

BRIDGNORTH LIVESTOCK MARKET

WEEKLY REPORT – 17.09.19



135 PRIME CATTLE

Auctioneer – Mark Burgoyne 07831 192603

A firm trade with less quality presented for sale both in the clean and the bull department. Heifers averaged exactly the same as last week with fewer best butchers types forward. Steer numbers extremely low and some well meated continental or native steers could have been sold to advantage.

As previously stated a small sprinkling of steers sold above deadweight quotes to 214p/kg or £1400 in the lump.

Butchers heifers in shorter supply sold well to 244p/kg with two to 239p/kg. Heavier females sailed away to £1489 in the lump.

Good bull numbers penned today with a stronger Holstein influence. Limousin crosses sold to 200p/kg. Heavier Continentals to £1324.80. A reasonable black and white trade with best types around the mid 160p/kg.

4 cows forward averaging a fair trade with Farm assured lean Limousin selling to 130p/kg for 654kg (£856.20). Non-assured Ruby cows sold to 85p/kg.

69 CLEAN CATTLE

ONLY 4 STEERS SOLD TO OV.AV. 172P/KG

Well finished Limousin steers sold to 214p/kg to 211p/kg. The heaviest 654kg (£1399.56) from Roger Jordin.

65 HEIFERS SOLD TO OV. AV. 205P/KG

Shapely handyweight Limousins from Dave Chilton stole the honours at 244p/kg for 468kg. Mrs 'B' and Marcus Whitehouse sold their best to 239p/kg for 528kg and 510kg respectively, closely followed by Richard Parkes selling to 238p/kg.

The Welsh contingent really did show us the way, however, with Llyr Jones selling 692kg Limmies to £1487.80. Gweld chi dydd lau! (see you on Thursday)

MICHAELMAS STORE SALE

THIS FRIDAY AT 11:00AM

At Bridgnorth Livestock & Auction Centre

Catalogue available online

LITTLEHALES 4th ANNUAL SALE

SATURDAY 21ST SEPTEMBER AT 11:00AM

At Di Enw, Shelve, Minsterley, SY5 0JF
1250 Store Lambs and Breeding Ewes

Catalogue available online

66 BULLS SOLD TO OV. AV. 161P/KG

More suckler bulls with shape required today. The best available reached 200p/kg on two occasions for Andrew Bryan and Richard Skellen. Heavier continentals sold to £1324.80 from James Woolrich.

Black and White bulls were more plentiful and sold to 165p/kg on three occasions from James Woolrich, Colin Evans and Paul Taylor.

STEERS £/HEAD

£1399.56	654kg	19m	LIMx	W Jordin & Son
£1341.96	636kg	15m	LIMx	W Jordin & Son

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214p/kg	654kg	19m	LIMx	W Jordin & Son
211p/kg	636kg	15m	LIMx	W Jordin & Son

HEIFERS £/KG

244p/kg	468kg	20m	LIMx	JDW Chilton
239p/kg	528kg	29m	CHx	C Burgoyne
239p/kg	510kg	16m	LIMx	DS & MA Whitehouse
238p/kg	498kg	17m	LIMx	EP Parkes & Son
235p/kg	510kg	17m	LIMx	EP Parkes & Son
230p/kg	504kg	16m	LIMx	GWA & CA Powell
230p/kg	482kg	15m	LIMx	WA Davies & Co
230p/kg	522kg	14m	LIMx	JDW Chilton

HEIFERS £/HEAD

£1487.80	692kg	27m	LIMx	Llyr Jones
£1327.04	638kg	28m	LIMx	EC & JA Rogers
£1308.96	606kg	28m	LIMx	EC & JA Rogers

BULLS £/KG

200p/kg	514kg	15m	SMx	GB & M Bryan & Son
200p/kg	580kg	17m	LIMx	R J Skellern
196p/kg	628kg	17m	LIMx	R H Pugh & Son
196p/kg	656kg	18m	LIMx	A Preece & Son
194p/kg	608kg	17m	LIMx	RH Pugh & Son
193p/kg	516kg	16m	SMx	GB & M Bryan & Son

BULLS £/HEAD

£1324.80	720kg	17m	LIMx	JH Woolrich
£1322.40	760kg	17m	LIMx	JH Woolrich
£1285.76	656kg	18m	LIMx	A Preece & Son

OTM COWS £/KG

130p/kg	654kg	122m	LIMx	SH Lloyd & Sons
115p/kg	712kg	74m	LIMx	SH Lloyd & Sons
85p/kg	752kg	64m	DEVx	JM Colley
79p/kg	658kg	42m	DEVx	JM Colley

OTM COWS £/HEAD

£850.20	654kg	122m	LIMx	SH Lloyd & Sons
£818.80	712kg	74m	LIMx	SH Lloyd & Sons
£639.20	752kg	64m	DEVx	JM Colley



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1390 LAMBS

Auctioneer - Martin Clack 07977 067519

Last week's National SQQ fell below 170p/kg for the first time in eleven months, which is remarkable considering the weaker pound, probably a result of the much larger entries and no increasing numbers slaughtered.

Trade this week up by around 5p/kg to average of 172p/kg. The better lambs selling extremely well to 210p/kg, 43kg Texels from Sarah and Stuart Moss. Best shaped lambs 195p/kg to 205p/kg, with considerable interest in better shapely sheep.

Heavy lambs to £100.20 from Sarah Levi, generally £88 to £92. Light weights in short supply. 35kg Suffolk x lambs at 177p/kg and Texel types 176p/kg.

Top Price/kg

£100.20	60kg	S Levi
£94.00	58kg	AG Kirton & Son
£93.00	60kg	S Levi
£92.80	58kg	D Rowley
£92.60	47kg	S Moss

Top Price/head

210p/kg	43kg	S Moss
208p/kg	41kg	MD and EA Evans
206p/kg	42.5kg	IGC Morris
200p/kg	44p/kg	S Moss
200p/kg	40.5kg	S Moss
197p/kg	47kg	S Moss
193p/kg	47.5kg	D Littlehales
190p/kg	48.2kg	LR Morgan
187p/kg	47kg	LR Morgan
185p/kg	50kg	S Moss

760 EWES

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Richard Morgan's Texels to £108, Stuart Moss to £106 and commercial Texel x ewes to £90.00.

The dearest ewes being ¾ meated ewes with customers very keen to avoid the overfat sloppy meated ordinary scruffy bred ewes. Continental leaner ewes £85, Suffolks £80 and North Country Mules £72.00.

Very plain ewes to £65, Blue Du Maine and Hill ewes £61, Lleyn £44, Scotch £60, improved Welsh extremely small, welsh ewes £13.50 to £27.50. Suffolk rams to £89 and £79 smaller Texels.

RURAL BUSINESS & FARMING FINANCE

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With the current uncertainty around Brexit, it can pay to take a good look at your finances to ensure that your funding will meet your business needs over the long-term giving confidence to plan ahead.

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- Loans that can be passed on to the next generation

* Interest rates may go down leaving a fixed rate loan at a higher level compared to a variable rate loan. If interest rates rise, a fixed rate loan will remain at the same rate.

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RAM SALE 12.09.19

144 BREEDING RAMS

More Rams forward for the second evening sale a Bridgnorth Market attracting a large crowd of prospective purchasers both local and further afield.

Trade on the better Rams could be described as brisk with keen interest in quality, lessor more ordinary sheep proving tricky as customers were willing to pay that little extra to purchase quality rather than buying to a price.

A top price of £787.50 achieved for an exceptional Texel x Beltex yearlings from Peter Kilmington. Charollais yearlings from Dave Roberts to £546, Charollais x Beltex yearlings from Brian Rodenhurst to £588, Texel yearlings from Peter Kirton to £535 and Suffolk yearlings from Brian Rodenhurst to £472.50.

Ram lambs to £315 Charollais, Blue Face Leicester yearlings £315 and Clun yearlings £147.

The sale kindly sponsored by Oakwood Farm Services and HL Hutchinson with Prizes awarded to: Tony Davies, Brian Whiteman and Andrew Meredith.

A special thank you to Lucy Taylor for the hard work preparing cakes and kept very busy serving the beer!

RARE BREEDS SALE 14.09.19

Auctioneer: Gethin Evans 01746 762666

A tremendous day was had by all at the rare and pure breed sale held on Saturday. An exceptional wide variety of stock was seen from Vorwerk hens to Dexter cattle. A small collection of eggs were entered at the start of the sale seeing both half a dozen of Pekin and Silkie eggs selling to £2.50.

The sale commenced with the poultry seeing a tremendous trade throughout. Bluebell pullets and Speckled Sussex sold to a strong £11 each with Vorwerk and White Leghorns both realising £12 per bird. A variety of bantams were also seen with Black and White French Houdans and Silver Appleyard Ducks selling to £10 per bird. We saw geese sell to £15 each with ducks to £6. Beautiful Golden Pheasants were also forward selling to £10 each with Guinea Fowl to £9.

A wide variety of livestock was also seen seeing a Dexter bull and heifer selling to £250 and £200 respectively. Shropshire and Wiltshire horn ewes sold to a strong £100 per head with ewe lambs selling to £58. Along with sheep and cattle we saw Saddle back pigs selling to £22 per head.

Thank you to all who came to support and help make the sale a successful one.

Next Store Sale

Friday 4th October

Entries to date include 100 Continental, Hereford,
and Shorthorn Steers 16-24m

Entries invited for catalogue