

# BRIDGNORTH LIVESTOCK MARKET

## WEEKLY REPORT – 21.04.20



### 158 PRIME CATTLE

**Auctioneer – Mark Burgoyne 07831 192603**

A busier cattle section, with the trade finding difficulty to place second quality cattle. Overall averages affected in a downward fashion by several shapeless clean cattle over thirty months. There is a distinct downward pressure on these with restaurant and eating establishments remaining shut.

Best quality steers thin on the ground today saw Blondes selling to 198p/kg with heavies to £1,321 in the lump.

Butchers heifers perhaps not quite as sharp as recent Tuesday selling to 261p/kg with 4 others 250p/kg or above, Butchers Heifers to £1,394.

Some useful suckler bulls forward saw trade to 220p/kg for British Blues with a sharp Black and White trade to 175p/kg.

### 13 CULL COWS

Better cow numbers forward with men looking for cows. Cheaper beef seems the name of the game for most player at the moment. A decent level of demand. Blue cross cows sold to 116p/kg for 656kg with two Angus cross cows to 115p/kg. At least this number of cows will be needed next week please!

### 109 CLEAN CATTLE

#### 18 STEERS SOLD TO OV.AV. 164P/KG

610kg Blondes from Frank Millichamp topped this section at 198p/kg with Limousins from John Rogers to 196p/kg + 194p/kg. Handyweights to 191p/kg at 424kg from Mrs 'B'. Plainer steers helped to depress out average, especially over thirty months and non FABBL.

#### 91 HEIFERS SOLD TO OV. AV. 183P/KG

Richard Fenton took the limelight for the third week in a row at 261p/kg for 534kg, for the best of his Limmies. Richard Parkes useful run sold to 255p/kg, 257p/kg and 259p/kg all around or just over 560kg. 526kg sold to 250p/kg from John Hewitt's, with 468kg Limmies to 249p/kg from Mrs B. Retail cattle in good demand.

#### 49 BULLS SOLD TO OV.AV 179P/KG

Bull trade was good although Ed and Julie Green's homebred blue sold nicely to 220p/kg for 584kg, with Blondes to 213p/kg for 598kg from Dan and Brian Watkins, with their second to 212p/kg. 2 x 590kg Blues from Rob Hartley sold to 208p/kg.

Holsteins sailed to 175p/kg from John Newell, with Brown Swiss to 165p/kg from Colin Evans.

### STEERS £/KG

198p/kg	610kg	23m	BAX	Millichamp Bros
196p/kg	674kg	27m	LIMx	JJ Rogers
194p/kg	608kg	24m	LIMx	JJ Rogers
191p/kg	424kg	12m	LIMx	C Burgoyne
190p/kg	662kg	24m	LIMx	J & P Griffin

### STEERS £/HEAD

£1321.04	674kg	27m	LIMx	JJ Rogers
£1257.80	662kg	24m	LIMx	J & P Griffin
£1207.80	610kg	23m	BAX	Millichamp Bros

### HEIFERS £/KG

261p/kg	534kg	17m	LIMx	TA Fenton & Partners
259p/kg	526kg	19m	LIMx	EP Parkes & Sons
257p/kg	498kg	18m	LIMx	EP Parkes & Sons
255p/kg	536kg	17m	LIMx	EP Parkes & Sons
250p/kg	526kg	19m	LIMx	JL Hewitt
249p/kg	468kg	12m	LIMx	C Burgoyne
248p/kg	526kg	25m	LIMx	EP Parkes & Sons
244p/kg	418kg	10m	LIMx	W Rodenhurst & Son

### HEIFERS £/HEAD

£1393.74	534kg	17m	LIMx	TA Fenton & Partners
£1366.80	536kg	17m	LIMx	EP Parkes & Sons
£1362.34	526kg	19m	LIMx	EP Parkes & Sons
£1315.00	526kg	19m	LIMx	JL Hewitt
£1310.80	580kg	23m	LIMx	EP Parkes & Sons
£1304.48	526kg	25m	LIMx	EP Parkes & Sons
£1304.24	548kg	19m	LIMx	TA Fenton & Partners

### BULLS £/KG

220p/kg	584kg	15m	BRB	JB & EJ Green
213p/kg	598kg	13m	BAX	CO Watkins & Co
212p/kg	596kg	14m	BAX	CO Watkins & Co
209p/kg	578kg	15m	BRB	JB & EJ Green
208p/kg	590kg	12m	BRB	JL Hartley & Son

### BULLS £/HEAD

£1476.30	798kg	22m	LIMx	JL Hewitt
£1328.40	738kg	13m	LIMx	RT Bebb Ltd
£1309.00	770kg	21m	LIMx	JL Hewitt
£1288.98	682kg	13m	LIMx	RT Bebb Ltd

### OTM £/KG

116p/kg	656kg	74m	BRB	RH Pugh & Son
115p/kg	660kg	156m	AAx	P Taylor
115p/kg	674kg	40m	AAx	P Taylor
112p/kg	882kg	114m	BRB	BV & DT Whiteman
112p/kg	704kg	53m	BRB	BV & DT Whiteman

### OTM £/HEAD

£987.84	882kg	114m	BRB	BV & DT Whiteman
£835.28	788kg	158m	BBx	BV & DT Whiteman
£788.48	704kg	53m	BRB	BV & DT whiteman
£775.10	674kg	40m	AAx	P Taylor
£765.70	806kg	89m	HOx	WG Bebbington & Sons
£760.96	656kg	74m	BRB	RH Pugh & Son
£759.00	660kg	156m	AAx	P Taylor



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## 289 SPRING LAMBS

### **Auctioneer – Martin Clack 07977 067519**

A larger entry of spring lambs and plenty of customers for New Season Lamb with a number of the exporters looking to buy lambs.

Trade dearer with the highest average for this crop of lamb selling to 340p/kg for 40.5kg Texel lambs from Peter Kirton and to £137.70.

Several pens well over £125 however the lighter lambs most sought after.

40.5kg	340p/kg	AG Kirton & Son
40kg	330p/kg	H Yates
42.5kg	322p/kg	AW Preece
40kg	322p/kg	H Yates
38.5kg	320p/kg	Luke Price
40kg	320p/kg	H Yates

40.5kg	£137.70	AG Kirton & Son
42.5kg	£137.00	AW Preece
40kg	£132.00	H Yates
46.5kg	£130.20	DT LR Davies
40kg	£128.80	H Yates

## 2700 HOGGS

### **Auctioneer – Martin Clack 07977 067519**

A sea of hoggs penned throughout the market, with a little planning almost all the sheep were penned with very few people on site. Thank you for your continued support and cooperation during these difficult weeks.

Trade held firm despite the large entry with customers keen for lighter weights, but as nationally with reduced catering etc the heavy hoggs prove harder work.

A top price this week of 245p/kg for 43.5kg and 42kg Beltex from S & A Perkins. Quality mixed with too many hoggs presented out of spec or under finished with butchers at times struggling to buy the quality they require.

Heavier weights 53kg to 179p/kg and to a top price per head of £106.60, although only a small number over £95.00.

Light weight hoggs to 243p/kg from Ed Bunning and Hill Lambs 31.5kg 196p/kg for Welsh tup lambs.

43.5kg	245p/kg	S & A Perkins
42.5kg	245p/kg	S & A Perkins
39kg	243p/kg	Ed Bunning
40kg	234p/kg	N Kinsey
36.5kg	233p/kg	IGC Morris

43.5kg	£106.60	S & A Perkins
42.5kg	£104.40	S & A Perkins
45kg	£99.50	N Kinsey
46kg	£99.00	RD Needs & Son
44.5kg	£98.00	N Kinsey



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## 630 EWES

### **Auctioneer – Martin Clack 07977 067519**

Ewes sold to £134 for 11 Texels from Garry Davies and Suffolks £128 from Simon Pennington.

Most of the heavy ewes over £110 however, the overall average would be well down on last week due to the large numbers of smaller or very lean ewes on offer.

North Country mules to £88 and plainer mules to £79, large plainer ewes selling well to £105 Suffolk cross mules. 28 Rams to £123 Texels and Charollais.

£134	Texel	G Davies
£128	SxM	S Pennington
£125	Texel	B Barclay
£121	SxM	S Hough
£119	Texel	A Oliver

## STORE CATTLE SALE – FRIDAY 17<sup>th</sup> APRIL 2020

### 80 STORE CATTLE

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

Disappointing numbers forward but a cracking trade, with buyers looking for grazers and feeders alike. Some good quality young stores from the Jones's from Llandysul saw competitive bidding with their 11-12m British Blue Steers selling to £800 for 302kg (265p/kg) and their Limousin heifers to 273p/kg. 23m Blonde heifers sold to £930 from Mr England. More cattle needed with the all the 2m buyer spaces filled today!

**NEXT SALE ANNUAL MAYFAIR ON FRIDAY 1<sup>ST</sup> MAY 2020. ENTRIES CLOSE FOR CATALOGUE ON FRIDAY 24<sup>TH</sup> APRIL AT 12NOON.**

#### **Top Prices:**

##### STEERSE/KG

290.6p/kg	203kg	10m	CHX	D Jones & Son
264.9p/kg	302kg	12m	BRB	D Jones & Son
264.2p/kg	265kg	11m	CHx	D Jones & Son
260.7p/kg	260kg	11m	BRB	C George
260.0p/kg	275kg	12m	LIMx	D Jones & Son

##### STEERS £/HEAD

£800.00	302kg	12m	BRB	D Jones & Son
£775.00	335kg	11m	CHx	D Jones & Son
£775.00	341kg	10m	LIMx	D Jones & Son
£775.00	315kg	9m	LIMx	D Jones & Son
£715.00	275kg	12m	LIMx	D Jones & Son

##### HEIFERS £/KG

272.5p/kg	222kg	12m	LIMx	D Jones & Son
250.0p/kg	200kg	9m	CHx	D Jones & Son
245.6p/kg	285kg	11m	LIMx	D Jones & Son
239.1p/kg	230kg	10m	CHx	D Jones & Son
216.6p/kg	277kg	11m	LIMx	TP Breakwell
214.3p/kg	280kg	11m	CHx	D Jones & Son

##### HEIFERS £/HEAD

£930.00	468kg	23m	BAX	LAJ England
£795.00	410kg	15m	BRB	LAJ England
£790.00	433kg	20m	BRB	LAJ England
£760.00	480kg	23m	LIMx	TP Breakwell
£730.00	452kg	18m	AAx	LAJ England
£705.00	372kg	20m	CHx	LAJ England
£700.00	285kg	11m	LIMx	D Jones & Son
£690.00	465kg	19m	HEX	A Squires