kg for 568kg, with Gilbert Brown selling to 202p/kg for 580kg British Blue crosses.

578kg Holsteins to 160p/kg from Glyn Breeze, with 644kg to 158p/kg from David Preece. Robin & Chris Maydew saw their black and whites well over £1,000 mark.

### STEERS £/KG

230p/kg	628kg	22m	BAX	Millichamp Bros
209p/kg	532kg	13m	LIMX	KJ Sandells
200p/kg	618kg	23m	LIMx	RE & RM Beedles
196p/kg	576kg	19m	LIMx	G & M Kincaid
195p/kg	560kg	24m	BAX	Shropshire & Jones
195p/kg	480kg	12m	LIMx	KJ Sandells

### STEERS £/HEAD

£1444.40	628kg	22m	BAX	Millichamp Bros
£1337.00	700kg	22m	BAX	Millichamp Bros
£1278.40	680kg	23m	CHx	GJ & DM Breeze
£1236.00	618kg	23m	LIMx	RE & RM Beedles
£1229.76	672kg	21m	BAX	R & T Cantrill & Son
£1175.72	646kg	23m	BAX	Shropshire & Jones

### HEIFERS £/KG

247p/kg	480kg	18m	LIMx	EP Parkes & Sons
246p/kg	514kg	22m	LIMx	RE & RM Beedles
246p/kg	488kg	21m	LIMx	CJ & HM Evans
241p/kg	520kg	15m	BAX	CO Watkins & Co
241p/kg	478kg	21m	LIMx	EP Parkes & Sons
236p/kg	494kg	17m	LIMx	W Jordin & Son
231p/kg	482kg	19m	LIMx	W Jordin & Sons

### HEIFERS £/HEAD

£1277.48	586kg	26m	BAX	Millichamp Bros
£1264.44	514kg	22m	LIMx	RE & RM Beedles
£1262.60	590kg	23m	LIMx	RE & RM Beedles
£1253.20	520kg	15m	BAX	CO Watkins & Co
£1250.64	648kg	21m	LIMx	GE Tomley & Sons
£1234.80	630kg	22m	LIMx	RE & RM Beedles

### BULLS £/KG

211p/kg	602kg	15m	LIMx	PI Taylor
209p/kg	568kg	21m	LIMx	GE Tomley & Sons
202p/kg	580kg	18m	BRB	AV Brown
189p/kg	592kg	16m	HEX	GE Tomley & Sons
189p/kg	536kg	12m	LIMx	DR Cantrill
188p/kg	516kg	18m	BRB	AV Brown

### BULLS £/HEAD

£1270.22	602kg	15m	LIMx	PI Taylor
£1256.40	698kg	20m	CHx	GE Tomley & Sons
£1187.12	568kg	21m	LIMx	GE Tomley & Sons
£1181.40	660kg	22m	LIMx	R & B Rochelle
£1173.44	772kg	22m	HEX	JH Woolrich
£1171.60	580kg	18m	BRB	AV Brown

### DAIRY BULLS £/KG

160p/kg	578kg	15m	HOx	GJ & DM Breeze
158p/kg	644kg	16m	FRx	A Preece & Son
158p/kg	534kg	13m	HOx	C Evans
158p/kg	618kg	16m	HOx	GJ & DM Breeze
157p/kg	582kg	15m	FRx	EM Corfield & Son

### DAIRY BULLS £/HEAD

£976.46	618kg	17m	HOL	GJ & DM Breeze
£1017.52	644kg	17m	FR	A Preece & Sons
£1092.00	700kg	17m	FR	JH Maydew & Son
£1025.60	666kg	17m	FR	JH Maydew & Son

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**OTMS £/KG**

135p/kg	516kg	33m	BRB	R & B Rochelle
125p/kg	676kg	105m	BAx	CO Watkins & Co
115p/kg	640kg	94m	LIMx	J & J Roberts
113p/kg	682kg	74m	BAx	RH Pugh & Son
108p/kg	712kg	107m	HEx	J & J Westwood
108p/kg	582kg	60m	LIMx	JB & EJ Green
105p/kg	672kg	88m	BBx	JB & EJ Green
105p/kg	806kg	148m	FR	JJ Rogers

**OTMS £/HEAD**

£846.30	806kg	148m	FR	JJ Rogers
£845.00	676kg	105m	BAx	CO Watkins & Co
£790.02	798kg	71m	BRB	RH Pugh & Son
£789.82	782kg	68m	FR	SB Lloyd & Son
£770.66	682kg	74m	BAx	RH Pugh & Son
£768.96	712kg	107m	HEx	J & J Westwood

**1150 HOGGS****Auctioneer: Martin Clack 079777 067519**

An easier trade this week in line with the national trend. Our trade last week would compare with any live-weight or deadweight centre. This week's average of 190p/kg would not be a true reflection of the overall sale, with a large number of light weights or hill breeds reflecting on our overall average. Heavy weights very similar to last week selling to £122.10 from Richard Morgan whose entry averaged 50.5kg, 201.5p/kg and £101.90.

Top price per kilo this week of 210p/kg for 43kg Texels from Pete Morris and heavies to 209p/kg for 49kg from Richard Morgan. Lighter weights to 190p/kg for 32kg Texel x, with hill lambs generally 175p/kg to 185p/kg.

Top Prices £/kg			Top Price £/head		
210p/kg	43kg	IGC Morris	£122.10	62kg	LR Morgan
209p/kg	49kg	LR Morgan	£106.90	54kg	LR Morgan
206p/kg	42.5kg	N Kinsey	£102.40	49kg	LR Morgan
203p/kg	37.5kg	MD Evans	£102.10	61.5kg	P Levi
203p/kg	40.kkg	F Millichamp	£100.65	55kg	N Kinsey

**460 EWES**

A larger entry of ewes and trade very similar to last week. Charollais ewes to £99, Texel x £92 and Suffolks £87.

Large, lean ewes once again the order of the day, with over-fat ewes harder work.

A good show of North Country Mules which realised £70 to £78.

A very mixed bag of hill ewes to £55 Cheviots, very lean Scotch £44 and Welsh £40.

Rams to £92 Texel, £84 Charollais and £78 Welsh Mountain, with overall quality very poor. 2 goats realised £50.

**FODDER AUCTION****EVERY TUESDAY AT 11:30AM**

*A very busy sale with the minus temperatures creating some demand.*

3 Loads of clean Fodder Beet sold to av. £25.50/T

Quadrant Bales of Rye Grass Hay sold to £18/T delivered

Mini Hestons of second quality Hay sold to £11/bale delivered

Round Bales Haylage sold to £16/bale delivered

*We had buyers looking for barley and wheat straw and more beet could be sold to advantage. Contact Mark Burgoyne 07831 192603 with your entries or if you wish to purchase*

Next week's promised Entries include;

Round Bales Winter Barley Straw  
& various Loads of Beet

**NEXT STORE SALE****FRIDAY 19TH FEBRUARY 2016**

*Catalogues available online*

**WANTED****TB RESTRICTED CALVES & WEANLINGS**

*We have customers waiting*

**GENUINE FARM DISPERSAL SALE**

*on behalf of Mr Paul Cashmore who is relinquishing his tenancy*

To include: MF6265 4WD Tractor, Manitou 627 Telescopic Loader, Suzuki Quad Bike 400cc, Mitsubishi L200 Pick Up, Implements, Trailers Hand Tools, Spares, Livestock Feeding Equipment, Timber & Entered Lots off local farms inc. Portequip Mobile Sheep Race (as new)

**ON SATURDAY 5TH MARCH 2016 AT 1:00PM**

At Wilderhope Farm, Longville, Much Wenlock, TF13 6EG

*Catalogue & Photo Gallery available online*

**FOR SALE****63 HA NON-SDA BASIC PAYMENT SCHEME ENTITLEMENTS**

For more information contact Anne-Marie Brettell