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Market Reports For Monday 22nd May 2017

Market At A Glance

Prime Steers to 206p/kg & £1502
Prime Heifers to 249p/kg & £1426
Hogg SQQ 206.6p/kg (1333)
Hoggs to 225p/kg & £120
Spring Lamb SQQ 261p/kg (983)
Spring Lambs to 317p/kg & £132
Cull Ewes to £130 (821 Avg £83)
Calves to £400
Store Cattle to £1245

**NEXT WEEKS MARKET OPEN AS USUAL
BUT NO FAT CATTLE**

Monday 5th June Sale of Store Cattle

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CATTLE:172

Prime Cattle: 35 Forward

Numbers shy again and Cattle either nice sorts or in the alternative rangey heavy Stores.

In the Steers a top of 206p/kg for a Limousin from Shepperton Plant on the rich side of finish ahead of 205p/kg for S Webster x 2. Top Gross though benefiting from full weight for J Baylis & Partners to £1502.

Heifers heavily contested and won by Shepperton Plant to top at 249p/kg ahead of Parry Walters at 247p/kg and 242p/kg. Top gross though again with weight for a Charolais at 676kg from Padray Farms, Thrapston to take £1427.

Cattle trade perhaps harder today with buyers again returning to report cheaper alternatives and poor killing percentages. Please present cattle empty and as early as possible

Bulls

A smart Bull trade for the quality on offer saw Heart of England to 193p/kg ahead of JHB Hart at 191p/kg. Top gross to a Black and White at £1177 for G Ratcliffe.

Auctioneer: Tom Wrench

STEERS & BULLS: 23			
Top prices per head			
Limousin x	825kg	£1502	J B Baylis & Partners
Limousin x	797kg	£1435	J B Baylis & Partners
Limousin x	780kg	£1420	J B Basylis & Partners
Aberdeen Angus	680kg	£1374	S Webster
limousin x	611kg	£1259	Shepperton Plant Ltd
Top prices per kilo			
Limousin x	611kg	206p/kg	Shepperton Plant Ltd
Aberdeen Angus	589kg	205p/kg	S Webster
Aberdeen Angus	680kg	202p/kg	S Webster
Limousin x (Bull)	556kg	193p/kg	Heart of England Farms
Simmental	602kg	191p/kg	J A Longford

HEIFERS: 12			
Top prices per head			
Charolais x	676kg	£1426	Padray Farms
Limousin x	598kg	£1346	Padray Farms
Limousin x	531kg	£1322	Shepperton Plant Ltd
Limousin x	533kg	£1317	DTP & PA Walters
Blonde	650kg	£1300	P S Steels
Top prices per kilo			
Limousin x	531kg	249p/kg	Shepperton Plant Ltd
Limousin x	533kg	247p/kg	DTP & PA Walters
Limousin x	502kg	242p/kg	DTP & PA Walters
Limousin	525kg	236p/kg	DTP & PA Walters
Limousin x	598kg	225p/kg	Padray Farms

COWS: 11 Forward

Again a smart trade to top at 149p/kg for a Blonde from Jasper Hart for a Grade 2, whilst Messrs Tivey 139 and 131p/kg. Top Gross £1110 to Hillside Farm

Auctioneer: Tom Wrench

CALVES: 2 Forward

Just the 2 calves forward today and customers all around the ring for them. Top today a cracking Simmental x bull calf from Steve Hill to reach £400 at 22 days. Angus x named sire heifers to £150 from R&NJ Bryson at 19 days.

Auctioneer: Martin Lloyd

Next Week
A 6 month British Blue x Heifer, weaning

SHEEP: 3388

Spring Lambs: 983 Forward SQQ 261p/kg

Just shy of a 1000 met a barnstorming trade with buyers all seemingly desperate for numbers today to leave an SQQ of 261p/kg. Lambs of all weights heavily contested but light weights again a real show stopper. In the Euro section today a top ppk of 317p/kg for S Wise Texels at 41kg ahead of SM & JM Lambert at 315p/kg for 37.5kg and S Wise again 314p/kg for 39.5kg with Frank Badger also 305 and 308p/kg for 37kg and 38kg. In the heavies a top of 259p/kg for 51kg from FJ Tombs & Son with others from the same good farm 48.5kg to 254p/kg whilst J & BD Tustian 47kg to 253p/kg. In the gross, high percenting lightweight lambs topped at £130 for 41kg from S Wise whilst 44kg from P F Edwards £125. Stuart Wise 39.5kg to £124 and Merrick and Julie Pinny 41kg to £121. Heavies in much greater demand than has been seen in past weeks. Top today £132 to FJ Tombs at 51kg and £128 at 52kg whilst Eddie Hudspith, Cheltenham took £124 at 54.5kg.

A day to record in the diaries but a result of pure Supply and Demand factors only. Customers all around and the Market ring doing its thing.

Auctioneer: Tom Wrench

Spring Lamb: SQQ 260.71(p/kg) UNDER 45.5kg			
Per KILO			
Charollais x	41.00kgs	317p/kg	S Wise
Charollais x	37.50kgs	315p/kg	S M & J M Lambert
Charollais x	39.50kgs	314p/kg	S Wise
Charollais x	38.00kgs	308p/kg	F Badger
Charollais x	37.00kgs	305p/kg	F Badger

Per HEAD			
Charollais x	41.00kgs	£130.00	S Wise
Texel x	44.00kgs	£125.00	P F Edwards
Charollais x	39.50kgs	£124.00	S Wise
Charollais x	41.00kgs	£121.00	MJ & JA Pinny
Charollais x	37.50kgs	£118.00	SM & LM Lambert

Spring Lamb: SQQ 261 (p/kg) OVER 45.5kg			
Per KILO			
Charollais x	51.00kgs	259p/kg	F J Tombs & Son
Charollais x	48.50kgs	254p/kg	F J Tombs & Son
Suffolk x	47.00kgs	253p/kg	J & B D Tustian
Charollais x	52.00kgs	246p/kg	F J Tombs & Son
Charollais x	46.00kgs	241p/kg	D Blunn

Per HEAD			
Charollais x	51.00kgs	£132.00	F J Tombs & Son
Charollais x	52.00kgs	£128.00	F J Tombs & Son
Charollais x	54.50kgs	£124.00	EG & A Hudspith
Charollais x	48.50kgs	£123.00	F J Tombs & Son
Charollais x	60.00kgs	£120.00	MJ & JA Pinny & Son

Prime Hogs: 1333 forward SQQ 206.6p/kg

Over 1300 as numbers dry across the country and the majority genuine farmers stock with the most part clearings up. Trade though on fire to see an SQQ of 206.6p/kg and overall 203p/kg represents a real show of lack of Supply Nationally. Meated Hogs, whatever the weight, in real demand with new accounts and Customers all in attendance today. In the Euro Spec a top of 225p/kg for 36.5kg Beltex from S Clark, Ashendon with 223p/kg for 40kg. J Hayward 44kg to 216p/kg. Heavies topping at 218p/kg for 47kg from P J Incley with his 50kg 216p/kg equal with N Deeley. Gross top of £98 for 45.5kg from S Clark with R Randall & Son £97.50 for 45.5kg with Passmore Brothers £96 for 45.5kg. Overall top gross to Wally and Josie McCurdie at £120 for 60kg. PA & A Hodges took £116 at 59kg with Andy Mitchell £115 at 58kg and Andrew Pinny, £115 for 69kg.

Trade just as likely to stop dead as to carry on as buyers look to shift to the Spring lambs at the next opportunity.

Auctioneer: Tom Wrench

Prime Hogs: SQQ 206.6(p/kg)			
Per kilo EURO (under 45.5kg)			
Beltex x	36.50kgs	225p/kg	S Clark
Beltex x	40.00kgs	223p/kg	S Clark
Charollais x	44.00kgs	216p/kg	J F Hayward
Beltex x	38.50kgs	216p/kg	S Clark
Charollais x	44.50kgs	215p/kg	J F Hayward
Per HEAD			
Beltex x	45.50kgs	£98.00	S Clark
Charolais x	45.50kgs	£97.50	R Randall & Son
Texel x	45.50kgs	£96.00	Passmore Brothers
Charollais x	44.50kgs	£95.50	J F Hayward
Charollais x	44.50kgs	£95.50	R Randall & Son

Per kilo HEAVIES (45.5kg & over)			
Texel x	47.00kgs	218p/kg	P J Inceley
Texel x	50.00kgs	216p/kg	P J Inceley
Charollais x	50.00kgs	216p/kg	N Deeley
Charollais x	47.50kgs	215p/kg	R Randall & Son
Charollais x	48.50kgs	194p/kg	FJ Tombs & Son

Per head			
Charollais x	60.00kgs	£120.00	VVW & JA Mccurdie
Charollais x	59.00kgs	£116.00	PA & A Hodges
Charollais x	58.00kgs	£115.00	D P Mitchell & Son
Suffolk x	69.00kgs	£115.00	A Pinny
Charollais x	60.00kgs	£115.00	K Badger

Cull Ewes : 821 Forward

820 Ewes today and a trade bucking the last weeks trend in a slow. Today should be quoted as £8 up on the week for all sections other than the Mules which found perhaps a £2 fall on the week. Top Ewes today to M & AW Wright, Stafford at £130 for Texels ahead of G Watson, Kettering with Charolais to a pen of 5 at £125. Passmore Bros, Didcot took £123 for Texels and R & B Smith and G Watson both £122. Top Suffolk on the day £114 for D Knowles, Hertford and M & AW Wright £110. 18.5% of todays yarding over £100. Top Mules today to £89 to BMF Smith, Leamington.

Auctioneer: Tom Wrench

Suffolk x	£130	M & AW Wright	Texel x	£120	J & R Lowe
Charollais x	£125	G C Watson	Suffolk x	£120	M & AW Wright
Texel x	£123	Passmore Brothers	Charollais x	£119	M M Clarke & Sons
Texel x	£122	R & B Smith	Texel x	£119	R & B Smith
Charollais x	£122	G C Watson	Texel x	£118	Passmore Brothers

Store Lambs: 251 Forward

A mixed show of some clearing up hogs, smaller hill bred hogs, and early store spring lambs. Joint top hogs to Kirsty Badger and JE Strainge & Sons at £79 for Charollais x. K Attfield also showed Charollais x to £72.50, with JE Strainge & Sons again at £71. Smaller harder bred hogs from Midland Meats LTD saw Cheviots to £63.50, with Scotch Blackface to £56.50. Store Spring lambs saw Milk sheep from P Mardell to £75, with light weight springers from Midlands Meats to £70, and even light reared cades from RG Elliott & Son to £66. One pen of Hogs and Lambs saw North Country Mules with continental lambs to £75 a life for 1.2 lives from Henry Frost.

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Store Cattle: 124 Forward

A very seasonal show of store cattle, with many having already cleared this years crop. JP Lucas showed a 2013 Shorthorn cow with a Hereford x to £1160, with empty cows from the same home to £900. On then into the stores with 12 month coaty Blonde x from F Kerby seeing the steers to £780, with the heifers to £670. A Davenport then brought showy Limousin x steers to £1075 at 12 months. The Astley division of Townshend Partners sold Blonde x steers to £900 at 12 months with the sisters to £950 at 23 months. FS Harwood showed Angus x Steers to top the day at £1245 at 16 months, with heifers to £1060 at 22 months. Up the ages to see PJ Betteridge sell Limousin x steers to £995 at 19 months, before M A Cheney's Blonde x heifers reached £1110 at a similar age. TH Lee & Son rounded the day off, topping their run with Simmental x steers to £1160 with sisters to £985 all around 23 months, with the run of 25 to average £962. Next sale of store cattle Monday 5th June.

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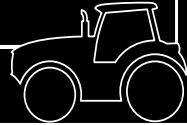


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