



The Charolais Pavilion,
Avenue M,
Stoneleigh Park, Kenilworth,
Warwickshire, CV8 2RG
t: 024 76 697731
f: 024 76 697776
www.rugbyfarmersmart.com
Holding No. 43-139-8013

Office Hours: Monday to Friday – 9.00am to 5.00pm
Opening Time: Gates open at 5.30am until further notice

Market Reports For Monday 22nd April 2019

Market At A Glance

Prime Steers to 206p/kg & £1411
Prime Heifers to 215p/kg & £1294
Prime Bulls to 150p/kg & £900
OTM Cattle 153p/kg & £1022
Prime Hogg SQQ 238p/kg (1636)
Prime Hoggs to 293p/kg & £129
Spring Lamb SQQ 269p/kg (124)
Spring Lambs to 285p/kg & £113
Ewes to £111 (471 Avg £82)

Friday 26th April

April Fair including Show & Sale of Store Cattle
11:30am with Morning Sale of Ewes with Lambs at Foot
10:00am

Catalogues & Entry Forms available by post, email or on the website
www.rugbyfarmersmart.com ~ admin@rugbyfarmersmart.com

CATTLE: 58 Forward

PRIME CATTLE: 58 HEAD

A good entry number-wise, which mainly consisted of dairy bred cattle was offered to a full company of buyers, with several men present, who's regular markets were closed. All buyers wanted cattle regardless of breed, sex, weight and stood there corner to get them. Trade taking quality into account would be 3-5p dearer on the week.

STEERS:14 HEAD

An excellent entry for meat but several been dairy bred lacked conformation but no matter, buyers for everything, trade on fire and numbers woefully short of buyers needs. Messrs Baylis topped the section at 206p for heavyweight's. Messrs Trice opened their account for the season selling home-bred dairy steers also to 206p for a Blue, other steers sold to 205p for a Limousin from Town Farm. Heavyweight's sold to £1411.20 from Messrs Trice for a Blue.

HEIFERS:19 HEAD

As ever the bulk of the entry, buyers in all corners of the ring wanting them and an excellent trade ensued. Taking top price in the section and sale was a superb Blue Heifer from Simon Darker which realised 215p followed at 203p from Messrs Burton. The trade of the day was for the commercial heifers which would easily be 5p dearer on the week, with plenty of native breeds 185-195p. Top price per head was £1294.30 from Simon Darker, with others to £1176.09 from Messrs Trice for dairy bred Blues.

Overage and OTM's:7 HEAD

2 extra buyers at ringside, trade on fire. Rob Evans topped the sale with a young Simmental cow at 153p followed by sisters at 129p. Others sold to 121p for red and white's from Messrs Barber, with others 116p from Tommy Williams, the overall average being 121.5p Top price per head was £1022.04 from Messrs Evans, Wroxall. As demand at ringside grows for OTM's with 6 active bidders operating more cattle are needed to supply demand.

Auctioneer: Craig Thompson

STEERS & BULLS:			
Top prices per head			
British Blue	720kg	£1411	D & E Trice
Limousin x	698kg	£1333	J B Baylis & Partners
Limousin x	688kg	£1307	M Cheney
Hereford	762kg	£1295	G Ratcliffe
Limousin x	621kg	£1273	J B Baylis & Partners
Top prices per kilo			
Limousin x	576kg	206ppk	J B Baylis & Partners
British Blue	615kg	207ppk	D & E Trice
Blonde	621kg	205ppk	J B Baylis & Partners
Aberdeen Angus	526kg	203ppk	S J Darker
British Blue	592kg	201ppk	D & E Trice

HEIFERS:			
Top prices per head			
British Blue	602kg	£1294	S J Darker
British Blue	591kg	£1176	D & E Trice
Blonde	623kg	£1171	M Cheney
British Blue	588kg	£1164	D & E Trice
Holstein	602kg	£1150	M Cheney
Top prices per kilo			
British Blue	602kg	215ppk	S J Darker
Limousin x	539kg	203ppk	J L & L Burton
Limousin x	506kg	199ppk	AJ Bickford
British Blue	591kg	199ppk	D & E Trice
British Blue	588kg	198ppk	D & E Trice

This Monday
 80 Calves entered so far
 Hereford, Angus, Limousin, Blue, Red poll & Black & Whites

SHEEP:2339

Prime Hogs: 1636 Forward SQQ 238p/kg

A number reduced by the fact it was a Bank Holiday but still a yarding of 1700 with plenty travelling from away today. A blistering trade for a poor yarding of quality with Hogs 52kg and under on fire. Whilst those heavier worth less and less for each extra kilo they weigh past 52kg. An SQQ of 238p/kg with Euro spec Hogs simply flying topping at 293p/kg for Beltex at 37.5kg from Laban Partners, Lutterworth ahead of 277p/kg from BJ & IS Wain at 277p/kg for 45.5kg. Messrs Laban also 273p/kg at 45kg and N Sheppard, Stratford Upon Avon 39kg to 272p/kg . In the heavies Hopcraft Bros top at 236p/kg for 46kg with R J Osborn & Son 46kg at 236p/kg and Laban Partners, 55kg to 235p/kg. In the lump Euro Hogs really starting to add up selling to £126 for 45.5kg from BJ & IS Wain with Messrs Laban Partners taking £123 and others at the same weight 45kg £116. Overall Laban Partners reign Supreme selling to £129 for 55kg with J Wallington £117.50 at 50.5kg with 50kg to £116 . Hogs today likely a flash in the pan trade responding to shortage of numbers but export Hogs likely to stay strong with finish well rewarded. Heavy Hogs well over supplied and at the current time a very hard sell.

Auctioneer: Tom Wrench

WARNING

IT IS ILLEGAL TO TRANSPORT SHEEP IN THE LAST 10% OF THE EXPECTED PREGNANCY. THIS IS NORMALLY 15 DAYS FROM LAMBING.

PLEASE INSPECT YOUR SHEEP PRIOR TO LOADING TO ENSURE COMPLIANCE WITH THE TRANSPORT LEGISLATION



For more information please contact your local Trading Standards / Local Authority

Prime Hogs: SQQ 238p/kg) under 45.5kg			
Per kilo			
Texel x	37.50kg	293ppk	Laban Partners
Beltex x	45.50kg	277ppk	BJ & IS Wain
Beltex x	45.00kg	273ppk	Laban Partners
Charollais x	39.00kg	272ppk	N Sheppard
Charollais x	25.50kg	267ppk	N D Chantry

Per HEAD			
Beltex x	45.50kg	£126.00	BJ & IS Wain
Beltex x	45.00kg	£123.00	Laban Partners
Beltex x	45.00kg	£116.00	Laban Partners
Texel x	37.50kg	£110.00	Laban Partners
Charolais x	39.00kg	£106.00	N Sheppard

Prime Hogs: OVER 45.5kg			
Per kilo			
Texel x	46.00kg	236ppk	Hopcraft Bros
Charollais x	46.00kg	236ppk	R J Osborn & Son
Beltex x	55.00kg	235ppk	Laban Partners
Texel x	50.50kg	233ppk	J Wallington
Beltex x	50.00kg	232ppk	B Nichols

Per HEAD			
Beltex x	55.00kg	£129.00	Laban Partners
Texel x	50.50kg	£126.00	J Wallington
Beltex x	50.00kg	£123.00	B Nichols
Texel x	53.00kg	£117.50	J Wallington
Charollais x	50.00kg	£116.00	A V Boffey

Saturday 4th May South Devon Sale

Run by Kivells in the RFM Market

104 South Devon Cattle Inc:

13 pedigree bulls

53 heifers & 6 calves

2 primestock

2 commercials & 2 calves

Plus Dispersal of the Cross Tree herd:

10 cows & 10 calves

5 heifers

1 bull



Spring Lambs: 124 Forward

Numbers steady and still either shed reared or some runs of best lambs farmers draw of singles. An SQQ of 269p/kg representing a lifted trade responding to a shortage of markets on the day. Top today 34kg from C Cummins 285p/kg equal with 39kg RDG Taylor equal money whilst Pete Jarrom just behind at 283p/kg for 38.5kg. In the lump a top of £113 from George Eaton for 42.5kg with David Dashwood £111 and RDG Taylor £111 for 39kg. No one really switched over to main line Springer sales yet.

Auctioneer: Tom Wrench

Spring Lambs : SQQ 269p/kg			
Per kilo			
Charollais x	34.00kg	285ppk	C Cummins & Son
Charollais x	39.00kg	285ppk	R D G Taylor
Charollais x	38.50kg	283ppk	P M Jarrom
Per HEAD			
Charollais x	42.50kg	£113.00	G S Eaton
Charollais x	42.50kg	£111.00	D Dashwood
Charollais x	39.00kg	£111.00	R D G Taylor

Monday 6th May R Taylor will be selling 2 Ewes to be sold in aid of Air Ambulance

Store Hogs: 108 Forward

Unbelievable really that in April we are still seeing this quantity of stores forward. Trade simply electric for the goods on offer. Top today from HN & SE Staines, selling Charollais x to £80, with A Colinswood selling Suffolk x to £79. Short keep hogs all over £75 and in short supply with mid-term £65-£70. Long term over £50 with only the bent or rare breed under that.

Ewes and Lambs

A neat show of ewes and lambs topping at £80 per life for Charollais Double Theaves with Singles from SR Webb.

Auctioneer: Martin Lloyd

Sale of ewes and lambs this Friday with approximately 600 lives entered 10am

Cull Ewes:471 Forward

Ewes a good shot again today with another fresh account opening up. Top today from Wiltshire traveler HJ Rivers selling Charollais x to £111, with GL Woodard selling Rams to £110, equal with Rams from MJ Woodward. J Miller sold Crossbreds to £109, with Pete Jarrom close behind at £108. Top Suffolk x today from BJ & IS Wain selling to £103 with the top Mules from S Horton, Amersham selling to £107 for an absolute monster of a sheep. Ewes today averaging £81.94 all in for the good, the bad and the indifferent including the lower value Teeth up Hogs.

Auctioneer: Tom Wrench

Charollais x	£111	HJ Rivers	Mule x	£107	S Horton
Charollais x	110	G L Woodard	Texel x	£105	P J Incley
Charollais x	£110	M J Woodward	X Bred	£105	C Cummins & Son
X Bred	£109	J Miller	X Bred	£104	Laban Partners
X Bred	£108	P M Jarrom	Suffolk x	£103	BK & IS Wain

Wanted

Working Sheepdog (bitch preferably)
Call Roger: 07970382952

Wanted

Sheep & Cattle Grazing
Call 07760266701

For Sale

7 1/2 Tonne Iveco Cattle wagon 51 Plate
Hydraulic tail ramp & Slam Shut Cattle Doors
Call J Clarke: 07890265460

For Sale

Parmiter Grass Harrows, Fully Mounted
£500+VAT Call 07767727648

PETER G SMITH

Soil Nutrient Systems Ltd

All fertiliser grades supplied and spread

- Aglime
- Fibrophos P+K
- Basic Slag



07710 145445

**Accountants & Tax Advisers
supporting agricultural
businesses for over 60 years**



www.sfb.group

03333 444 171

peter.white@sfb.group

jenny.simpson@sfb.group

Farm Insurance Specialists

Call 01865 844994

Visit www.county-insurance.co.uk



**County
Insurance
Services**

County Insurance Services, County Insurance Group, Limited
Farm Insurance, 25, Victoria Road, County Insurance Services, a
subsidiary of County Insurance Group, Company No. 1144072

Warwickshire YFC Up and Coming Dates 2019....

Stock-judging Day – **27th April 2019** – with kind permission of the
Harris Family in Long Lawford.

WFYFC County Rally Day and Party – **11th May 2019** - with kind
permission of Mr J Clarke & Family at Grandborough.

Kenilworth Show - **8th June 2019** - WMA Area Final of NFYFC Fencing
Competition and stall at the show- come and see us!

Football League Competition – **12th June 2019** – Lawrence Sheriff
School pitches, Hartfield, CV21 3TR- £10 a team to enter

Past and Present Party – **29th June 2019** – Save the date! Tickets will
be on sale soon!

~~~~~

### Other ways of supporting Warwickshire YFC....

\*\*\*100 club - please speak to Angela Woolliscroft or email the  
office for more details\*\*\*

\*\*\*Charity donations towards Warwickshire YFC\*\*\*

[https://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/warwickshire-  
yfc?utm\\_term=ngd2kG26K](https://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/warwickshire-yfc?utm_term=ngd2kG26K)

*We are looking for further support for Warwickshire YFC to ensure  
it continues for many years to come. For more details, please email  
[warksfyfc@gmail.com](mailto:warksfyfc@gmail.com) or [office@warks-fyfc.org.uk](mailto:office@warks-fyfc.org.uk)*

# Agricultural, Commercial & Domestic Fencing



For all your fencing needs.  
Post and Rails,  
Stock Fencing,  
Panel Fencing,  
Close board Fencing,  
HLS/ELS Fencing,  
Hedge Coppicing,  
Tree and Hedge planting,  
& Much More.

**Always happy to quote.**



For more information or to contact Tom on;  
01926 814731 or 07807 693858

[tom.reeve@aol.co.uk](mailto:tom.reeve@aol.co.uk)

Also for Slot seeding, (Pasture improvement).

Opico splitter for pasture de-compaction.

# T A R H I R E

## FOR HIRE

10 TON REAR DISCHARGE MUCKSPREADERS WITH SLURRY DOORS

12 TON TRAILERS WITH HYDRAULIC DOORS

## CONTRACT

MUCK SPREADING SERVICE

ADAPTABLE TO CUSTOMER NEEDS

**ROB DAWKINS (DAVENTRY) – 07801 791212**

**ALAN CRAWLEY (HINCKLEY) – 07802 951179**

**OFFICE – 01327 340367**



## Tree Surgery

We are based in the heart of England, providing a wide range of forestry and fencing services across the United Kingdom

## Stump Grinding

With a highly competent and qualified team and a variety of machinery and equipment, we can complete any task put forward to us

## Forestry/Site Clearance

From site clearance to estate maintenance, Shire Forestry and Fencing are the go to company

## Property & Land Maintenance

[www.shireforestry.co.uk](http://www.shireforestry.co.uk)

## Agricultural & Security Fencing

[info@shireforestry.co.uk](mailto:info@shireforestry.co.uk)

01327 262945

07584 112926



## **HARRIS & CLARKE**

### **CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS**

*...Specialising In Agriculture...*

**Our team of staff has many years of experience in dealing with the accountancy and taxation affairs of farmers, landowners and agricultural contractors**

**For further information or a free no obligation meeting please contact**

**John Harris**

7 Billing Road, Northampton, NN1 5AN  
Telephone 01604 622274  
[www.harrisandclarke.co.uk](http://www.harrisandclarke.co.uk)





THE FARMING COMMUNITY NETWORK

The Farming Community Network is a voluntary network of volunteers, many of whom are members of the farming community.

We provide confidential pastoral and practical support for as long as needed to help people find a positive way forward through their problems.

FCN HELPLINE 03000 111 999

e-helpline;chris@fcn.org.uk

CHAPLAIN TO RUGBY LIVESTOCK MARKET –

*Revd. Barbara Clutton, 01788 810372 or 07808 137550,*

*I'm around in the market most Mondays if needed, or just ring me if it's easier – I'm here to help with any farming or family issues.*

*Copies of "Fit For Farming" – men's health booklet are available at the market – please do take a copy.*

## **Goodmans Slaughterers Ltd**

Licensed Slaughterers  
Collectors of all Fallen Stock  
Registered with NFSCO  
Telephone:01789 740240  
Tom: 07966226141



**FINISHING CATTLE?  
GROWING CATTLE?  
FEEDING SHEEP?**

**DO YOU WANT  
HIGH PERFORMANCE  
COST EFFECTIVE  
FULLY ASSURED  
AND  
COMPLETE FEEDS?**

**THEN CONTACT  
BERRYSTOCK FEEDS**

TEL: 01788 890320  
E-MAIL: [john@berryfieldsfarm.co.uk](mailto:john@berryfieldsfarm.co.uk)  
[www.berrystockfeeds.co.uk](http://www.berrystockfeeds.co.uk)

**BERRYFIELDS FARM  
DAVENTRY  
NN11 8NP**

**Wanted**

Hay/straw ex farm  
1st or 2nd quality  
07799628955

**For Sale**

Barley Wheat Straw 90x120  
07930181497

**J HOPE SHEEP SERVICES**

Sheep Scanning, Crutching & Shepherding Services  
Call: 07707838709

**Agricultural Services available including Muck Spreading,  
Ploughing, Cultivation and much more!**

Call Will for more info: 07795632527

Always Happy To Help!

**For Sale**

Haybob 300 o.n.o + VAT  
Barby, Rugby  
Call Mr Mold 01788542334 or 07505904135





# WE COVER SMALL FARMS, LARGE FARMS AND EVERYTHING IN BETWEEN

**From sheep farmers to arable farmers.  
Flower growers to poultry farmers.**

We're proud to insure over 70% of UK farms with our Farm Select insurance. But we want more farms to benefit from our great cover and local service. That's why we've introduced Farm Essentials insurance - designed to meet the needs of smaller farms.

As your local agency, we are close by and can provide expert advice and hands-on support when you need it.

Call **Coventry Office**  
on **02476 444519**

NFU Mutual, 6 Eastwood Business Village,  
Harry Weston Road, Binley Business Park,  
Coventry, CV3 2UB



**NFU Mutual**  
INSURANCE | PENSIONS | INVESTMENTS

# Rugby Farmers Mart Ltd

## Forthcoming Sales 2019

### **Friday 26th April**

April Fair including Show & Sale of Store Cattle Plus  
Morning Sale of Ewes with Lambs at Foot

### **Friday 10th May**

Sale of Store Cattle

### **Saturday 18th May**

Annual Show & Sale of Beef Shorthorns & other  
Commercial Breeds as well as Smallholder Sale and Ewes  
with Lambs at Foot

*Find us on Social Media*



@rfm\_ltd



Instagram

*rugbyfarmersmartltd*

Vendors who are wishing to sell stock please feel  
free to contact:

**Tom Wrench - 07774 723758**

**Martin Lloyd - 07972 375351**

**Craig Thompson - 07901 787636**

**Steve Martin - 07960 085950**

who will gladly make  
**A FREE ON FARM VISIT & VALUATION**