

BRIDGNORTH LIVESTOCK MARKET

WEEKLY REPORT – 25.03.25



57 PRIME CATTLE

Auctioneer – Mark Burgoyne 07831 192603

Despite last week's impressive trade fewer cattle were penned and a very sharp trade resulted, with cattle selling off the clock! There were some very well finished cattle forward, with meat and shape in strong demand.

A small sample of steers sold to a high of 450p/kg, with heavier sorts to £2863.

Some great heifers forward saw a top of 471p/kg with heavy females to £3064 in the lump.

Very short of bulls which sold accordingly to 410p/kg for heavies or £3354 in the lump.

50 CLEAN CATTLE

7 STEERS SOLD TO OV AV 401P/KG

Limousins and Blondes from Harvey Parkes excelled here at 450p/kg for 618kg and 432p/kg for 586kg respectively. Mrs B's 570kg Limmie split them at 442kg. Hereford steers from Roger Rowson sold to a flier at 393p/kg for 670kg with Maisie Kinsey selling to £2863.80 for 774kg.

43 HEIFERS SOLD TO OV AV 408P/KG

A blistering trade saw a market topping 471p/kg for 566kg Limousin from Evan Watkins with his second to 460p/kg for 590kg.

A grey Limmie from Mrs B sold to 470p/kg for 652kg to stack up nicely at £3064.40. Evans Curdale sold his best of four to 460p/kg for 528kg with Roger Jordin and Dave Jones both selling to 450p/kg.

7 BULLS SOLD TO OV AV 383P/KG

A run of red Angus from Mrs B kept everybody on their toes selling to 410p/kg for 818kg (£3353.20) and 405p/kg for 702kg. Other Angus crosses sold to 385p/kg from Dave Preece at 758kg (£2918.30).

MORE BULLS URGENTLY REQUIRED NEXT WEEK

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

450p/kg	£2781	618kg	21m	LIMx	EP Parkes & Son
442p/kg	£2519	570kg	18m	LIMx	C Burgoyne
432p/kg	£2531	586kg	22m	BAX	EP Parkes & Son

393p/kg	£2633	670kg	22m	HEX	CPB Rowson
374p/kg	£2655	710kg	19m	HEX	CPB Rowson
370p/kg	£2863	774kg	29m	HEX	M Kinsey

HEIFERS P/KG AND £/HEAD

471p/kg	£2665	566kg	21m	LIMx	E Watkin
470p/kg	£3064	652kg	23m	LIMx	C Burgoyne
460p/kg	£2714	590kg	23m	LIMx	E Watkin
460p/kg	£2428	528kg	23m	LIMx	RC Evans Curdale
450p/kg	£2403	534kg	22m	BRB	W Jordin & Son
450p/kg	£2394	532kg	29m	LIMx	DO Jones Ltd
448p/kg	£2876	642kg	18m	LIMx	RC Evans Curdale
446p/kg	£2345	526kg	21m	LIMx	EJP & MM Thomas
445p/kg	£2367	532kg	21m	LIMx	RC Evans Curdale
444p/kg	£2415	544kg	21m	BAX	W Jordin & Son
440p/kg	£2164	492kg	21m	LIMx	EJP & MM Thomas
432p/kg	£2185	506kg	14m	LIMx	W Jordin & Son
430p/kg	£2141	498kg	21m	LIMx	EJP & MM Thomas
428p/kg	£2148	502kg	19m	LIMx	W Jordin & Son
422p/kg	£2211	524kg	22m	LIMx	RC Evans Curdale
420p/kg	£2184	520kg	23m	BRB	C Burgoyne
420p/kg	£2444	582kg	23m	LIMx	A Preece & Son
420p/kg	£2276	542kg	21m	LIMx	EP Parkes & Sons

BULLS P/KG AND £/HEAD

410p/kg	£3353	818kg	16m	AAx	C Burgoyne
405p/kg	£2843	702kg	20m	AAx	C Burgoyne
392p/kg	£3261	832kg	22m	AAx	C Burgoyne
392p/kg	£2634	672kg	22m	AAx	C Burgoyne
385p/kg	£2918	758kg	23m	AAx	A Preece & Son

Top Price Heifer 471p/kg (£2665) from E Watkin



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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

2214 HOGGS

Auctioneer – Martin Clack 07977 067519

One of the largest entries of hoggs for some weeks averaging 357p/kg with a very brisk trade from start to finish – handy weights an exceptional trade with several pens over 400p/kg to a top of 420p/kg for 45.5kg from Cowley Knowle Farms.

Hoggs under 40kg attracting the most interest with some quite ordinary but very good meated hoggs selling to 380p/kg.

Once again, the optimum weights 46kg benefitting from weight and also attracting higher prices per kilo. Meated Continental hoggs all trading 385p/kg to 420p/kg with the better sorts £175 to £190.

Hoggs over 50kg although less per kilo, possibly a little dearer at 54.5kg to 318p/kg from Richard Morgan, generally 310p/kg to 318p/kg.

Top Prices p/kg

420p/kg	45.5kg	Cowley Knowle Farms
412p/kg	46.0kg	R Needs & Son
402p/kg	43.0kg	IGC Morris
400p/kg	44.0kg	N Kinsey
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399p/kg	45.5kg	P Levi
398p/kg	46.5kg	R Swift & Sons

Top Prices £/Head

£191.10	45.5kg	Cowley Knowle Farms
£189.50	46.0kg	RD Needs & Son
£189.00	63.0kg	AG Kirton & Son
£188.60	65.5kg	S Moss
£185.00	46.0kg	R Swift & Sons

33 SPRING LAMBS

Auctioneer – Martin Clack 07977 067519

The first lambs of the season averaging 412p/kg and £178, selling to 420p/kg and £183.60

Top Prices p/kg

420p/kg	37.5kg	Shipley Grange Farm
420p/kg	38.0kg	S Pennington
415p/kg	43.0kg	S Pennington
408p/kg	45.0kg	S Pennington

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**

509 EWES

Auctioneer – Ollie Clack 07891 343673

More ewes averaging £175 per head to £310 for Texel ewes from Peter Kirton, Suffolks to £236 and North Country Mules to £196.

Ewes of all grades – fat, thin, heavy, light, big or small are in demand – even if we penned some ‘pink’ ones they would still sell.

Pen after pen over £200, in fact ewes £190 to £210 would not have been very big. Cheviot ewes to £190 and Welsh just on the £100 mark. Quite narrow Lleys at £165.

Rams sold to £195 for a Teeswater and £178 for Lleys

Top Prices £/Head

£310	Texel	AG Kirton & Son
£258	Texel	RD Needs & Son
£255	Texel	AG Kirton & Son
£248	Texel	A Oliver
£238	Texel	S Pennington
£236	Suffolk x Mules	RD Needs & Son
£235	Cheviot x Mule	S Pennington

**More ewes required every week
contact Ollie Clack on 07891 343673**

Cull ewes £310 from Peter Kirton



IMPORTANT NOTICE TO ALL SHEEP VENDORS:

- Please ensure all sheep are tagged in the approved manner before arrival at the livestock auction
- Lamé 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

NEXT STORE SALE FRIDAY 4th APRIL 2025

Catalogue entries for this sale to Martin/Ollie for Sheep
and Mark for Cattle by

Monday 31st March 2025

Sheep sale starts 11.00am / Cattle sale starts 12.00 noon

Cattle absolutely on fire at the last sale, with buyer
demand set to continue – let us know your catalogue
entries to catch the trade

In-lamb ewes and couples in strong demand also

Contact

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

WANTED - MARKET DROVERS

**Required to help on a Tuesday at our
Bridgnorth Livestock Market
If this sounds of interest to you**

**contact Mark Burgoyne on 07831 192603 or
Ollie Clack on 07891 343673**

STORE SALE REPORT – 21st March 2025

136 Store Cattle – Auctioneer Mark Burgoyne

Store cattle continue to create much interest and a total clearance resulted today. Mainly dairy bred and smaller types were forward today, with several bunches ideal for turnout time when it comes! British Blue x steers from Will Westwood sold to £1660 at 19 months, with harder, hairier Hereford steers to 426p/kg from Mr England (236kg @ £1000).

Simmental heifers 12 months old excelled at £2080, again from Mr England or 416p/kg. 270kg 12 Hereford bulls from Alex Mullard sold to £1070 or 396p/kg.

Good entries essential as grass time draws near for our next sale on Friday 4th April 2025.

Steers - Top Prices Per Head & p/kg

£1660	357p/kg	465kg	19m	BRB	W Westwood
£1600	347p/kg	460kg	17m	HEX	W Westwood
£1500	348p/kg	430kg	17m	HEX	W Westwood
£1430	357p/kg	400kg	16m	HEX	W Westwood
£1420	315p/kg	450kg	23m	AU	SD Pennington
£1340	402p/kg	333kg	18m	HEX	P Taylor
£1320	419p/kg	315kg	16m	HEX	P Taylor
£1290	416p/kg	310kg	18m	CHx	JR & J Birch
£1260	425p/kg	296kg	19m	HEX	P Taylor
£1170	354p/kg	330kg	23m	SDx	P Taylor
£1000	423p/kg	236kg	14m	HEX	P Taylor
£900	409p/kg	220kg	10m	AAx	P Taylor
£700	368p/kg	190kg	9m	HEX	J&J Beaman
£590	406p/kg	145kg	12m	AAx	P Taylor

Heifers - Top Prices Per Head & p/kg

£2080	416p/kg	500kg	12m	SMx	P Taylor
£1770	361p/kg	490kg	18m	HEX	W Westwood
£1690	371p/kg	455kg	17m	BRB	BM Pugh
£1600	329p/kg	485kg	19m	BRB	W Westwood
£1480	344p/kg	430kg	22m	HEX	SD Pennington
£1420	350p/kg	405kg	24m	BRW	SD Pennington
£1400	345p/kg	405kg	18m	BRB	BM Pugh
£1370	342p/kg	400kg	19m	BRB	W Westwood
£1350	329p/kg	410kg	17m	BRB	BM Pugh
£1340	343p/kg	390kg	21m	SMx	P Taylor
£1340	362p/kg	370kg	18m	BRB	BM Pugh
£1300	337p/kg	385kg	19m	HEX	EB Mullard & Son
£1300	402p/kg	323kg	17m	AAx	P Taylor
£1300	329p/kg	395kg	21m	HEX	EB Mullard & Son
£1100	360p/kg	305kg	17m	BRB	JR & J Birch
£1100	349p/kg	315kg	19m	HEX	EB Mullard & Son
£1080	357p/kg	302kg	18m	BRB	GJ Carter
£1020	392p/kg	260kg	10m	SMx	P Taylor
£980	343p/kg	285kg	13m	AAx	HA Bunning

Heifers - Top Prices Per Head & p/kg

£1160	331p/kg	350kg	12m	HEX	EB Mullard & Son
£1090	382p/kg	285kg	10m	HEX	EB Mullard & Son
£1070	396p/kg	270kg	13m	HEX	EB Mullard & Son
£1060	378p/kg	280kg	10m	HEX	EB Mullard & Son

Store Sheep – Auctioneer Ollie Clack

Store hogs now getting hard to find but easier to place! Just shy of 100 penned, selling to highs of £151 from Vallets Farm for Texel x hogs. Plenty of hogs trading over £130 with smaller running hogs £90 to £100.

Another dispersal of 180 in-lamb Lleys forward, all scanned singles, sold to £188 on multiple occasions and £185 for the strongest ewes. Plenty of in-lambers trading £150 to £160 for flock-aged ewes.

A better entry of couples this week with 60 ewes and their lambs penned. Couple trade very strong currently, with plenty of demand, especially for ewes with stronger lambs. Couples sold to £128 a life for Texel cross ewes with their lambs at foot.



SFI Announcement

On the 11th 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 re-formed 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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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).

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Rob McCabe, the AMC Agent based at Bridgnorth,
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To be held at Bridgnorth on

SATURDAY 5th APRIL 2025

Entries now invited – all entries for the catalogue
by **FRIDAY 28th MARCH** please

Entry form from the market office, on-line or
email: reception@nockdeighton.co.uk

Contact: Dylan Ward 07415 815266



ANTIQUES & COLLECTABLES AUCTIONS

The next Furniture/Antiques Sale will be held on

Wednesday 2nd April 2025

Sale starts at 10.00am


The auction will be held on-line at

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Viewing days:

Monday 31st March & Tuesday 1st April

9.00am – 4.00pm

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