BRIDGNORTH LIVESTOCK MARKET WEEKLY REPORT – 16.04.19



149 PRIME CATTLE

Auctioneer - Mark Burgoyne 07831 192603

A good yard of meated cattle met a steady trade throughout, with the forthcoming bank holiday causing a little disruption to trade. Despite the increase in clean numbers, there were none too many smart butchers' heifers around the half ton mark. Consequently, best heifers held a firm trade throughout. More steers than recent sales and a better show to boot.

Shapey Continentals sold to 234p/kg, with heavies to £1298. A real buzz on butchers' heifers selling to 252p/kg, with many just heavy enough to achieve top price per kilo. Heavy heifers coming to similar money to their male counterparts.

Fewer bulls forward with well-finished sorts easiest sold; anything too lean saw a severe price discount. Well-fleshed black and whites saw a dearer trade. Best Continentals sold to 221p/kg, with Friesians to 171p/kg.

3 COWS

3 cows sold to a useful trade. All Farm Assured entries this morning saw 748kg British Blues excelling for Frank Millichamp at 134p/kg.

108 CLEAN CATTLE

28 Steers sold to ov.av. 185p/kg – Superb Limmies from Andrew Craig took top spot at 235p/kg (£1372) with Johnnie Johnston's super run selling to 211p/kg for 604kg. Mrs Burgoyne and Gordon Jones both achieved 205p/kg for their Limmies. Blondes to £1298.80 from Frank Millichamp.

80 Heifers sold to ov.av. 196p/kg — Two storming Limousins from Richard Parkes sold to 252p/kg and 251p/kg around half a ton, closely followed by Dave Chilton selling similar weights to 249p/kg and 245p/kg. 486kg Blondes to 243p/kg from Roger Jordin.

41 BULLS SOLD TO OV. AV. 172P/KG

Shapey Blondes from Brian & Dan Watkins sailed to 221p/kg for 562kg, with 546kg Limousins to 207p/kg from Bill Rodenhurst and family. 544kg Friesians sold to 171p/kg from Colin Evans. Plain sorts more difficult to place.

STEERS £/KG					
	604ka	1Em	LIMA	II Johnston Farms Ltd	
211p/kg	604kg	15m	LIMX	JJ Johnston Farms Ltd	
205p/kg	596kg	24m 24m	LIMX	C Burgoyne TE Jones & Son	
205p/kg	610kg		LIMX	TE Jones & Son	
204p/kg	596kg	24m	LIMx		
203p/kg	592kg	18m	LIMx	JJ Johnston Farms Ltd	
201p/kg	592kg	19m	LIMx	JJ Johnston Farms Ltd	
201p/kg	636kg	25m	LIMx	JJ Johnston Farms Ltd	
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£1298.80	680kg	24m	BAx	Millichamp bros	
£1285.20	714kg	24m	CHx	RA Evans & Son	
£1278.36	636kg	25m	LIMx	JJ Johnston Farms Ltd	
£1274.44	604kg	15m	LIMx	JJ Johnston Farms Ltd	
£1265.64	636kg	29m	LIMx	TE Jones & Son	
HEIFERS £/KG	_				
252p/kg	486kg	18m	LIMx	EP Parkes & Sons	
251p/kg	500kg	23m	LIMx	EP Parkes & Sons	
249p/kg	506kg	22m	LIMx	JDW Chilton	
247p/kg	504kg	15m	LIMx	EP Parkes & Sons	
245p/kg	512kg	14m	BRB	JDW Chilton	
243p/kg	526kg	24m	LIMx	EP Parkes & Sons	
243p/kg	486kg	22m	BAx	W Jordin & Son	
HEIFERS £/HE	AD				
£1372.40	584kg	18m	LIMx	TR Craig & Sons	
£1278.18	526kg	24m	LIMx	EP Parkes & Sons	
£1275.06	538kg	17m	BAx	EP Parkes & Sons	
£1269.00	540kg	23m	BRB	JDW Chilton	
£1267.50	650kg	24m	CHx	John Hamlett	
BULLS £/KG					
221p/kg	562kg	13m	BAx	CO Watkins & Co	
207p/kg	546kg	12m	LIMx	W Rodenhurst & Son	
205p/kg	510kg	12m	LIMx	W Rodenhurst & Son	
204p/kg	634kg	12m	LIMx	RT Bebb Ltd	
202p/kg	576kg	13m	LIMx	F Povall & Son	
BULLS £/HEAD					
£1293.36	634kg	12m	LIMx	RT Bebb Ltd	
£1278.72	666kg	13m	LIMx	RT Bebb Ltd	
£1242.02	562kg	13m	BAx	CO Watkins & Co	
£1163.52	576kg	13m	LIMx	F Povall & Son	
£1146.32	644kg	18m	BRB	JD Williams & Son	
OTMS £/KG					
134p/kg	748kg	90m	BRB	Millichamp Bros	
94p/kg	610kg	156m	GAL	AE Halford & Son	
84p/kg	652kg	166m	CHx	AE Halford & Son	
OTMS £/HEAD					
£1002.32	 748kg	90m	BRB	Millichamp Bros	
£573.40	610kg	156m	GAL	AE Halford & Son	
£547.68	652kg	166m	CHx	AE Halford & Son	
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2008 HOGGS

Auctioneer - Martin Clack 07977 067519

Another large entry of hoggs with trade a little easier than the highs of last week but still very respectable averaging 211p/kg. Heavy hoggs harder to sell with plenty of 43kg to 45kg sheep realising around £10 a head more than 50kg hoggs/

Export and lighter weights selling well to 273p/kg for 37kg Beltex, lighter hill breeds 34kg Cheviots at 226p/kg and very ordinary 29kg at 218p/kg.

Generally 44kg around 200p/kg, with 46kg from Pete Levi at 230p/kg and heavy weights hard work to £95.20 from Roger Swift.

Top Price/kg

273p/kg	37kg	ET Morris
238p/kg	41.5kg	MD & EA Evans
237p/kg	42.5kg	MD & EA Evans
235p/kg	44kg	LH Dalton & Son
230p/kg	46.5kg	P Levi
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229p/kg	46.5kg	N Kinsey
221p/kg	46kg	MD & EA Evans
217p/kg	46kg	K & N Fieldhouse

Top Price/head

£107.00	46.5kg	P Levi
£106.50	46.5kg	N Kinsey
£103.40	44kg	LH Dalton & Son
£102.00	44.5kg	IGC Morris
£100.75	42.5kg	MD & EA Evans

243 SPRING LAMBS

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Light weight springers a similar trade to last week, with 35kg to 282p/kg from Dan Watkins. Far too many lambs over 40kg which sold to 270p/kg for 47kg from Bill Rodenhurst, but generally 235p/kg to 245p/kg.

Top Price/kg

282p/kg	35kg	CO Watkins & Co
270p/kg	42kg	W Rodenhurst & Son
267p/kg	37kg	CO Watkins & Co
265p/kg	35.5kg	CO Watkins & Co
260p/kg	42kg	RT Bebb Ltd
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Top Price/head

£113.00	42kg	W Rodenhurst & So
£109.00	42kg	RT Bebb Ltd
£107.00	42kg	M Rushbrook
£104.50	43kg	DT & LR Davies
£104.20	41.5kg	DT & LR Davies

600 EWES

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A very respectable sale average of £70.30 including a large percentage of smaller ewes.

Lee Preece's Texels to £110, George Barker's Texels to £109 and Suffolks from Damian Davies to £99.

Large, leaner ewes sold to a premium with Suffolks £85 and Mules £70.

Hill sheep, if not too fat, just as dear selling to £63 Improved Welsh, £80 Cheviots and small lean Swales £42.

Rams to £90 Texel and £87 Suffolk.

ANNUAL MAYFAIR PRIZE SHOW & SALE

FRIDAY 3RD MAY 2019

Sponsored by Yorkshire Bank
Cattle, Feeding Bulls
Cows & Calves and Weanlings
Plus Ewes & Lambs

At Bridgnorth Livestock & Auction Centre

Entries for catalogues close Wednesday 24th April at 5:00pm

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To include: Small Tools, Workshop, Gardening & Horticultural Equipment, Large Farm Machinery, Livestock Tractors, Vehicles & Quads

SATURDAY 11TH MAY AT 10:30AM

At Bridgnorth Livestock & Auction Centre

Entries Invited

SPRING PRIZE SHOW & SALE OF STORE CATTLE

THURSDAY 25TH APRIL 2019

At Newcastle Emlyn Market

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