BRIDGNORTH LIVESTOCK MARKET

WEEKLY REPORT – 19.04.16



128 PRIME CATTLE

Auctioneer - Mark Burgoyne 07831 192603

Even the most positive of producers left deflated today. Less cattle forward met very lethargic demand, with clean and bulls selling to average 164p/kg. It is true we had our share of awkward cattle, but this cannot in anyway be an excuse for the prices farmers are seeing at the moment.

Steers sold to 204p/kg or £1269 in the lump. Heavy cattle over 700kg heavily penalised.

Butchers heifers, which usually are the shining light, were also depreciating with 500kg to 234p/kg; top price of the day.

Bull trade, whilst definitely not on fire, was similar to last week with best sorts to 204p/kg on two occasions or £1219 in the lump. Black and whites sold to 146p/kg.

14 COWS FORWARD saw an upturn in trade with four buyers attending

Limousin cross cows sold to 120p/kg for 672kg, with Friesians with meat to 108p/kg. 5 year old Hereford steers to 125p/kg for lean. Non-assured Friesians to 104p/kg.

MORE COWS & STOCK BULLS COULD HAVE EASILY SOLD

80 CLEAN CATTLE

35 steers sold to av. 160p/kg — A superb run of shapely Limousins from Mr Jones sold to a high of 204p/kg for 622kg, with handy 454kg Limmies to 200p/kg from Craig Evans. Heavy steers saw a bottomless trade and were very cheap dead.

45 heifers sold to av. 175p/kg – Tremendous, fleshed heifers from Richards Parkes topped at 234p/kg for 500kg, with 452kg to 229p/kg from Matt Bower. Dave Chilton and Tony Barker both sold their runs to 225p/kg, with 520kg to 226p/kg again from EW Jones.

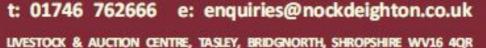
48 BULLS SOLD TO AV. 158P/KG

The first bulls lotted this morning from Ed Green sold to 204p/kg for 598kg, with Ron Evans selling to the same for 570kg, both Limmies. Handy-weight 516kg Limousins from Coppice House sold to 201p/kg, with Rob Hartley's good run selling to 196p/kg for Simmental crosses. Roger Rowson's Friesians sold to 146p/kg. Brown Swiss to 163p/kg from Colin Evans.

STEERS £/KG				
204p/kg	622kg	22m	LIMx	EW Jones & Son
200p/kg	454kg	18m	LIMx	CJ & HM Evans
187p/kg	592kg	20m	LIMx	EW Jones & Son
185p/kg	600kg	21m	LIMx	EW Jones & Son
STEERS £/HEA	Ū	21111	LIIVIX	EW Jones & Son
£1268.88	622kg	22m	LIMx	EW Jones & Son
£1202.88	672kg	22m	LIMX	EW Jones & Son
£1188.00	660kg	21m	LIMX	EW Jones & Son
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HEIFERS £/KG		14m	LIMA	EP Parkes & Sons
234p/kg	500kg 452kg	14111 12m	LIMx LIMx	MJ Bower
229p/kg	_			EW Jones & Sons
226p/kg	520kg	23m	LIMX	P Barker & Son
225p/kg	482kg	13m	LIMX	JDW Chilton
225p/kg	476kg	14m	LIMX	
220p/kg	502kg	13m	LIMX	MJ Bower
219p/kg	514kg	16m	LIMX	EP Parkes & Sons
215p/kg	512kg	22m	LIMx	EP Parkes & Sons
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£1228.02	582kg	17m	LIMx	AT Barker
£1175.20	520kg	23m	LIMx	EW Jones & Son
£1170.00	500kg	14m	LIMx	EP Parkes & Son
£1147.04	536kg	18m	LIMx	EP Parkes & Son
£1125.66	514kg	16m	LIMx	EP Parkes & Son
BULLS £/KG				
204p/kg	598kg	13m	LIMx	JB & EJ Green
204p/kg	570kg	13m	LIMx	RH & J Evans
201p/kg	516kg	16m	LIMx	JDW Chilton
196p/kg	572kg	14m	SMx	JL Hartley & Son
194p/kg	526kg	17m	LIMx	AE Halford & Son
191p/kg	520kg	12m	BAx	Yeoman Bros Ltd
BULLS £/HEAD	<u>)</u>			
£1219.92	598kg	13m	LIMx	JB & EJ Green
£1162.80	570kg	13m	LIMx	RH & J Evans
£1150.56	612kg	14m	LIMx	RH & J Evans
£1137.12	618kg	12m	BRB	JB & EJ Green
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DAIRY BULLS	<u>E/KG</u>			
163p/kg	600kg	13m	BS	C Evans
149p/kg	586kg	14m	MONT	W Rodenhurst & Son
149p/kg	570kg	13m	MONT	W Rodenhurst & Son
146p/kg	564kg	13m	FR	CPB Rowson
OTMS £/KG				
125p/kg	618kg	55m	HEx Steer	JWL Pritchard
20p/kg	672kg	128m	LIMx	F Povall & Son
108p/kg	664kg	103m	FR	JH Maydew & Son
107p/kg	652kg	60m	FR	JH Maydew & Son
105p/kg	754kg	110m	HEx	JWL Pritchard
OTMS £/HEAD)			
£806.40	- 672kg	128m	LIMx	F Povall & Son
£791.70	754kg	110m	HEx	JWL Pritchard
£772.50	618kg	55m	HEx Steer	JWL Pritchard
£736.92	828kg	153m	SDx	JW & CA Turner

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1400 HOGGS

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Trade well in line with the national trend averaging 184p/kg overall, selling to £115 per head and 205p/kg.

Hoggs 38kg to 44kg most sought after with butchers still looking for well-finished, shapey sheep.

Heavier hoggs a better trade than anticipated to 186p/kg for 46kg and 53kg to 168p/kg, with the most remarkable trade for 82.5kg hoggs at £115.50.

Several pens of lighter hill breeds 31.5kg to 186p/kg and Welsh, Herdwick and Swales 170p/kg to 178p/kg.

Top Prices £/kg

205p/kg	44kg	R Swift
204p/kg	43kg	JG Bason & Son
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200p/kg	42.5kg	R Swift
199p/kg	41kg	JG Bason & Son

SPRING LAMBS

More spring lambs required with a remarkable trade averaging 230p/kg to 271p/kg from Peter Kirton with plenty of handy-weight lambs 35kg to 40kg 250p/kg plus.

Top Prices £/kg Top Prices £/head

271p/kg	39kg	AG Kirton & Son	£105.70	39kg	AG Kirton & Son
264p/kg	40kg	RC Evans	£104.80	40kg	RC Evans
257p/kg	35kg	TE Jones & Son	£100.90	43.5kg	RC Evans
250p/kg	36.5kg	CO Watkins	£97.85	47.5kg	WH Davies & Son
250p/kg	37kg	CO Watkins	£96.30	41.5kg	AW Preece

700 EWES

Despite a large entry of ewes, trade held firm throughout with ewes to £111 Texels and rams £125 Suffolks.

Continental x large ewes generally £90 to £100, Suffolk x Mules £80 to £90 and Mules £87.

Plainer ewes, as recent weeks, the dearest per pound with fairly plain Suffolks £70 to £80. Pen after pen of hill ewes sold to £48 Swales, £70 Beulah, £50 Welsh and £80 Lleyns.

Rams to £125 twice for Suffolks and Texels. 28 rams forward averaging £90 including some interesting "rare" breeds.

Ewes			Rams		
£111	Texel	A Meredith	£125	Texel	Chillington Farms
£110	Texel	AG Kirton	£125	Texel	DA Halford
£100	Texel	M Hamer	£114	Suffolk	Chillington Farms
£99	Texel	G Davies	£110	Texel	TA Jones
£99	Texel	AJ Meredith	£90	Zwartble	s A England

NEXT STORE SALES

FRIDAY 29TH APRIL 2016

Entries for catalogue invited

ANNUAL MAYFAIR PRIZE SHOW & SALE

FRIDAY 6TH MAY

Cash Prizes for:
Best Bunch of 4 or more Steers
Best Bunch of 4 or more Heifers
Bost Bunch of Bulle or Single Bull

Best Bunch of Bulls or Single Bull Best Bunch of 4 or more Bulling Heifers Best Cow & Calf

Best Pen of 10 or more Ewes & Lambs

Main Sponsor: Yorkshire Bank

Entries for catalogue close Wednesday 27th April at 5:00pm

STORE SALE REPORT - 15.04.16

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Reduction Sale on behalf of Mr & Mrs Ossig, Keepers Holding

Considering the state of the dairy sector, there were plenty of buyers for all the young stock and in-calf heifers from the Ossigs. Friesian heifers springing to the dairy Shorthorn bull sold to £870, with young 15m Montbeliarde bulling heifers to £560. Brown Swiss weanlings to £305.

Dairy Heifers £/Head			In-Calf Heifer £/Head			
£560.00	15m	MONT	£870.00	24m	FRx	
£550.00	16m	MONT	£820.00	24m	FRx	
£550.00	19m	MONT	£800.00	29m	MONT	
£545.00	20m	BRS	£785.00	23m	FRx	
£480.00	20m	BRS	£600.00	21m	MONT	
£470.00	20m	MONT	£560.00	20m	BRS	
£455.00	12m	MONT	£535.00	21m	MONT	
£430.00	16m	MONT	£530.00	21m	MONT	
£430.00	21m	BRS	£520.00	20m	BRS	
£425.00	17m	BRS	£520.00	22m	BRS	

152 STORE CATTLE

With quality cattle almost non-existent, a good trade resulted with only fat, heavy heifers seeing prices in line with the depreciating prime trade.

Dairy bred British Blue steers sold to £755 from Charles Everett. 285kg Charolais cross steers to £600 from Mrs Blackman. Dairy British Blue heifers to £755 from Mr England. Limousin x bulls to £660 for 360kg from Trevor Breakwell. Charolais x cows with 1 month bull calf sold to £1100 from Brindley Farms. Limousin stock bulls 3yo to £1490 from Stuart Bebb.

Next Sale: Friday 29th April – entries invited Price as follows:

Steers £/head

£755.00	440kg	14m	BRB	FH Everett & Son
£750.00	500kg	19m	CHx	FH Everett & Son
£720.00	475kg	19m	AAx	FH Everett & Son
£680.00	385kg	14m	HEX	DA & DJ Williams
£640.00	415kg	13m	AAx	FH Everett & Son
£620.00	420kg	22m		M Clarke & Daughter
£600.00	285kg	7m	CHX	S Blackman
Heifers £/he	ad			
£755.00	435kg	23m	BRB	P Taylor
£685.00	595kg	31m	SH	N Madeley
£645.00	410kg	15m	HEx	DA & SJ Williams
£630.00	510kg	30m	BRB	P Taylor
£620.00	573kg	23m	LR	M Clarke & Daughter
£620.00	365kg	18m	BRB	N Madeley
£600.00	475kg	22m	FRx	P Taylor
£600.00	510kg	35m	SDx	P Taylor
Bulls £/head				
£610.00	405kg	11m	CHx	D & G Owen
£570.00	291kg	11m	CHx	D & G Owen
£560.00	305kg	10m	SMx	ME Gatehouse
£490.00	230kg	6m	BRB	P Harris
£460.00	380kg	10m	AAx	TP Breakwell

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