

BRIDGNORTH LIVESTOCK MARKET

WEEKLY REPORT – 22.05.18

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158 PRIME CATTLE

Auctioneer – Mark Burgoyne 07831 192603

A very good show of cattle forward with some meat and shape and enough to fulfil regular orders. A full buying contingent produced strong competition on all shapes and sizes, with cattle selling from 65p/kg to 255p/kg. More cattle could have easily sold without affecting trade.

Steers sold to a good trade with few best bullocks penned. Continentals sold to 224p/kg, with heavies to £1400. Friesian steers sold well to 177p/kg.

A cracking trade on butchers heifers with handy-weights to 255p/kg and another to 250p/kg. Several others over 240p/kg with heavy breaking females to £1375 in the lump.

Our bull sample was tremendous this morning but did include some tricky goods! Best Continentals sold to 234p/kg or £1452 in the lump. Not the very best sample of black and whites today sold to 176p/kg or £1275 as a whole.

ONLY 6 COWS & 1 STOCK BULL

A sharp trade with 788kg British Blue crosses to 191p/kg or £1505.08, with Limousin crosses 686kg to 166p/kg (£1138). Well meated, Farm Assured cows eagerly sought after. 1006kg Limousin stock bulls to 115p/kg (£1156.90).

107 CLEAN CATTLE

25 Steers sold to ov.av. 194p/kg – Single Limousin from Andrew Carter took top spot at 224p/kg for 578kg, with two Limousins to 217p/kg at 598kg and 532kg from Phil Roberts. Saler crosses to 206p/kg for 606kg from Mike Evans, with his 700kg Charolais to £1400 in the lump. Friesian steers to 177p/kg from Sam Jones.

82 Heifers sold to ov.av. 201p/kg – A cracking 466kg Blonde at lot 2 stole the limelight for Brian Watkins at 255p/kg, closely followed by Mrs B at lot 3 selling to 250p/kg for 490kg Limousin. 450kg Lims from Stuart Bebb sold to 247p/kg, with Richard Parkes and Roger Jordin both achieving 244p/kg. Heavy females 598kg Lims to £1374 from Mrs B once again.

51 BULLS SOLD TO OV. AV. 194P/KG

Pure bred Limmies headed this section at 234p/kg for 612kg for a deserving cause (£1432), with 578kg Blondes to 228p/kg from Brian Watkins. Two Limmies to 224p/kg from Ed Green around 590kg. 746kg Limousins (non-assured) to £1424.86 from Malcolm Davies.

Mulberry Homes' black and whites headed at 176p/kg, with Malcolm Dodd's hefty Holsteins to £1275.30 and £1204.28.

MORE BULLS NEEDED NEXT WEEK PLEASE

STEERS £/KG

224p/kg	578kg	20m	LIMx	AJ Carter
217p/kg	598kg	20m	LIMx	RD & KM Roberts
217p/kg	532kg	13m	LIMx	RD & KM Roberts
210p/kg	596kg	23m	SAL	RA Evans & Son
206p/kg	606kg	24m	SAL	RA Evans & Son
205p/kg	596kg	15m	BAX	P & J Corfield
203p/kg	592kg	24m	SAL	RA Evans & Son

STEERS £/HEAD

£1400.00	700kg	25m	CHx	RA Evans & Son
£1364.16	696kg	24m	SMx	WJ Jones & Co
£1363.40	802kg	26m	BRB	J & E Moreton
£1344.64	764kg	27m	BRB	J Baylis
£1340.00	670kg	24m	LIMx	TE Jones

HEIFERS £/KG

255p/kg	466kg	12m	BAX	CO Watkins & Co
250p/kg	490kg	12m	LIMx	C Burgoyne
247p/kg	450kg	15m	LIMx	RT Bebb Ltd
244p/kg	528kg	20m	LIMx	W Jordin & Son
244p/kg	526kg	26m	LIMx	EP Parkes & Sons
241p/kg	490kg	16m	LIMx	W Jordin & Son
236p/kg	538kg	19m	LIMx	W Jordin & Son

HEIFERS £/HEAD

£1375.40	598kg	14m	LIMx	C Burgoyne
£1288.32	528kg	20m	LIMx	W Jordin & Son
£1284.44	652kg	26m	LIMx	TE Jones & Son
£1283.44	526kg	26m	LIMx	EP Parkes & Sons
£1269.68	538kg	19m	LIMx	W Jordin & Son

BULLS £/KG

234p/kg	612kg	12m	LIMx	C Burgoyne
228p/kg	578kg	13m	BAX	CO Watkins & Co
224p/kg	590kg	15m	LIMx	JB & EJ Green
224p/kg	586kg	14m	LIMx	JB & EJ Green
223p/kg	604kg	14m	LIMx	C Burgoyne
222p/kg	550kg	12m	BAX	CO Watkins & Co

BULLS £/HEAD

£1432.08	812kg	12m	LIMx	C Burgoyne
£1424.86	746kg	19m	LIMx	HT Davies & Son
£1419.00	660kg	17m	LIMx	A Preece & Son
£1350.42	634kg	17m	LIMx	A Preece & Son
£1346.92	604kg	14m	LIMx	C Burgoyne

DAIRY BULLS £/KG

176p/kg	462kg	13m	FRx	Mulberry Homes
174p/kg	512kg	13m	FRx	Mulberry Homes
173p/kg	526kg	12m	HOx	Mulberry Homes
173p/kg	594kg	17m	HO	C Evans
171p/kg	494kg	12m	HOx	Mulberry Homes

DAIRY BULLS £/HEAD

£1257.30	762kg	18m	HO	MG Dodd
£1204.28	748kg	20m	HO	MG Dodd



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OTMS £/KG

191p/kg	788kg	112m	BBx	SJ Raybould
166p/kg	686kg	75m	LIMx	AJ Carter
150p/kg	660kg	140m	BBx	TE Jones
142p/kg	666kg	90m	LIMx	TL Morris & Co
136p/kg	666kg	39m	BRB	SJ Raybould & Son

OTMS £/HEAD

£1505.08	788kg	112m	BBx	SJ Raybould & Son
£1137.76	686kg	75m	LIMx	AJ Carter
£990.00	660kg	140m	BBx	TE Jones
£945.72	666kg	90m	LIMx	TL Morris & Co

1200 HOGGS**Auctioneer: Martin Clack 07977 067519**

A smaller entry of hoggs this week and trade easier on paper although very reflective of the quality of sheep on offer.

Best hoggs few and far between selling to 264p/kg for 42kg Texels from Neil Colebatch, with several pens of 40kg to 44kg hoggs over 250p/kg.

Weight still in demand with 46.5kg at 258p/kg and hoggs over 50kg to £137 from Dave Halford.

Plenty of light weight and lean hoggs, which in recent weeks, have sold with little discount however, this week we reached saturation point. Better hoggs with meat to 258p/kg Beltex, 228p/kg Welsh and very lean hoggs 180p/kg to 200p/kg.

Top Price/kg

264p/kg	42kg	RM Colebatch
258p/kg	46.5kg	LR Morgan & Son
254p/kg	44.5kg	GL Poyner
253p/kg	46kg	N Kinsey
252p/kg	45kg	LH Dalton & Son
258p/kg	46.5kg	LR Morgan & Son
253p/kg	46kg	N Kinsey
246p/kg	50kg	LR Morgan & Son
243p/kg	47.5kg	R Farrell
240p/kg	51kg	GL Poyner
230p/kg	52.5kg	LH Dalton
221p/kg	54kg	LH Dalton
221p/kg	53kg	LH Dalton
218p/kg	62kg	LR Morgan
214p/kg	64kg	D Halford

Top Price/head

£137	64kg	D Halford
£135	62kg	LR Morgan & Son
£123	50kg	LR Morgan & Son
£122.50	51kg	GL Poyner
£121.40	66kg	GL Poyner

800 LAMBS**Auctioneer: Martin Clack 07977 067519**

The lamb trade eased from the exceptional levels of recent weeks, averaging 260p/kg to 298p/kg for Texel lambs from Tom Talbot and £128 for heavy lambs from Roger Jordin.

The general trade would be back around 40p/kg which is a huge drop in normal circumstances but the 300p/kg averages of recent weeks could have been too good to be true. Hopefully, this week will be the last week of large hogget numbers and customers will be forced to change to lambs.

Top Price/kg

298p/kg	38kg	TH Talbot
293p/kg	39kg	L Price
287p/kg	43kg	W Jordin & Son
278p/kg	44.5kg	AW Preece
277p/kg	37.5kg	L Price

Top Price/head

£128.00	58kg	W Jordin & Son
£123.70	44.5kg	AW Preece
£123.40	43kg	W Jordin & Son
£117.00	42.5kg	F Maiden
£116.00	43.5kg	DT & LR Davies

773 EWES**Auctioneer: Martin Clack 07977 067519**

Almost 3000 ewes sold in the last three week and trade still holding firm with strong ewes over £100 to £115 for Texel ewes.

More smaller ewes this week which probably helped with trade. Scotch ewes to £59, Swales £52, Welsh £50 and Cheviots very dear to £62.

Small, plain ewes possibly the trade of the day with Cheviot ewes at £55 and very small Welsh ewes £30.

Rams to £107 Texel and £106 Suffolk.

NEXT STORE SALE**FRIDAY 1ST JUNE 2018 AT 11:00AM***Entries invited*Catalogue Entries close Tuesday 29th May at 5:00pm**TB RESTRICTED STORE SALE****FRIDAY 8TH JUNE 2018**

Entries to date

20 Limousin Steers/Heifers 12-13m

Suckler bred

*Sale will commence subject to further entries***STANDING STRAW SALES 2018**

Entries are now invited for our Farm Gate Sales
in the first and second weeks of July

Contact: Mark Burgoyne on 07831 192603
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STORE SALE REPORT 18.05.18**STORE CATTLE****Auctioneer: Mark Burgoyne 07831 192603**

A very buoyant Supplementary Mayfair saw a fair trade for the goods! All steers sold to average 202p/kg with a large contingent of dairy bred types. Likewise with the heifers which averaged 191p/kg across the board. The bull section was largely filled with Holsteins and averaged 170p/kg. Rob Jones sold yearling Limousin steers to £1130, with Tom Wood's Angus 18m selling to £995. Angus cross heifers 362kg sold to £950 for Mr England. Charolais cross bulls sold to £1100 for 525kg from Howard Mold. First calving British Blue x Friesians with a young heifer calf sold to £1400 from Ed Green, with in-calf cows to £1180 and £1150 from the same home.

Next Sale Friday 1st June 2018 – Entries close for catalogue Tuesday 29th May at 5:00pm

STEERS £/HEAD

£1130.00	510kg	12m	LIMx	TE Jones
£995.00	515kg	18m	AAx	T Wood
£990.00	560kg	18m	SMx	T Wood
£965.00	473kg	14m	SAL	RA Evans & Son
£960.00	485kg	17m	BRB	T Wood
£950.00	480kg	17m	BRB	HR Mold
£900.00	445kg	23m	HEX	JWL Pritchard

STEERS £/KG

250p/kg	320kg	14m	BRB	GA Lewis & Son
246.2p/kg	266kg	11m	SMx	RA Evans & Son
237.0p/kg	270kg	9m	LIMx	TE Jones
230.0p/kg	370kg	22m	SMx	P Taylor
228.1p/kg	342kg	14m	BRB	GA Lewis & Son
227.0p/kg	220kg	8m	DEVx	P Taylor
223.0p/kg	305kg	12m	LIMx	P Taylor
221.7p/kg	318kg	13m	SMx	RA Evans & Son

HEIFERS £/HEAD

£950.00	367kg	26m	AAx	P Taylor
£790.00	405kg	13m	SMx	TEG Meddins & Co
£785.00	410kg	16m	LIMx	TEG Meddins & Co
£780.00	400kg	25m	HEX	JWL Pritchard
£780.00	305kg	9m	LIMx	TE Jones
£765.00	355kg	12m	LIMx	TE Jones
£760.00	382kg	12m	CHx	P Taylor

HEIFERS £/KG

258.9p/kg	367kg	26m	AAx	P Taylor
255.7p/kg	305kg	9m	LIMx	TE Jones
255.6p/kg	225kg	11m	LIMx	P Taylor
222.0p/kg	273kg	13m	LIMx	P Taylor
215.6p/kg	320kg	9m	LIMx	TE Jones
215.6p/kg	320kg	9m	LIMx	Yeoman Bros
215.5p/kg	355kg	12m	LIMx	TE Jones

BULLS £/HEAD

£1100.00	525kg	13m	CHx	HR Mold
£940.00	500kg	14m	CHx	HR Mold
£890.00	442kg	11m	SAL	HR Mold
£740.00	492kg	18m	HEX	CR & JM Bowen
£740.00	375kg	13m	SAL	RA Evans & Son

BULLS £/KG

209.5p/kg	525kg	13m	CHx	HR Mold
201.4p/kg	442kg	11m	SMx	HR Mold
197.3p/kg	375kg	13m	SMx	RA Evans & Son
188.0p/kg	500kg	14m	CHx	HR Mold
174.6p/kg	315kg	8m	SMx	T Wood
150.4p/kg	492kg	18m	HEX	CR & JM Bowen

COWS & CALVES

£1400.00	BRB 38m with young Calf	JB & EJ Green
£1380.00	LIMx 69m & 3m LIM Heifer	JB & EJ Green
£1250.00	HEx 56m & 3m LIM Heifer	JB & EJ Green
£1180.00	LIMx 98m & 2m LIM Bull	JB & EJ Green
£1120.00	LIMx 150m & 2m LIM Heifer	JB & EJ Green
£1120.00	BRBx 51m & 3m LIM Heifer	JB & EJ Green
£1120.00	LIMx 87m & 2m LIM Bull	JB & EJ Green
£1120.00	HEx 86m & 3m LIM Heifer	JB & EJ Green

IN-CALF COWS

£1180.00	LIMx 78m	JB & EJ Green
£1150.00	LIMx 38m	JB & EJ Green
£1150.00	LIMx 44m	JB & EJ Green

STORE SHEEP**Auctioneer: Martin Clack 07977 067519**

Ewes and lambs dearer than previous sales with plenty of interest with an improvement in the weather.

Zwartbles with a lamb and a half at £180, £70 per life. Welsh Mules £61 per life £160 and Lleysns £67 per life £178.

A number of Welsh ewes and small lambs averaged £36 per life to £98 per family.

OBITUARY

With respect, we report the passing of Mrs Margaret Halford of Trimpley, having achieved the age of 95 years. As the senior partner in the farming business of AE Halford & Son for 45 years, she retained an active involvement and interest in the business throughout this period, supporting livestock auction markets in Kidderminster and Bridgnorth Market on a weekly basis. Mrs Halford's connection with the land and the Severn Valley extends to a good part of the 20th century, during which time she oversaw significant change both in the nature of farming and the opportunities for diversification which became a significant success for the family.

The funeral will be held at Trimpley Church on Wednesday 6th June at 11:00am

FOR SALE**43 Cows & Calves (Entire Herd). Quiet Cattle**

20 HE x FR Cows (2012-2014)

11 AA x FR Cows (2010-2015)

7 BB x FR Cows (2010-2015), 1 LIM x FR Cow (2014)

1 CHAR x FR (2008), 1 British SH x Cow (2008)

1 BL x Cow (2009)

All with Stabiliser Calves at foot (mainly March 2018 born)

Not been back to bull. Could split

33 Cows & Calves (Entire Herd)

Continental & Hereford Dams (2004-2015)

with Stabiliser & Limousin Calves at foot (March/April born)

Both herds BVD clear. Good, genuine commercial suckler herds that can be thoroughly recommended to prospective purchasers.

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Picture gallery online