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MARKET REPORTS FOR MONDAY 31ST MAY 2021

MARKET AT A GLANCE

1600 PRIME LAMBS SQQ 331p/kg
PRIME LAMBS TO 415p/kg & £166
HOGG SQQ 271p/kg
HOGGS TO 340p/kg and £161
EWES Avg £118
EWES TO £164



THURSDAY 17TH JUNE SALE OF STORE CATTLE

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CALVES: 43 FORWARD



Rearing Calves (12) – 8 Days to 34 Days

Lovely calves entered from local farmers today with the top price of £440 for Messrs JK Smith & Son, Chesterton for a quality 19 day old Simmental Bull Calf.

Other highlights P. Dyson, Corley sold 3 British Blue Bulls £430, £420 & £430, other results included Simmental Heifers £310 - £340, Limousin Heifers to £295, Sussex Bulls £145 - £260 and a Friesian Bull calf to £70.

Reared Calves (31) – 2 Months to 5 Months

Pilkington Farms, Daventry and Fences Farms, Newport Bagnall were the main sellers today.

Pilkington Farms sold all heifers, Herefords to £360, Stabilizers £210 - £310, Salers £160 - £265 and Angus £242 to £258.

Fences Farms all out of Jersey Cows sold Beef Shorthorns to £270, Limousin Bulls £80 - £202, Limousin Heifers £97 - £116, Angus Heifers to £220, Blue Bulls to £210 and Heifers to £200 and a Red Poll Heifer to £108.

Plenty of buyers present eager to buy, please contact me on 07437101163 for a farm visit or a chat to market your stock to its full potential

Auctioneer: Tim Webster

SHEEP: 2442 FORWARD

SPRING LAMBS: 1600

FORWARD SQQ 331P/KG AVG £133



1600 Lambs today for a Bank Holiday yarding. In truth a below avg yarding with lambs seemingly showing the effects of all of last weeks rain and then the swift temperature change on Sunday. An Sqg of 331p/kg representing a Dead equivalent hovering around 690p/kgdw a level of continued trade that is unprecedented and on the quality of todays yarding probably closer to £7p/kgdw.

Recent arrival of New Zealand Cuts slowing home trade processors but thankfully our Export contingency still working hard. Top of the tree today 415p/kg for 36kg Beltex from S F Taylor, Coventry ahead of Mark Lambert selling Texels to 384p/kg at 38kg before Amorise Farming swept the board selling 4 pens 381 to 375p/kg at 38 to 40kg. 375p/kg taken at 40kg by MJ & CA Greenaway also.

Heavies a surprisingly good trade when considering the aforementioned home trade sales climate. E Brain & Son sold 47kg to 331p/kg whilst 45.6kg from R Deacon 329p/kg. Heavies and Super Heavies still trading well in advance of £3.

In the lump Export Lambs totting up beyond even the most hard Shepherds expectations. Top man Humphrey Livestock saw Texels to £155.50 at 42kg with Amorise Farms Ltd £154 at 41kg and £153.5 at 45kg. Others 41 to 43kg from this great breeder to £152 - £153. Overall a top today of £166 at 57kg from FJ Tombs & Son also selling to £166.50 at 53kg and Amorise Farming 52kg to £164.50. Today 11% of the yarding selling over £145. Trade holding on but buyers cautious. Vendors asked to please book stock in by Text Message or Answer phone so we may arrange as appropriate. Vendors please ensure that lambs are drawn for meat not on weight some today coming very lean and similarly more fat on display than we are used to.

SPRING LAMBS : UNDER 45kg SQQ p/kg

Per Kilo			
Beltex x	36.00kg	415ppk	S F TAYLOR
Texel x	38.00kg	384ppk	SM & JM LAMBERT
Texel x	38.00kg	381ppk	AMORISE FARMS LTD
Texel x	41.00kg	376ppk	AMORISE FARMS LTD
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Per HEAD			
Texel x	42.00kg	£155.50	HUMPHREY LIVESTOCK
Beltex x	41.00kg	£154.00	AMORISE FARMS LTD
Beltex x	45.00kg	£153.50	AMORISE FARMS LTD
Texel x	41.00kg	£153.00	AMORISE FARMS LTD
Beltex x	42.00kg	£152.00	S F TAYLOR

SPRING LAMBS : OVER 45 kg

Per Kilo			
Texel x	47.00kg	331ppk	E BRAIN & SON
Texel x	45.50kg	329ppk	R DEACON
Beltex x	45.50kg	327ppk	S F TAYLOR
Charollais x	45.50kg	323ppk	J GOODMAN
Charollais x	49.00kg	322ppk	E J TAYLOR

Per HEAD			
Charollais x	57.00kg	£166.00	FJ TOMBS & SON
Charollais x	53.00kg	£165.50	F J TOMBS & SON
Texel x	52.00kg	£164.50	AMORISE FARMS LTD
Charollais x	51.00kg	£163.00	FJ TOMBS & SON
Charollais x	52.00kg	£160.00	FJ TOMBS & SON

TIMING

Prime Cattle 9:45am, Calves (bi-weekly) 11am

Sunday deliveries strictly before 3pm

**PLEASE COULD ALL VENDORS BOOK IN STOCK,
EITHER BY A QUICK CALL, TEXT OR EMAIL THANK YOU!**

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PRIME HOGGS: 362 FORWARD SQQ 271 P/KG



Just over 300 as the job is all but done. S F Taylor top man at 340p/kg at 47kg with Handy weight meats trading 310p/kg to 330p/kg regularly. A lot of clear ups today and at least 5 pens sold as seen today with varying ailments. Top gross £161 for RWH Fenemore & Sons at 56kg equal with Messrs Tombs.

Auctioneer: Tom Wrench

CULL EWES: 521 FORWARD



A nice little yarding of Ewes today with no dealers Ewes on show and buyers able to provide an even trade for all farmers. Trade simply flying and all buyers on alert. Top today £164 to J & H Tustian with Rams whilst C Cummins & Son saw Ewes to £161 for Charolais. In general a yard dominated by Mules and light weighing Ewes but those with lean meat and weight well chased seeing Suffolks top today at £156 from W A Adams Partnership and Texels from E Jones to £155. Any White Faces today trading in the £140 mark upwards and Suffolks in general either side of £130. Mules today topping at £126 from JK Smith & Son with others £125 from f Moon and £124.50 for Mashams from R J Heckford. Light Mules around the £110 mark and Weighted Mules over £115 all the way through.

Auctioneer: Tom Wrench

EWES

Beltex x	£164	J & H TUSTIAN	Suffolk x	£148	JB & RL COOK
Charollais x	£162	C CUMMINS & SON	Beltex x	£146	HUMPHREY LIVESTOCK
Suffolk x	£156	WA ADAMS & PARTNERS	Texel x	£146	SM & JM LAMBERT
Texel x	£156	E JONES	Charollais x	£145	A FREER & SON
Charollais x	£148	F MOON	Beltex	£145	J H TUSTIAN

STORE HOGGS: 26 FORWARD



A few pens forward today, Titcomb & Keen selling milk lambs to £110 and P Mardell Charollais to £100 and other Continentals £50 - £90

Auctioneer: Tim Webster

STORE CATTLE SALE THURSDAY 27TH MAY



Another 300 through the ring selling to a wide buyer base with Cattle finding new homes in Wales, Suffolk, Cambridgeshire and all surrounding Counties to the market. Trade must be reported as slightly back as the summer looms and deadweight quotes steady. That said short finish Cattle and bottom end Cattle a stand on trade to that established over the spring. We started with yearlings seeing £850 and £800 for Angus Steers from A J Hadley & Partners. Strong Limousin yearling Steers from D Jinks saw £920 and £900 with Sisters to £800. Townshend Partners, Astley with a good drag of Stores today starting at £920 for Angus at 13 months of age, before going on to a Blonde Steer only 10 months old selling to £890 showing the quality of Geoff's Blonde Bulls. Smart lengthy Blonde Heifers only 11 months saw £854 and £835. As ever a nice show of potential from John Peebles, Shipston on Stour selling top yearlings to a marvellous £1200 for a pair with others £1150 and £1000. Sisters to the same £1040. On to the smart run of 140 from J K Smith & son. Well received throughout albeit selling at an age unaccustomed to the family and not at a time of their choosing, Smart Limousin Steers at 15 months set off at £1210 before Steers at 15 to 17 months repeatedly traded at £1165 to £1100. Strong Simmental Steers took £1200 at 16 months and others £1140 and £1105 topping at £1310. Heifers well received seeing 17 months to £1180 and £1060. Strength the order of the day when a heavy framed Limousin November 2019 born walked out for the Smith Family at £1345. The run a credit to the family against all the odds not too far shy of £1000 avg for Cattle 19 to 9 months of age. Back to the ring for the aged Townshend drag selling to £1030 at 16 months for Blonde Heifer. The Cornish raiders in town for the day with a load of hard done Cattle that buyers report just love to change in the Midlands grass.. This run saw £1040 and £1030 for 14 month old Herefords. Aged Cattle needing a change of climate saw £1070 at 22 months. Next in a strong willed heifer from P Warden selling Limousin to £1120 at 22 months. The show stoppers for the day saw M Collins, Shuckbrough with Piedmontese Heifers 25 to 26 months of age trade at £1390, £1385, £1300, £1380 and a super heifer as featured in the Catalogue take £1565 to close the day of nicely.

We sell again on JUNE 17th when we provisionally have 50 from one Leicestershire Farm booked in already. Please have entries to the Office by the 9th June. We thank all Hauliers, Vendors and Buyers



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Time: 6pm

There will also be a catalogue of promises for the silent auction released soon. Bidding commences at 12noon on 12th June and will end at 12noon on 19th June. The successful purchasers will be announced on the evening. To request a catalogue and more information please contact Roger Champion on rogercampion@hotmail.com and 07773 021619.

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THURSDAY 17TH JUNE

SALE OF STORE CATTLE

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