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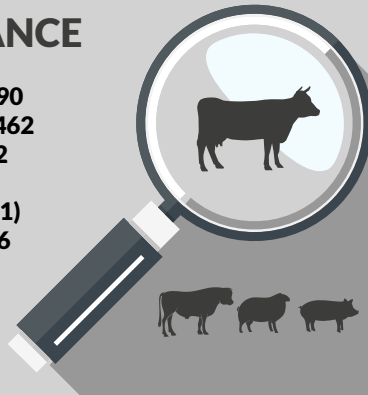
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MARKET REPORTS FOR MONDAY 3RD AUGUST 2020

MARKET AT A GLANCE

Prime Steers to 223p/kg & £1490
Prime Heifers to 237p/kg & £1462
Prime Bulls to 187p/kg & £1072
Cast Cows to 160p/kg & £1114
Prime Lamb SQQ 226p/kg (1721)
Prime Lambs to 312p/kg & £126
Ewes to £109 (126 Avg £82)



Monday 17th August | Sale of Store Cattle
Friday 21st August | Special Sale of Store Lambs

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CATTLE: 42 FORWARD



Prime Cattle- 35

Trade seemingly still able to notch up a gear, a fresh wholesale butcher face at ringside helping to further push the trade.

Bulls-2

Only a pair of Bulls forward today and more could have definitely been sold to vendor advantage. Top PPK today to 187PPK from Alan Tacy with the top gross to the same Beast to £1071.

Steers-18

Plenty of weight forward in the Steers today, with some lovely runs of fed cattle. Top of the tree to Richard and Judy Fountain selling Limousin x to 223PPK topping the gross at £1489, with Longhorn x from Mark Bailey to 208PPK. A run of meated Charolais x Steers topped at 203PPK from JV & SM Lea, matching Angus x from Pete Jarrom.

Heifers-15

Some real stunners in the Heifers today, with butchers remaining fit for meat. Top PPK CJ & MT Clayton selling Limousin Heifers to 237PPK with Limousin x from Parry Walters to 233PPK. Top gross again from the Fountaine stable selling Limousins to £1462, with others the £1459. Freisian Heifers today selling to 180PPK from JWG Dalby & Sons!!

Cows-7

Simply put, ON FIRE! No where near enough forward for the buyer support present and many more could definitely be sold to vendor advantage. Top PPK to P & F Baker selling Limousin cows to 160PPK or £1113.

Auctioneer: Martin Lloyd

STEERS & BULLS

Top prices per head				FA
Limousin x	668kg	£1490	GR Fontaine & Son	Y
Limousin x	738kg	£1410	PC & RA Nichols & Son	Y
Limousin x	785kg	£1405	R J Heckford	Y
Blonde	693kg	£1379	PC & RA Nichols & Son	Y
Simmental	680kg	£1340	PC & RA Nichols & Son	Y
Top prices per kilo				
Limousin x	668kg	223ppk	GR Fontaine & son	Y
Aberdeen Angus	589kg	203ppk	P M Jarrom	Y
Charolais x	584kg	203ppk	JV & SM Lea & Sons	Y
Blonde	693kg	199ppk	PC & RA Nichols & Sons	Y
Salers	658kg	197ppk	JV & SM Lea & Sons	Y

HEIFERS

Top prices per Head				FA
Limousin	633kg	£1462	GR Fontaine & Son	Y
Limousin	646kg	£1460	GR Fontaine & Son	Y
Simmental	651kg	£1419	CJ & MT Clayton	N
Simmental	743kg	£1412	Woods Farm Meriden Ltd	Y
Simmental	720kg	£1411	Woods Farm Meriden Ltd	Y
Top prices per Kilo				
Limousin	591kg	237ppk	CJ & MT Clayton	N
Limousin x	582kg	233ppk	DTP & PA Walters	Y
Limousin	633kg	231ppk	GR Fontaine & Son	Y
Limousin	646kg	226ppk	GR Fontaine & Son	Y
Limousin x	605kg	222ppk	DTP & PA Walters & Son	Y

TIMING

We now aim to give each area its own backing and so confirm going forward:
 Prime Cattle 9:45am, Calves 11am and Lambs 10:15am

SHEEP: 1852 FORWARD



SPRING LAMBS: 1721 FORWARD SQQ 226P/KG

A post Quarbani yarding of just over 1700 lambs today. Our thanks to farmers for working with us to restrict numbers on a day where demand is as expected low following the massive purge for EID over the weekend. These actions resulted in a wonderful trade today for the goods on offer and consequently hopefully a sustainable trade in the coming weeks. An SQQ of 226p/kg representing a storming trade considering a poor show of lambs on the whole with many showing an effect to the hot weather at the latter end of the week. Lambs now starting to lose there backs and vendors encouraged to push lambs to meat to take the best rewards of this unprecedented period of trade. Best end Export lambs wanted with Belgium and Dutch accounts very strong today seeing a top of 281p/kg for a pen of 9 Beltex at 40kg from M J Woodward ahead of GR Fountaine & Son with 44.5kg to 272p/kg and Julian White of J & S White Farms Ltd taking 270p/kg and 262p/kg for 40kg and 35.5kg. Pritchard Farms 38kg to 261p/kg. In the heavies trade remaining very stable to see 48kg at 240p/kg from PD & DM Hopcraft whilst the usual quality from Culworth Grounds saw 46kg to 235p/kg and J A Owen, Piddington 49kg to 233p/kg with Julian White 47.5kg to 232p/kg. In the lump Euro weights topping out at £121 for 44.5kg from G R Fountaine & Son with a good sized pen up from Milton Keynes. M J Woodward saw £112.50 for 40kg and J & S White 20 Berrichon lambs at 42.5kg to £110. Overall a top today of £126 at 57kg from J A Owen, Piddington whilst Ted Taylor took £123 at 59kg and FJ Tombs & Son £117.50 for a pen of 8 and 16 and £116 equal with M & T Austin, Harbury. Trade hopefully will hold in the coming weeks as numbers continue to be killed. Thanks to all involved.

Auctioneer: Tom Wrench

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SPRING LAMBS : UNDER 45.5kg SQQ 226p/kg

Per Kilo			
Beltex x	40.00kg	281ppk	M J Woodward
Charollais x	44.50kg	272ppk	GR Fountaine & Son
Texel x	40.00kg	270ppk	J & S White Farms Ltd
Texel x	35.50kg	262ppk	J & S White Farms Ltd
Charollais x	38.00kg	261ppk	Pritchard Farms

Per HEAD			
Charollais x	44.50kg	£121.00	GR Fountaine & Son
Beltex x	40.00kg	£112.50	M J Woodward
Texel x	42.50kg	£110.00	J & S White Farms Ltd
Texel x	42.50kg	£110.00	J & S White Farms Ltd
Texel x	40.00kg	£108.00	J & S White Farms Ltd

SPRING LAMBS : OVER 45.5kg

Per Kilo			
Texel x	48.00kg	240ppk	PD & DM Hopcraft
Texel x	46.00kg	235ppk	Culworth Grounds
Texel x	49.00kg	233ppk	J A Owen
Texel x	47.50kg	232ppk	J & S White Farms Ltd
Texel x	50.00kg	232ppk	J & S White Farms Ltd

Per HEAD			
Texel x	57.00kg	£126.00	JA Owen
Charollais x	59.00kg	£123.00	E J Taylor & Son
Charollais x	52.50kg	£117.50	F J Tombs & Son
Charollais x	50.00kg	£116.00	F J Tombs & Son
Charollais x	50.00kg	£116.00	F J Tombs & Son



CULL EWES: 126 FORWARD

The smallest entry for 5 years or more as all those selling Ewes in numbers pulled back to allow the dust of Eid to settle. Trade as a result very acceptable with big strong Ewes easily sold whereas fat Ewes £10 less on the week with the opportunity to sell fat during Eid now having passed. No pure bred Ewes forward. Top today £109 and £106 for Suffolks from K Butcher, Thrapston ahead of Dorsets at £106 from B & SM Sutton with RF Staveley & Son £105.50 for Berrichon. Milk sheep to £88.50 from Titcomb and Keen and Mules to £82.50 from A Colinswood, Thame. Ewes likely to hold a steady trade going forward with grazing Ewes and Fat the hardest of commodities to sell.

Auctioneer: Tom Wrench

EWES

X Bred	£109	K Butcher	Charollais x	£104.50	K Butcher
Suffolk	£106	K Butcher	Texel x	£104	GR Fontaine
X Bred	£106	B & SM Sutton	X Bred	£100	K Butcher
X Bred	£105.50	R F Staveley	X Bred	£100	B C Burton
X Bred	£105	K Butcher	X Bred	£100	B C Burton



First Annual Breeding Fair:

That time of year again and the addition of Store lambs on the night prior this year. A nice yarding of just over 3000 for this Fixture seeing perhaps the hottest day we have sold under in Stoneleigh and predictably a description of the trade to match the weather. In truth a trade that reflected a large Compliment of buying accounts that had been selling Ewes and lambs at an unprecedented. Buyers from far and wide resulted in trade well ahead of expectations. It started from the very beginning with 6t and FM Charollais x Ewes from R Hicks to £130 equal description Texel Ewes from JonJoe Morris saw £153 with others £148. Annual consignments of draft Ewes from SF & AJ Deeming saw FM Suffolk x Cheviot Ewes to £137.50 for pens of 20 with Suffolk x NCM £133.50 and £127. FM Mules to £99 from Messrs Bevin, Market Harbrough and Lleyms £104 from Walton Estates. 6 Tooth Scotch Half bred Ewes from J Coe, Essex to £136 and £132 whilst 6 Tooth NCM from Hedges & Kerwood saw £127 and £125.50.

Into the Theaves and the White faced section shot off to £154 for Texel x Cheviot Mule Theaves ran dry from CJ & MT Clayton whilst more Tex x NCM to £148 x 2 pens again from Chris plus £145. S Oakes, Derby used this ring for his first outing to see £156 for Blue Texels and Texel x all ran dry to £140. Messrs Bevin, Market Harbrough saw £148 for their flock dispersal. Classy theaves from M J Woodward topped the section at £164 with others £160 and £158. No real real bred White faced Sheep today but a real hunger for Continentals evident. BM & LE Aries showed a smart uniformed run to £160.50 with others £154. I Newton & Sons, Henley in Arden showed 124 to top at £150.50 and avg £147.65. Almost all trading over the £140 mark. On into the Suffolks and trade perhaps even stronger with the focus of the fixture for early lambing systems. Waddesdon Farm Estates showed the usual quality to top there run at £150.50 with others £149.50. Nice Suffolks having lambed from Angela Tarry-Smith saw a lot of interest with the benefit of having been lambed finally stopping at £159.50. Philly Batchelor did her father proud showing her 80 ran dry Suffolks to £156, £154.50, £153 and £146.50. Top Gun for the day again M J Woodward topping at £160.50 with others £155.50 and £149.50. Team Aries again keeping up the good showing selling to £149.50. A Foulds & Partners, Norfolk made the annual sales trip to top at £152 and £150 before the annual consignment of 320 Suffolk x Theaves from Welsh Mules consigned by the Deeming Family. Topping the run at £159 and £155 the total run eventually averaging £151. On into the Mules and in all fairness a below par showing on the whole with the weather perhaps dictating it a little early to show Mules. None the less a top of £145 from Cottesbrooke Estates who also sold to £130. Waddesdon Estates took £140 and A Cook, Stratford Upon Avon £140 with all Mules on the day sold Ran dry. Perhaps as to highlight the interest in the coming lambing season we ended the day with a pen of Jacob dry Theaves at £140 from Fir Tree Farming.

We go again at the end of August when a full yarding is expected.

Auctioneer: Tom Wrench

STORE LAMBS: 600 FORWARD



Monday 3rd August

Only one pen today selling to £75 from Sally Lomas.

Thursday 30th July

Possibly the best trade I have experienced in my time selling store sheep. Faces all around the ringside from near and far, fit for sheep. Top of the tree saw a pen of Texel x ewe lambs from PA & K Barnes selling to £100. JW Pickford & Son sold Suffolk x Wethers to £91 and £82 respectively. Plenty of lambs up over £80 today, with the best end of the medium keeping lambs all in the late £70's. Harder bred medium lambs actively £68-£74 with very little today sold under £65. A run of 190 lambs, as part of a full dispersal on behalf of the Bevin Family averaged £70.40 with every lamb included! More lambs are required for Friday 21st of August.

Auctioneer: Martin Lloyd

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