

BRIDGNORTH LIVESTOCK MARKET

WEEKLY REPORT – 25.04.23



90 PRIME CATTLE

Auctioneer – Mark Burgoyne 07831 192603

A few less cattle forward with bulls in short supply once again. Trade continues to hold up well with commercial wholesale types dearer than last week. Once again we saw beasts selling above £2000 in the steers, heifers and bull departments.

Only a sprinkling of steers today sold to 290p/kg for a 33 month Continental, with heavier sorts to £2030 in the lump.

Butchers heifers topped at 340p/kg for handy weights with 19 heifers 300p/kg or above. Heavy females topped at £2050 in the lump.

Another good day in the bull section with Continentals topping at 280p/kg with heavy bulls to £2026. Holstein bulls continue to look the dearest sold, stopping at a high of 236p/kg.

2 cull cows and 1 stock bull met tremendous demand with a 6 year old Blue cross selling to 205p/kg for 680kg with non-assured Charolais crosses stacking up well at £1407.90 for 722kg. British White stock bulls sold to 169p/kg for 852kg.

67 CLEAN CATTLE

7 STEERS SOLD TO OV. AV. 266P/KG

Overage 33 month Limousin steers from David Preece took top spot at 290p/kg for 650kg. Handy weight Simmental steers took second spot from Brian Watkins selling to 282p/kg. 766kg Limmies from Rob Watkins broke the barrier at £2029.80 with his second to £1949.28.

60 HEIFERS SOLD TO OV. AV. 286P/KG

A very good show of well fleshed heifers once again sold to 340p/kg for 516kg from the Parkes family who sold two others to 336p/kg and a fourth to 335p/kg. 'Mrs B's' best sold to 332p/kg for her 480kg Limmie. Distance traveller, Mr Willian had a smile on his face going home with £2049.80 for his 740kg Charolais cross with Georgie Delves selling her heaviest Limousin cross to £2031.36.

23 BULLS SOLD TO OV. AV. 250P/KG

A small show but with a few tidy sorts penned, saw Dan & Sam Rodenhurst selling to 280p/kg for 622kg with two others to 270p/kg. A cracking 734kg Limmie from the Powell family sailed to £2025.24 at 276p/kg. Angus crosses sold to £1965.96 from Rob and Harold Pugh. 592kg Holstein bulls soared to 236p/kg from Roger Rowson. Plain Black and White bulls were a 'real' trade.

AFU CATTLE VENDORS PLEASE NOTE:

Could producers selling in the Red Market from Approved Finishing Units (AFU) please provide a copy of your licence (TB24h) for our records. This is a requirement of our licencing with the Veterinary Inspectorate.

STEERS P/KG

290p/kg	650kg	33m	LIMx	A Preece & Son
282p/kg	498kg	12m	SMx	BV & DT Whiteman
266p/kg	508kg	13m	SMx	BV & DT Whiteman
265p/kg	766kg	24m	LIMx	GAJ Watkins & Son
262p/kg	744kg	25m	LIMx	GAJ Watkins & Son

STEERS £/HEAD

£2029.90	766kg	24m	LIMx	GAJ Watkins & Son
£1949.28	744kg	25m	LIMx	GAJ Watkins & Son
£1885.00	650kg	33m	LIMx	A Preece & Son

HEIFERS P/KG

340p/kg	516kg	18m	LIMx	HE Parkes
336p/kg	506kg	16m	LIMx	HE Parkes
336p/kg	544kg	15m	LIMx	HE Parkes
335p/kg	544kg	20m	LIMx	HE Parkes
332p/kg	480kg	23m	LIMx	C Burgoyne
328p/kg	482kg	13m	LIMx	S & A Perkins
326p/kg	498kg	14m	LIMx	S & A Perkins
320p/kg	486kg	13m	BRB	JL Hartley & Son
311p/kg	560kg	13m	LIMx	RC Evans (Curdale)
309p/kg	456kg	13m	LIMx	Yeomans Bros Ltd
308p/kg	586kg	14m	LIMx	HE Parkes
306p/kg	502kg	13m	BAX	RC & E Burton
306p/kg	574kg	21m	LIMx	RC Evans (Curdale)
306p/kg	562kg	18m	LIMx	HE Parkes
302p/kg	528kg	24m	LIMx	C Burgoyne
301p/kg	638kg	15m	LIMx	RC Evans (Curdale)
300p/kg	586kg	20m	LIMx	HE Parkes
300p/kg	552kg	17m	LIMx	RC Evans (Curdale)
300p/kg	496kg	24m	OTH	C Burgoyne

HEIFERS £/HEAD

£2049.80	740kg	25m	CHx	IM Willan
£2031.36	736kg	26m	LIMx	Delves & Co Ltd
£1920.38	638kg	15m	LIMx	RC Evans (Curdale)
£1827.84	544kg	15m	LIMx	HE Parkes
£1822.40	544kg	20m	LIMx	HE Parkes
£1811.84	608kg	23m	LIMx	RC Evans (Curdale)
£1804.88	586kg	14m	LIMx	HE Parkes
£1796.08	628kg	17m	BRB	TK & EM Tolley
£1775.50	670kg	25m	CHx	IM Willan
£1758.00	586kg	20m	LIMx	HE Parkes



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DAIRY BULLS P/KG

236p/kg 592kg 13m HOL CPB Rowson

BULLS P/KG

280p/kg 622kg 13m LIMx BJ Rodenhurst & Sons
 276p/kg 734kg 13m LIMx GWA & CA Powell
 276p/kg 568kg 12m BAx RC & E Burton
 274p/kg 628kg 13m BAx GWA & CA Powell
 270p/kg 630kg 13m LIMx BJ Rodenhurst & Sons
 270p/kg 660kg 13m LIMx BJ Rodenhurst & Sons
 267p/kg 714kg 17m ST JH Woolrich
 267p/kg 706kg 18m ST JH Woolrich
 262p/kg 722kg 17m ST JH Woolrich

BULLS £/HEAD

£2025.84 734kg 13m LIMx GWA & CA Powell
 £1965.96 774kg 18m AAx RH Pugh & Son
 £1906.38 714kg 17m ST JH Woolrich
 £1891.64 722kg 17m ST JH Woolrich
 £1885.02 706kg 18m ST JH Woolrich
 £1797.12 702kg 18m SDx RH Pugh & Son

OTM COW P/KG

205p/kg 680kg 66m BRB RH Pugh & Son
 195p/kg 722kg 133m CHx RD Payton Farms Ltd

OTM BULL P/KG

169p/kg 852kg 69m BRW FC Osborne & Son

OTM COW £/HEAD

£1407.90 722kg 133m CHx RD Payton Farms Ltd
 £1394.00 680kg 66m BRB RH Pugh & Son

OTM BULL £/HEAD

£1439.88 852kg 69m BRW FC Osborne & Son

249 SPRING LAMBS**Auctioneer – Martin Clack 07977 067519**

A few more lambs forward this week and trade a little firmer than expected averaging 353p/kg with the most encouraging part of the sale being some of the larger volume processors now looking to buy Spring lamb.

A top price of 400p/kg from Pete Kirton whose Texel lambs weighing 39.5kg took top spot. Heavy lambs from Bill Rodenhurst to 342p/kg and £167.60 and with the entire entry averaging £140 per head.

Top Prices p/kg

400p/kg 39.5kg AG Kirton & Son
 387p/kg 40.0kg AG Kirton & Son
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 387p/kg 40.5kg AG Kirton & Son
 378p/kg 40.5kg AG Kirton & Son

Top Prices £/Head

£167.60 49.0kg W Rodenhurst
 £160.90 43.0kg AG Kirton & Son
 £160.90 43.0kg AG Kirton & Son
 £158.00 39.5kg AG Kirton & Son
 £157.00 40.5kg AG Kirton & Son

1450 PRIME HOGGS**Auctioneer – Martin Clack 07977 067519**

Less hogs this week averaging 300p/kg although the trade would be very two tier. Plain hogs traded at 260p/kg to 280p/kg with better finished hogs 310p/kg to 330p/kg with John Cantrill's 42.5kg and Nigel Kinsey's 47kg taking joint top spot.

Hogs around the 50kg weight range were around 300p/kg to 307p/kg from Simon Wadlow and to a top price of £167 for 70kg Texels. Handy weight hogs just as dear with customers looking for finished hogs under 42kg.

Top Prices p/kg

330p/kg 47.0kg N Kinsey
 330p/kg 42.5kg J Cantrill
 330p/kg 43.0kg J Cantrill
 327p/kg 40.5kg KL Howells
 325p/kg 42.0kg K Swift

Top Prices £/Head

£167.00 70.0kg S Brown
 £164.70 77.0kg S Brown
 £161.00 70.5kg JN Ellis
 £158.00 51.5kg CN Wadlow
 £157.00 52.5kg WE Howells & Son

440 EWES**Auctioneer – Martin Clack 07977 067519**

A smaller entry but probably enough for the week after Eid. Trade similar to last week with best Texel ewes to £200, Suffolk x Mules to £140 and Mules just over £100.

Strong leaner ewes as most weeks attracting considerable interest especially in the more shapely sorts.

Small hill ewes £79, Beulahs and very small Welsh Mountain ewes £35 to £50.

17 Rams to £157 for Texels and Boer Goats to £110.

Top Prices £/Head:

£200.00 Texel A Oliver
 £170.00 Texel JN Ellis
 £157.00 Texel EW Fletcher
 £150.00 Texel A Oliver
 £142.00 Texel A Oliver
 £140.00 Suffolk x Mules S Pennington



STORE SALE REPORT – FRIDAY 21st APRIL

106 STORE CATTLE

Auctioneer – Mark Burgoyne 07831 192603

A small entry met a flying trade on the larger and quality end which were in short supply. British Blue cross steers from Will Westwood stole the headlines at £1,540 for 565kg with his 490kg Limmie steer to 300p/kg (£1470). Joe Birch sold his Hereford cross steers to £1050 for 390kg. Mr England's shapely Gosconne heifers sold above 280p/kg to £965 with his 46 month Limousin heifer to £1410.

All cattle which could go straight to grass and be ready by October were "clean off the clock". Young Hugh Link sold his 21 month Angus steers to a great result at £1160 – "a £10 well spent young fellow".

**NEXT SALE – ANNUAL MAYFAIR PRIZE SHOW AND SALE
on Friday 5th May. Entries close for the catalogue
this Thursday 27th April at 5.00pm**

STEERS P/KG

300p/kg	490kg	19m	LIMx	J & J Westwood
286p/kg	535kg	19m	LIMx	J & J Westwood
272p/kg	565kg	19m	BRB	J & J Westwood
269p/kg	390kg	20m	HEX	JR & J Birch
269p/kg	327kg	26m	BRB	LAJ England

STEERS £/HEAD

£1540.00	565kg	19m	BRB	J & J Westwood
£1530.00	535kg	19m	LIMx	J & J Westwood
£1470.00	490kg	19m	LIMx	J & J Westwood
£1440.00	560kg	19m	HEX	J & J Westwood
£1350.00	521kg	19m	HEX	J & J Westwood

HEIFERS P/KG

282p/kg	342kg	13m	CONT	LAJ England
253p/kg	465kg	19m	BRB	J & J Westwood
250p/kg	400kg	14m	CHx	LAJ England
247p/kg	570kg	46m	LIMx	LAJ England
239p/kg	440kg	24m	LIMx	LAJ England

HEIFERS £/HEAD

£1410.00	570kg	46m	LIMx	LAJ England
£1180.00	465kg	19m	BRB	J & J Westwood
£1050.00	440kg	24m	LIMx	LAJ England
£1040.00	480kg	23m	AAx	FM Ossig
£1000.00	400kg	14m	CHx	LAJ England

STORE SHEEP

Last of the store hogs coming through the market now with hogs to £93 and £91 from Mr Kirby.


A nice selection of couples on offer selling to £81 a life for full mouthed Lleyne ewes with Beltex x lambs at foot. Couples also hit £100 a life for flock aged ewes with strong single lambs at foot.

More store sheep required for the Mayfair Store Sale on Friday 5th May.

ANTIQUES & COLLECTABLES AUCTION

During the past six months the Antiques & Collectables Saleroom in Bridgnorth has been under 'new management' with Dylan Ward having taken over following Mark's retirement.

Sales have grown averaging around 1000 lots every sale including a wide variety of varied and interesting lots which command worldwide interest via Easy Live online (easyliveAuction.com), which since its introduction, has grown with numbers of potential buyers increasing sale-on-sale.

Sales are now catalogued with a full pictorial version displayed online, with live internet bidding as well as bidding in the saleroom. The new Facebook  page is available by searching for Nock Deighton Antique & Collectable Auctions and this shows a selection of lots for forthcoming sales.

**For all Saleroom enquires please contact Dylan Ward on
01746 762666 or 07415 815266**

The next Furniture/Antiques Sale will be held on

Wednesday 3rd May 2023

The auction will be held on-line at
www.easyliveAuction.com or attend in person
at the Sale Room in Bridgnorth

**Viewing on Tuesday 2nd May 2023
9.00am – 3.00pm**





FARMING EQUIPMENT & TECHNOLOGY FUND GRANTS IN 2023

Grants for farmers, horticulturalists, forestry owners and contractors for specific items of equipment.

ANIMAL HEALTH AND WELFARE – * NOW OPEN UNTIL MIDDAY ON THURSDAY 15th JUNE*

The **Animal Health and Welfare** theme, which is now open, includes items such as:- mobile or fixed cattle handling systems, cattle crushes, head scoops, mobile or fixed sheep handling systems, weigh bars, electric fencing and ventilation fans.



The grants are for a minimum of £1,000 and maximum of £25,000 per theme, and are based on set grant amounts for each item. The grant element is usually around 40% of the item's cost, however if the price of the item you purchase results in the grant payment making up a lesser or greater percentage, this will not affect the amount of grant paid, so long as the requirements below are still met.

These requirements include all equipment which is purchased to meet the minimum specifications set out within the option guidance, to be brand new (ex-demo or second hand is not allowed) and purchased through a supplier or manufacturer. All items must also be paid for in full (part exchange is not allowed) and no items must be purchased before a grant funding agreement is offered, although it is possible to secure items with a refundable deposit if you are concerned about supply issues.

The application process is competitive with each item given a score, and applications with the highest average scores then being offered agreements.

**For advice and help with making an application contact
Camilla Whitehouse on 01746 762666**

ANNUAL MAYFAIR PRIZE SHOW & SALE

NEXT FRIDAY 5th MAY 2023

Catalogue entries close **this Thursday 27th April at 5pm**

Class 1 - Best Cow & Calf

Class 2 - Best Pen of Steers (4 or more)

Class 3 - Best Pen of Heifers (4 or more)

Class 4 - Best Pen of Bulls or Single Bull

Class 5 - Best Pen of Ewes & Lambs (10 or more)

Rosette and £30 Prize Money for each Class winner

Mayfair Cup for winner of Classes 2,3 & 4

Anticipated entries – 300 head of Cattle

SUPPLEMENTARY MAYFAIR STORE SALE

FRIDAY 19th MAY 2023

Entries Invited by 12 noon on Monday 15th May

Contact: Mark Burgoyne 07831 192603

Martin Clack 07977 067519 or Ollie Clack 07891 343673



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