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Market Reports For Monday 3rd July 2017

Market At A Glance

Prime Steers to 190p/kg & £1408
Prime Heifers to 187p/kg & £1216
Prime Bulls to 197p/kg & £1018
Cows to 170p/kg & £1175
Spring Lamb SQQ 207p/kg (3061)
Spring Lambs to 240p/kg & £120
Cull Ewes to £115 (938 Avg £73)

MONDAY 17TH JULY
Sale of Store Cattle 3pm

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CATTLE:13

Prime Cattle: 7 Forward

Cattle looking as dear today as they have been for sometime, and only handful forward for buyers to go at.

Steers topping at 190p/kg for Charolais x from AH Oliver & Sons ahead of Angus x from Woods Farm Meriden at 189p/kg. Top gross again to Messrs Oliver at £1407

Limousin x Bulls from RW Cross & Partners to 197p/kg

Heifers desperately short with no butchers heifers on show today. Top to J&I J Tivey with Limousin x to 187p/kg or £1215

Auctioneer: Tom Wrench

STEERS & BULLS: 5			
Top prices per head			
Charolais	741kg	£1408	A H Oliver & Sons
Limousin x	752kg	£1354	J & I J Tivey
Aberdeen Angus	657kg	£1242	Woods Farm Merdien Ltd
Limousin x	655kg	£1179	J & I J Tivey
Limousin (Bull)	517kg	£1018	R W Cross & Partners
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Limousin x	752kg	180p/kg	J & I J Tivey
Limousin x	655kg	180p/kg	J & I J Tivey

HEIFERS: 2			
Top prices per head			
Limousin x	650kg	£1216	J & I J Tivey
Simmental	649kg	£1168	R T Coley & Partners
Top prices per kilo			
Limousin x	650kg	187p/kg	J & I J Tivey
Simmental	649kg	180p/kg	R T Coley & Partners

COWS: 6 Forward

Quality showing in the overage today. Top from Richard Coley for an overage Heifer at 170p/kg, with cows topping at 150p/kg for a grade 2 blue from Pete Incley. Top gross also to Pete at £1174.

Auctioneer: Tom Wrench

SHEEP:4047

Spring Lambs: 3061 Forward SQQ 207p/kg

The best part of 3100 lambs today as producers purge lambs in anticipation of the seasonal drop. 1000 more in today than we had booked. We unlike the deadweight won't turn you away but we must have some prior warning to help us help you. That said a reasonable trade for that on show with the quality as poor as seen in July in these sheds. A lot of lambs lacking finish and weigh. Light lambs hard to fix with a wealth of supply around but weighted finish lambs almost all trading towards 220p/kg. An Sqq today of 207p/kg and a drop in line with most other centres. On last week's killing percentages this represents a return of 443p/kg deadweight and no grid. In the Euro lambs a top today for best meated lambs of 228p/kg for Ben Burton at 40kg with Sarah Jane Lacey 225p/kg for 40kg ahead of Richard Wright and Humphrey Livestock at 223p/kg at 40kg. In the heavies MM Clarke & Sons showed some real finish at 50kg to take 240p/kg ahead of name sake Jeff Clarke 228p/kg for 46kg. Anne Beaumont showed 47kg to 215p/kg. In the lump a top of £95 for 44kg from DW Gurney & Son whilst Brian Mawby equal money at 1kg more. £94 for 45kg both for Nicky Boyles and MM Clarke & Sons. Overall today weight paying with £120 to MM Clarke & Sons at 50kg with Jeff Clarke £112 and £105 for 54 and 46kg with F J Tombs & Son £105 for three pens in a row. Trade slipping but a wealth of buyers and accounts ensuring trade is fair. Lambs looking to be now struggling with kill out reports weekly closer to 46% than 48%. Trade still looking favourable in the grand scheme of things but we must now wait to see just how many lambs are ready to enter the system during the coming weeks. Buyers today absent in favour for buying lambs ready dressed for less than they can buy them live. The Economics of this industry does leave us all scratching our heads sometimes.

Auctioneer: Tom Wrench

Spring Lamb: SQQ 207p/kg) UNDER 45.5kg			
Per KILO			
Texel x	40.00kgs	228p/kg	B C Burton
Texel x	40.00kgs	225p/kg	S J Lacey
Charollais x	40.00kgs	223p/kg	R J Wright
Beltex x	40.00kgs	223p/kg	Humphrey Livestock
Charollais x	38.00kgs	222p/kg	M W Warner

Per HEAD			
Texel x	45.00kgs	£95.00	B C Mawby
Charollais x	44.00kgs	£95.00	D W Gurney & Son
Charollais x	45.00kgs	£94.50	J R Morris
Charollais x	45.00kgs	£94.00	M M Clarke & Sons
Charollais x	45.50kgs	£94.00	N J Boyles

Spring Lamb: OVER 45.5kg			
Per KILO			
Charollais x	50.00kgs	240p/kg	M M Clarke & Sons
Texel x	46.00kgs	228p/kg	F & J Clarke
Charollais x	46.50kgs	215p/kg	M M Clarke & Sons
Texel x	47.00kgs	215p/kg	A Beaumont
Charollais x	48.00kgs	213p/kg	B M & L E Aries

Per HEAD			
Charollais x	50.00kgs	£120.00	M M Clarke & Sons
Texel x	54.00kgs	£112.00	F & J Clarke
Texel x	46.00kgs	£105.00	F & J Clarke
Charollais x	52.50kgs	£105.00	F J Tombs & Son
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Cull Ewes : 938 Forward

The best part of 1000 today. Trade generally less about everywhere. On this basis a surprise to have such a swift trade. The averages say differently with over a third of the yarding the very poor end of grazing ewes or alternatively Welsh mountains. Strong ewes still competed throughout. Producers urged to understand the difference in Ewe quality with strong meated Suffolks today much preferred over fat continentals. Top today strong Suffolks from GJ & SL Gowling at £115 with smart lean Texels from B C Burton £109. A big pen of Suffolks from Messrs Gowling £109. Whilst 32 in a pen from MJ Harris Farming £107. Beltex from V L Roots £106. Mules wanted today and a milestone £100 for a freak of a lean Mule from Clover Shepherding, Newbury others £92 and £94 from V Bailey, Mixbury. Mules though dealing at £74 mark for good sorts and looking to be the best part of £2.50 dead. The annual slide in trade seemingly not yet here but must be monitored. Very lean ewes the hardest to fix and feeding ewes would benefit farmers. 180 Ewes today £90 and over.

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Suffolk x	£115	G J & SL Gowling	Continental x	£106	V J Roots
Charollais x	£109	B C Burton	Texel x	£102	G J & S L Gowling
Suffolk x	£109	G K & S L Gowling	Texel x	£100	E J Taylor & Son
Suffolk x	£107	M J Harris Farming	Texel x	£100	T H Morris & Son

Store Lambs: 12 Forward

A handful of longer term store lambs forward today, seeing the better bred sorts from G Tuckey-Abbott to £59.

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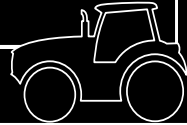


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