BRIDGNORTH LIVESTOCK MARKET WEEKLY REPORT – 28.06.16



116 PRIME CATTLE

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A shortage of home produced prime cattle seems to be materialising at the moment, as is weakening sterling in the aftermath of Brexit. These factors are contributing to a firming of trade but with red meat retailers struggling to get more value into their sales. A full buyer contingent produced competition on all qualities of cattle from sale start to finish.

A disappointing number of steers which included over agers, saw Longhorn crosses to 200p/kg and Herefords to 181p/kg.

Butchers cattle saw more heifers over 220p/kg to a high of 241p/kg. A shortage of good quality cattle did not help regular orders.

Bull trade was no dearer with handyish weight suckler bulls to 208p/kg. Black & Whites in decent demand to 156p/kg.

Only 6 cows forward met a firm trade again to 149p/kg for fed Saler crosses, with others to 140p/kg. 674kg plain steaking Holsteins sold to 105p/kg.

MORE COWS & STOCK BULLS REQUIRED EVERY WEEK

64 CLEAN CATTLE

Only 23 steers sold to av. 163p/kg – A very average show saw a sharpish trade with Longhorn crosses to 200p/kg for 592kg from Mr Terry. 548kg Limousin crosses sold to 189p/kg from Terry Bebb. Red Herefords on the thick side sold to 181p/kg from Pearce Farms. Plain steers over 40m included in the averages.

Only 41 heifers sold to av. 211p/kg – Heifers in short supply sold well to 241p/kg for 548kg from the Bower stable, with Roger Jordin selling to 240p/kg for 542kg Limousins, IGC Morris sold handyweights to 239p/kg, with Goulburn Farms also selling two British Blues to 239p/kg or £1,362 in the lump.

52 BULLS OV. AV. 163P/KG

Buyers seem very reticent to give more for the bulls, with only two bulls selling to 200p/kg or more for Ian Powell and Harold Pugh. Handier weights under 650kg easiest sold, with meat Holsteins in fair demand selling to 156p/kg from Henry Yates and Gordon Kennerley.

STEERS £/KG

200p/kg	592kg	24m	L HORN	PG & EM Terry	
189p/kg	548kg	22m	LIMx	RG & TI BEBB	
188p/kg	676kg	27m	BRB	PG & EM Terry	
181p/kg	638kg	21m	HEx	Pearce Farms	
STEERS £/HE	AD				
£1270.88	676kg	27m	BRB	PG & EM Terry	
£1253.12	704kg	27m	MONT	RG & TI Bebb	
£1243.62	846kg	26m	LIMx	PG & EM Terry	

HEIFERS £/	G			
241p/kg	548kg	14m	LIMx	MJ Bower
240p/kg	542kg	19m	LIMx	W Jordin & Son
239p/kg	570kg	16m	BRB	Goulburn Farms
239p/kg	506kg	14m	BRB	Goulburn Farms
239p/kg	492kg	18m	LIMx	IGC Morris
238p/kg	510kg	15m	LIMx	W Jordin & Son
237p/kg	532kg	22m	LIMx	W Jordin & Son
236p/kg	488kg	17m	LIMx	IGC Morris
235p/kg	536kg	13m	LIMx	MJ Bower
235p/kg	472kg	12m	BRB	SC Jones
233p/kg	480kg	14m	LIMx	H Yates
232p/kg	484kg	12m	LIMx	SC Jones
228p/kg	474kg	14m	BAx	CO Watkins
HEIFERS £/H	IEAD			
£1362.30	570kg	16m	BRB	Goulburn Farms
£1328.80	604kg	22m	LIMx	IGC Morris
£1320.68	548kg	14m	LIMx	MJ Bower
£1307.32	644kg	19m	CHx	IGC Morris
£1300.80	542kg	19m	LIMx	W Jordin & Son
BULLS £/KG	Ū			
208p/kg	552kg	15m	LIMx	GWA & CA Powell
200p/kg	616kg	15m	LIMx	RH Pugh & Son
198p/kg	602kg	15m	LIMx	GWA & CA Powell
198p/kg	518kg	14m	LIMx	R & E Kennerley
194p/kg	642kg	16m	BRB	JL Hartley & Son
194p/kg	540kg	13m	BRB	JL Hartley & Son
192p/kg	572kg	14m	SMx	JL Hartley & Son
191p/kg	594kg	12m	LIMx	CPB Rowson
190p/kg	552kg	14m	BRB	JL Hartley & Son
BULLS £/HE	AD			
£1245.48	642kg	16m	BRB	JL Hartley & Son
£1232.00	616kg	15m	LIMx	RH Pugh & Son
£1191.96	602kg	15m	LIMx	GWA & CA Powell
DAIRY BULL	<u>S £/KG</u>			
£156p/kg	666kg	13m	FR	H Yates
£156p/kg	522kg	13m	FR	R & E Kennerley
153p/kg	502kg	17m	FR	JR Beaumont & Sons
152p/kg	538kg	12m	НО	C Evans
OTMS £/KG				
149p/kg	714kg	47m	SMx	WE Howells & Son
140p/kg	750kg	62m	SMx	WE Howells & Son
118p/kg	490kg	33m	LIMx	AE Halford & Son
112p/kg	734kg	200m	ANG	WE Howells & Son
105p/kg	674kg	100m	НО	PE & J Price
100p/kg	578kg	77m	BRB	AE Halford & Son
OTMS £/HE	AD			
£1063.86	714kg	47m	SMx	WE Howells & Son
£1050.00	750kg	62m	SMx	WE Howells & Son
£822.08	734kg	200m	OTH	WE Howells & Son
£707.70	674kg	100m	HO	PE & J Price

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1674 LAMBS

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A larger entry this week and trade up 30p/kg, £12 per lamb on two weeks ago – possibly the first sign of how a weaker pound assists the export trade to the EU zone.

Best Continental lambs all over £2 to 225p/kg from Max Preece for 38kg, with plenty of handy weight export lambs selling to 195p/kg to £2p/kg. A sale average of 196p/kg Lighter weights 35kg sold to 210p/kg from Peter Kirton and 33kg sold to 204p/kg from Steve Howells. Heavier lambs much improved sold to 204p/kg for 48½kg and 46½kg selling at 201p/kg.

Top Prices £/kg

10p i lices	-/ "5	
225p/kg	38kg	Max Preece
218p/kg	41kg	RC Evans
216p/kg	45kg	MD & EA Evans
216p/kg	40.5kg	MD & EA Evans
216p/kg	36kg	IGC Morris

<u>653 EWES</u>

Four full rows of ewes selling to £103 for Texels and £125 for Charollais rams.

The overall trade up around £10 per head with large numbers of Suffolk and Continental ewes selling to £90 to £100.

Mule ewes dearer selling to £87 and large runs of hill ewes selling to £78 Cheviot, £68 Beulah and £55 Welsh. 15 rams sold to £125 averaging £92.

Ewe Top Prices £/Head

£103	Texel	AG Kirton
£102	Texel	TE Jones & Son
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£97	Texel	Conington Farms
£97	Suffolk	Conington Farm

Ram Top Prices £/Head

£125	Charollais	G Davies
£120	Texel	Conington Farm
£104	Texel	G Davies
£98	Texel	G Davies

STORE SALE

FRIDAY 1ST JULY 2016

at 11.00 am

100 Store Cattle Catalogue on line and further entries anticipated including Store Sheep, Calves and Weanlings

NEXT COLLECTIVE MACHINERY SALE SATURDAY 9TH JULY 2016

Entries invited

NEXT RURAL LAND & PROPERTY AUCTION

WEDNESDAY 27TH JULY

Entries Invited

IMPORTANT NOTICE TO ALL LIVESTOCK PRODUCERS, HAULIERS & BUYERS

Any livestock that is unloaded onto Bridgnorth Livestock Market premises without prior notification to the auctioneers and not sold through Nock Deighton Agricultural LLP, should cease as from next Tuesday, 14th June 2016.

Failure to do so will result in those deemed responsible being charged a lairaging and handling fee.

Illegal movements such as these may be convenient for some but are putting our market licence at risk.

Shropshire Trading Standards have been contacted regarding this issue.

APPROX 60 ACRES MOWING GRASS AVAILABLE MUCH WENLOCK AREA

Contact Stuart Richards for further information

35.01 ACRES SEASONAL GRAZING AVAILABLE AT POOL HALL, TRESCOTT, WOLVERHAMPTON

Contact: Rob McCabe 07970 981183

BRITISH BLUE BULL FOR SALE

3 year old "Ernie". Easy Calving Strain Good on feet & legs. Quiet Contact Mark Burgoyne 07831 192603

STANDING STRAW SALES

We are now taking entries for this July's Standing Straw Sales at your farm gate. Entries to date can be found on our website under Fodder, Straw and Grass Keep Sales Please contact Mark Burgoyne or Paul Taylor for further details