

# BRIDGNORTH LIVESTOCK MARKET

## WEEKLY REPORT – 22.04.25



### 80 PRIME CATTLE

#### Auctioneer – Mark Burgoyne 07831 192603

Decent numbers again, with the bull pens fuller than recent sales. A sharp trade to average 417p/kg although with well finished cattle well rewarded. Bulls sold to or above £3000 on four occasions.

A small entry of steers sold to 452p/kg on two occasions with heavier types to £2947 in the lump.

Butchers' heifers sailed to 474p/kg with heavy females to £2876.

Some tidy finished bulls forward alongside some also rans sold to a top of 435p/kg with heavier bulls to £3278.

One old faithful Charolais cross cow sold to 210p/kg for 794kg (£1667.40).

### 48 CLEAN CATTLE

#### ONLY 5 STEERS SOLD TO OV AV 428P/KG

Handy weight red Limmies from Harvey Parkes excelled at 452p/kg for 564kg with black Blue steers to the same price per kilo for Mrs B at 652kg. Her 612kg Blonde cross sold to 448p/kg in third spot.

#### 43 HEIFERS SOLD TO OV AV 416P/KG

The normal excellent "kit" from Harvey Parkes topped the day at 474p/kg for 554kg with another Limousin cross to 470p/kg at 538kg. 524kg Lims from Roger Jordin sold nicely to 468p/kg with 3 heifers to 452p/kg from Hayden Burton, Harvey Parkes and Mrs B. Heavy heifers to £2876.16 for Charolais heifers from Mrs B once again.

#### 32 BULLS SOLD TO OV AV 371P/KG

Not such a good average but hindered by several cutting lean sorts. Best shapes from Ben Rochelle sold to 435p/kg for 600kg Limousin. A great run of Hereford crosses from Richard Yates sold to 425p/kg for 662kg or £2813.50, with Dave Preece selling to 420p/kg for 722kg (£3032.40). Val Jarvis sold their great run to £3277.50 for 874kg Charolais. Please do not sell your bulls too soon – it pays to get them properly fit!

#### 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 AND £/HEAD

452p/kg	£2549	564kg	16m	LIMx	EP Parkes & Sons
452p/kg	£2947	652kg	20m	BRB	C Burgoyne
448p/kg	£2741	612kg	22m	BAX	C Burgoyne
438p/kg	£2601	594kg	18m	LIMx	C Burgoyne

### HEIFERS P/KG AND £/HEAD

474p/kg	£2626	554kg	24m	LIMx	EP Parkes & Sons
470p/kg	£2528	538kg	21m	LIMx	EP Parkes & Sons
468p/kg	£2686	574kg	21m	LIMx	W Jordin & Son
452p/kg	£2323	514kg	25m	BAX	RC & E Burton & Son
452p/kg	£2341	518kg	20m	LIMx	EP Parkes & Sons
452p/kg	£2531	560kg	22m	LIMx	C Burgoyne
450p/kg	£2628	584kg	20m	LIMx	R & B Rochelle
450p/kg	£2817	626kg	22m	CHx	C Burgoyne
442p/kg	£2378	538kg	24m	LIMx	W Jordin & Son
440p/kg	£2613	594kg	24m	LIMx	C Burgoyne
440p/kg	£2631	598kg	22m	LIMx	W Jordin & Son
438p/kg	£2444	558kg	24m	LIMx	W Jordin & Son
438p/kg	£2531	578kg	24m	LIMx	C Burgoyne
438p/kg	£2435	556kg	13m	LIMx	RC & EA Madeley
438p/kg	£2111	482kg	24m	LIMx	EJP & MM Thomas
430p/kg	£2562	596kg	16m	LIMx	P Barker & Son
428p/kg	£2876	672kg	23m	LIMx	C Burgoyne

### BULLS P/KG AND £/HEAD

435p/kg	£2610	600kg	12m	LIMx	R & B Rochelle
425p/kg	£2813	662kg	12m	HEX	H Yates
420p/kg	£3032	722kg	22m	LIMx	A Preece & Son
418p/kg	£2717	650kg	12m	HEX	H Yates
415p/kg	£2697	650kg	12m	HEX	H Yates
412p/kg	£3123	758kg	14m	CHx	V & J Properties Ltd
410p/kg	£2632	642kg	12m	LIMx	R & B Rochelle
410p/kg	£2665	650kg	12m	HEX	H Yates
410p/kg	£2944	718kg	14m	CHx	V & J Properties Ltd
408p/kg	£2448	600kg	15m	LIMx	SB Lloyd & Son
405p/kg	£2519	622kg	14m	CHx	V & J Properties Ltd
405p/kg	£2600	642kg	13m	HEX	H Yates
400p/kg	£2688	672kg	21m	HEX	AE Potter & Son
398p/kg	£2348	590kg	18m	BRB	VT & J Price
392p/kg	£2689	686kg	11m	HEX	H Yates
392p/kg	£3089	788kg	14m	CHx	V & J Properties Ltd

### OTM COWS P/KG AND £/HEAD

210p/kg	£1667	794kg	203m	CHx	HT Davies & Son
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### Veterinary Attestation Number (VAN)

**Please ensure all VAN numbers are available when booking in your sheep and cattle**  
**VAN numbers are only valid for 12 months from date of issue, ensure yours is up-to-date**

### 1400 HOGGS

**Auctioneer – Martin Clack 07977 067519**

A reasonable Bank Holiday entry of hogs and trade very similar to last week although quality hogs would perhaps be a little faster. 48kg Beltex hogs from Ian Morris topped the sale at 398p/kg and 46.5kg Texels from Nigel Kinsey at 390p/kg.

As recent weeks, heavy hogs harder work than the hogs under 47kg. A top price of £191, again from Ian Morris, with quality of hogs under 40kg not as good as last week selling to 347p/kg for 39kg from Tom Richardson.

#### Top Prices p/kg

398p/kg	48.0kg	IGC Morris
390p/kg	46.5kg	N Kinsey
371p/kg	44.5kg	N Kinsey
366p/kg	44.0kg	LR Morgan & Son
360p/kg	44.5kg	R Swift & Son

#### Top Prices £/Head

£191.00	48.0kg	IGC Morris
£181.40	46.5kg	N Kinsey
£172.75	50.5kg	IGC Morris
£166.50	46.5kg	N Kinsey
£165.10	44.5kg	N Kinsey

### 400 EWES

**Auctioneer – Ollie Clack 07891 343673**

Ewes get dearer every week. A market average of £172 with a pen of five Texel type ewes selling to £292, Suffolk ewes to £268, Charollais x Suffolks to £278 and North Country Mules to £202.

Large, plainer ewes to £175 with 45 percent of the ewes £200 and above.

Smaller hill ewes a supersonic trade with Welsh £120, Small Cheviot £145 and very small Welsh £66.

Rams to £198 and £196.

**More ewes urgently required for next week please.**

#### Top Prices £/Head

£292	Texel	C Lloyd
£288	Texel	AG Kirton & Son
£280	Texel	C Lloyd
£278	Ch x Suf	Cox Farming
£268	S x M	C Lloyd
£260	Texel	AG Kirton & Son
£258	Dorset	C Lloyd

### 168 SPRING LAMBS

**Auctioneer – Martin Clack 07977 067519**

An average of just shy of 400p/kg with more lambs and definitely more customers looking to buy lamb.

Andrew Preece's lambs topped the sale at 428p/kg for 39kg Texels. Heavier lambs to 410p/kg and £180.40 from Pete Kirton.

Lambs with shape and cover are easily sold with 10 customers purchasing lambs in Bridgnorth.

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428p/kg	39.0kg	AW Preece
410p/kg	39.0kg	AG Kirton & Son
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408p/kg	43.0kg	AG Kirton & Son

#### Top Prices £/Head

£180.40	44.0kg	AG Kirton & Son
£175.50	43.0kg	AG Kirton & Son
£168.10	41.0kg	AG Kirton & Son
£167.00	39.0kg	AW Preece
£162.50	42.5kg	P Lawley
£162.50	42.5kg	MM Rushbrooke

### IMPORTANT NOTICE TO ALL SHEEP VENDORS:

- Please ensure all sheep are tagged in the approved manner before arrival at the livestock auction
- Lambs or unsound sheep will NOT be accepted and are deemed to be unfit for transport
- All sheep presented in Bridgnorth are deemed to be fit for human consumption, free from imperfections and have completed any veterinary medicine withdrawal

#### **WASHING OUT VEHICLES/TRAILERS**

**Please note that you MUST WASH OUT your vehicle/trailer after unloading at this market**

**IF YOU DO NOT WASH OUT your vehicle you MUST fill out an "Undertaking to Cleanse and Disinfect Vehicle" FMAW27 Form, available from the Market Office**





Our next Store Sale will be the  
**ANNUAL MAYFAIR STORE SALE**

*Prize Show & Sale of Store Cattle, Cows & Calves,  
Calves & Weanlings and Ewes & Lambs*

**FRIDAY 2<sup>nd</sup> MAY 2025**

Entries are invited for the catalogue  
under the following categories:

- Class 1** Best Cow and 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)

**PRIZES**

Winner of each Class - Rosette and £30 in Prize Money  
Overall winner of Classes 2, 3 and 4 will receive the  
***Mayfair Cup***

**ENTRIES FOR THE CATALOGUE CLOSE  
THIS FRIDAY 25<sup>th</sup> APRIL 2025 AT 12.00 NOON**

Entry forms from the market office or  
via our website  
Late entries accepted

Good entries essential and sharp trade anticipated.  
Last year 350 store cattle and  
700 store/breeding sheep sold at this sale

**Contact**

Mark Burgoyne 07831 192603 for cattle  
and Martin Clack 07977 067519 or  
Ollie Clack 07891 343673 for sheep

**FOR SALE – STOCK BULL**

**3yo PEDIGREE CHAROLAIS STOCK BULL**

Good Quality. TB & BVD Free  
Picture to follow on Facebook

Contact Mark Burgoyne - 07831 192603

**WANTED - LAND**

40+ acres for growing fodder beet or maize  
within a 20-mile radius of Bridgnorth  
Contact Mark Burgoyne - 07831 192603

**WANTED - MARKET DROVERS**

Required to help on a Tuesday at our  
**Bridgnorth Livestock Market**

Contact Martin Clack on 07977 067519 or  
Mark Burgoyne on 07831 192603

**FARM DISPERSAL SALE at SY5 0AR**

**Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> May 2025 at 10.30am**

**(What3words – hang.leafing.sometimes)**

An interesting collection of machinery, farm equipment, building  
materials, seasoned wood, woodworking tools and bygones from  
this genuine dispersal sale - items pictured below





Further items included in the Farm Dispersal Sale on Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> May – to be held at Asterley Mill, Asterley, SY5 0AR (What3words: hang.leafing.sometimes)  
The catalogue will be available on-line and on Facebook



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**LAND FOR SALE  
PASTURE AT HIGH HOUSE LANE,  
ALBRIGHTON, WV7 3JL**

**4.14 acres Pasture Land & Buildings**

- Level pasture with mains water, roadside access
- Two field shelters, hard-standing parking

**For Sale by Private Treaty  
Offers in Region of £100,000**

**HOUSE FOR SALE  
24 MONTROSE PLACE, SHREWSBURY, SY3 5EN**

**A superb opportunity to acquire a one-bedroom  
studio apartment**

- Kitchen with appliances, refitted shower room
- Gas boiler, double glazed throughout
- Selling with sitting tenant

**For Sale by Private Treaty  
Guide Price £59,500**

**LAND FOR SALE  
40.18 ACRES LAND & WOODLAND,  
CANTREYN BANK, BRIDGNORTH, WV16 4SH**

**An excellent opportunity to acquire a block of  
productive and versatile arable land & woodland**

- 40.18ac (16.26 ha) in total - 35.54ac (14.38 ha) arable land and 4.64ac (1.88 ha) woodland
- Gently sloping topography and excellent access

**For Sale by Private Treaty  
Guide Price £495,000**

**PARK HOME FOR SALE  
No.2 KNOWLE SANDS, HIGHLEY ROAD  
BRIDGNORTH, WV16 5JL**

**An exciting opportunity to acquire a park home  
on an established residential estate**

- Three-bedroom park home with well-appointed kitchen, secluded garden and parking for two cars
- Secluded garden has far-reaching views over the Severn Valley and within walking distance of Town

**For Sale by Private Treaty  
Offers in Excess of £180,000**

**LAND FOR SALE  
LAKE BRIDGE STABLES, KINNERSLEY,  
HEREFORDSHIRE, HR3 6QD**

**7.89 acres Pasture Land & Buildings**

- Level pasture with mains water, roadside access, wildlife pond
- Stable block, shed and field shelters

**For Sale by Private Treaty  
Guide Price £250,000**

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### SFI Announcement

On the 11<sup>th</sup> March 2025 the Rural Payments Agency announced that the Sustainable Farming Incentive scheme was closed for new applications with immediate effect. Those with existing SFI schemes will not be affected, and those with applications already submitted should still be offered an agreement, however going forward no new applications can be submitted. A reformed SFI scheme is set to be announced in the summer, but at this stage we are unsure of the exact timing or form of the scheme, but will keep you informed.



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and rural businesses**

The end of some grant schemes, combined interest rates rising so quickly and the unprecedented levels of volatility in both commodity prices and input costs, means that forecasting future cashflow is perhaps more difficult than at any other point in recent memory - something which is clearly at the forefront of many farmers' minds. Such uncertainty is leading to many businesses consolidating by using any surplus cash to reduce debt, rather than investing for the future.

For those who do not have the means for debt reduction or are looking to align themselves to take advantage of whatever opportunities emerge from such uncertainty, now may be an appropriate time to review the structure of existing long-term finances to ensure that the business is more resilient, whatever the future may hold. When considering finance in such a way the rule of thumb is always the same, to borrow over as long as possible (to minimise monthly outgoings) and then to repay as quickly as possible (to minimise the total interest paid to the lender).

AMC can support with the following areas: Buying land; new buildings; restructuring borrowing; paying out a retiring partner; building improvements; purchasing machinery; renewable energy projects; sustainability improvements or diversification. Amounts can be from £25,001 or more and long-term lending from 5 to 30 years, with interest only or repayment options on a variable or fixed rate basis

**For more information in full confidence, telephone  
Rob McCabe, the AMC Agent at Bridgnorth**

### ANTIQUES & COLLECTABLES AUCTIONS

The next Furniture/Antiques Sale will be held on

**Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> May 2025**

**Sale starts at 10.00am**

The auction will be held on-line at [www.easyliveauction.com](http://www.easyliveauction.com) or attend in person at the Sale Room in Tasley, Bridgnorth

**Viewing days:**

**Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> May and Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> May  
9.00am – 4.00pm**

Sales are catalogued and published on [easyliveauction.com](http://easyliveauction.com) on the Friday before each sale. Bidding is either on Easylive or in person in the saleroom. See our Facebook page - **Nock Deighton Antique & Collectable Auctions**, which shows a selection of forthcoming lots, information on collection and viewing dates and times.

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**Items which sold in recent sales – similar items  
required**

