

BRIDGNORTH LIVESTOCK MARKET

WEEKLY REPORT – 28.03.17

102 PRIME CATTLE

Auctioneer – Mark Burgoyne 07831 192603

Only a small show with farmers busy in the fields and on top of their cattle. Best quality cattle seem in short supply at the moment and once again, these sold to a premium; at least as dear as recent weeks. Butchers and wholesalers report a fairly lack-lustre trade, with some good weather required to encourage al fresco dining!

Producers please note – Easter Primestock Show next week

Not a bad number of steers forward saw the best to 209p/kg or £1289 in the lump, with cattle well in line or above dead-weight returns.

We were genuinely short of heifers today with best quality butchers cattle selling to 250p/kg with several others passed 240p/kg. Second quality cattle not flying off the shelves but dearer than last week.

Bulls met a similar trade to recent sales, but with the very best perhaps a little easier. However, Continentals still sold to 230p/kg, with well-finished Holsteins in strong demand as per usual.

ONLY 5 COWS met a strong trade selling to 164p/kg for 840kg Blonde x cows from Brian Watkins to £1377, with Farm Assurance a distinct benefit. 626kg lean steaking dairy cows to 112p/kg.

MORE NEEDED

58 CLEAN CATTLE

Only 20 steers sold to average 187p/kg – Handy-weight Limousins from Alastair Beedles and Charlie Sandells sold to 209p/kg and 208p/kg respectively, with 620kg Limmies to 208p/kg from Matt Bower. 546kg Lims to 202p/kg from Pater Raybould.

Only 38 heifers sold to av. 201p/kg – The smallest show number-wise for some time saw the Parkes selling to 250p/kg with two other Limmies to 245p/kg, all handy-weights. 512kg Lims from Roger Jordin sold to 245p/kg. Heavy Charolais (non-assured) sold to £1458.24 for 672kg for Nigel Fieldhouse.

44 BULLS SOLD TO AV. 178P/KG

A shapely Blonde from Brian Watkins sold to 230p/kg for 510kg, with four British Blues from Ed Green topping at 210p/kg for 606kg. 506kg Friesians from Roger Rowson sold to 200p/kg, with two other black and whites to 194p/kg

50 plus bulls required each week

STEERS £/KG

209p/kg	482kg	17m	LIMx	RE & RM Beedles
208p/kg	534kg	12m	LIMx	KJ Sandells
208p/kg	620kg	22m	LIMx	MJ Bower
202p/kg	546kg	21m	LIMx	SJ Raybould & Son
200p/kg	612kg	21m	LIMx	RE & RM Beedles
199p/kg	592kg	18m	LIMx	SJ Raybould & Son
198p/kg	596kg	17m	LIMx	SJ Raybould & Son
198p/kg	558kg	12m	LIMx	KJ Sandells

STEERS £/HEAD

£1289.60	620kg	22m	LIMx	MJ Bower
£1247.80	734kg	24m	LIMx	BD & DT Whiteman
£1224.00	612kg	21m	LIMx	RE & RM Beedles

HEIFERS £/KG

250p/kg	488kg	21m	LIMx	EP Parkes & Sons
249p/kg	504kg	19m	LIMx	MD & E Evans
246p/kg	512kg	20m	LIMx	W Jordin & Son
245p/kg	520kg	21m	LIMx	EP Parkes & Sons
245p/kg	456kg	19m	LIMx	EP Parkes & Sons

HEIFERS £/HEAD

£1458.24	672kg	25m	CHx	NP Fieldhouse
£1427.40	732kg	25m	CHx	NP Fieldhouse
£1334.58	754kg	25m	CHx	NP Fieldhouse
£1274.00	520kg	21m	LIMx	EP Parkes & Sons

BULLS £/KG

230p/kg	510kg	12m	BAX	CO Watkins & Co
210p/kg	606kg	13m	BRB	JB & EJ Green
209p/kg	576kg	13m	BRB	JB & EJ Green
208p/kg	582kg	13m	BRB	JB & EJ Green
203p/kg	610kg	12m	BRB	JB & EJ Green

BULLS £/HEAD

£1272.60	606kg	13m	BRB	JB & EJ Green
£1245.60	692kg	18m	LIMx	PI Taylor
£1238.30	610kg	12m	BRB	JB & EJ Green
£1173.00	510kg	12m	BAX	CO Watkins & Co

DAIRY BULLS £/KG

200p/kg	506kg	15m	FRx	CPB Rowson
194p/kg	530kg	21m	FRx	CPB Rowson
194p/kg	540kg	16m	FRx	CPB Rowson
172p/kg	596kg	16m	FR	H Yates
166p/kg	600kg	13m	HO	C Evans

DAIRY BULLS £/HEAD

£1047.60	540kg	16m	FRx	CPB Rowson
£1028.20	530kg	21m	FRx	CPB Rowson
£1025.12	596kg	16m	FR	H Yates
£1012.00	506kg	15m	FRX	CPB Rowson

OTMS £/KG

164p/kg	840kg	108m	BAX	CO Watkins & Co
128p/kg	656kg	115m	LIMx	SJ Raybould & on
126p/kg	904kg	77m	CHx	NP Fieldhouse

OTMS £/HEAD

£1377.60	840kg	108m	BAX	CO Watkins & Co
£1139.04	904kg	77m	BAX	NP Fieldhouse
£839.68	656kg	115m	LIMx	SJ Raybould & Son

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1900 HOGGS

Auctioneer: Martin Clack 079777 067519

A much larger entry of hogs and trade up almost 20p/kg to a sale average of 191p/kg and a top price per head of £95.50. Plenty over 200p/kg to 227p/kg for 38kg from Hayden Woolley whose entry of 135 Texel hogs averaged 42.5kg and 207p/kg.

44kg to 46kg hogs met increased demand with plenty realising around £90 to £93 for 46kg. Heavier weights 49.5kg to 181p/kg, 51kg to 178p/kg and 57.5kg to 166p/kg.

Peter Levi's 57.5kg hogs to £95.50 and Damien Davies' Suffolks to £94.32.

No shortage of light hogs and with another new customer, trade very brisk with 32kg to 186p/kg from Rob Rose whose 80 hogs of varying breeds averaging 33kg and 182p/kg. Spring lambs averaged 298p/kg from Dan Watkins 35.5kg to 38kg to £115 per head.

Top £/kg

227p/kg	38kg	GR Woolley
222p/kg	41kg	GR Woolley
221p/kg	42kg	GR Woolley
218p/kg	43kg	GR Woolley
218p/kg	41.5kg	GR Woolley

Top £/head

£95.50	57.5kg	P Levi
£94.30	72kg	DT & LR Davies
£94.00	61kg	J Gore
£93.75	43kg	GR Woolley
£93.50	59.5kg	TE Jones
£93.00	46.5kg	N Kinsey

412 EWES

Auctioneer: Dafydd Parry

A strong entry of ewes once again in Bridgnorth, with trade on fire. Demand for all types of ewes saw an average of £72. Strong, well meated ewes particularly in demand as the trade topped at £119 for some Texel ewes. Suffolks to £112 and North Country Mules to £92.

Increased buying support ensured keen bidding on every pen. Hill ewes to £68 Scotch, £57 Swales and some very plain Welsh to £44.

Rams to £103 Texel and £80 Suffolks.

FODDER SALE - EVERY TUESDAY AT 11:30AM UNTIL APRIL

Auctioneer: Mark Burgoyne 07831 192603

Wanted: Hay & Straw and Fodder Beet for various clients
We have customers enquiring about silage and a fodder register is available to view online. If you wish to buy or sell, please contact Mark Burgoyne

MICHAEL WALTERS

Passed away 8th March 2017

Mrs Janet Walters and family would like to thank, most sincerely, all relatives and friends for the kindness and sympathy shown to them during their bereavement. They also acknowledge, with gratitude, card and messages of condolence. All the donations they have received will be given to Severn Hospice.

NEXT STORE SALE

FRIDAY 31ST MARCH AT 11AM

100 Store Cattle, Calves & Weanlings
100 Ewes & Lambs

STORE SALE

FRIDAY 7TH APRIL AT 11AM

Entries to date: 20 Lim x Blue Steers & Heifers 10-14m

100 ACRES GRASS KEEP TO LET

Church Stretton Area

Well-fenced. Cattle only.

1st April - 31st October

Contact: Mark Burgoyne 07831 192603

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Contact Anne-Marie Brettell, Rob McCabe, James Neame or Camilla Whitehouse for assistance.

STORE SALE - FRIDAY 21ST APRIL 2017

On behalf of MB & M Evans, Isombridge Farm

Special entry of

30 plus British Blue Cross Heifers
with strong Limousin Calves at foot
(mothers have not been back to the bull)

Plus approx.

50 head of Limousin x British Blue Steers & Heifers
Top Quality 3 year old Limousin Stock Bull
(TB tested clear)

These cattle will be available for viewing on Thursday
20th April at Bridgnorth Market for convenience.

CLEANER REQUIRED

Would suit active/fit retired person
Tuesday Evening & Saturday Morning
Approx. 10 hours/week

Reply to Rob McCabe 07970 981183