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## MARKET REPORTS FOR MONDAY 5TH APRIL 2021

#### **MARKET AT A GLANCE**

Prime Hogg SQQ 310p/kg (1672 Avg £133)

Prime Hoggs to 369p/kg & £165.50

Spring Lambs to £132

Calves to £382 (69)

Ewes to £160 (255 Avg £117)



THURSDAY 15TH APRIL
SHOW & SALE OF STORE CATTLE PLUS MORNING
SALE OF EWES WITH LAMBS AT FOOT

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**CALVES: 67 FORWARD** 



Very good Bank Holiday trade throughout, plenty of buyers about today with a few more Calves on offer.

Top price today went to Mark Bailey, Stoke-on-Trent for a 28 day old Charolais x Bull Calf at £382.

A handful of British Blue sold to £302 for Bulls and £245 for Heifers.

Good show of 26 Herefords forward saw Bulls to £245 and Heifers to £210. Angus Bulls sold to £200 and Heifers to £255.

We also had a consignment of Longhorn x Calves of Evolution Farms, 6 Bulls £100 - £130 and 13 Heifers £80 - £128.

Lastly a Friesian Bull Calf to £60.

Reared Calves: 2 Forward

2 3-4mo Limousin x Heifers £450 - £540.

Next sale 19th April

Auctioneer: Tim Webster

### Quality Limousin Production Sale, some polled from JW BE and PW Semple Goodrest Farm

Due to increasing pedigree numbers, we have a small selection of homebred commercial in calf cows, in calf heifers, bulling heifers and an in calf cow with calf at foot looking for new homes. All these ladies are productive and fertile and settled by one of our a polled Limousin pedigree bulls. All are scanned, some are in calf with twins. These are the cows that have produced the stock that we have sold in the ring at RFM for some time.

They are all High Heath, Johne's monitored, BVD Free & vaccinated and subject to TB testing these females will be in the Rugby April fair on **15th April** 2021.

Further details of each female and photos will be in the April fair catalogue.

I am happy to answer any questions prior to the sale. My email address is pwsemple@btinternet.com

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**SHEEP: 1952 FORWARD AVG £133** 

**PRIME HOGGS: 1672** 

FORWARD SQQ 310P/KG

A Bank Holiday show of Hoggs with numbers down a little. When reporting such a blistering trade it seems odd to comment on the quality forward, but like our marketing, we do not make false or misleading claims and instead tell it as it is!!! Truthfully the quality of Hogg on show today would be very poor with a large number of clean up lots on show and many last draws meaning all Hoggs are included from the leanest to the fattest. That said a flyer of a trade at 310p/kg SQQ. Top man today Bailey & Moore, Lutterworth with 35kg Beltex to 350p/kg ahead of Cotswold vendor Wychwood Organics with 39.5kg to 347p/kg. C Page, Banbury saw 40.5kg to 337p/kg and 39.5kg to 330p/kg. In the weight a very good following seeing 47kg from Hull Farms, Essex take 319p/kg equal with DG Coombes and 46kg from Boulton Bros 46kg to 317p/kg whilst Heathrow based H Levinge saw 50kg to 316p/kg. A J Breakspear to 314p/kg. In the lump Hoggs tallying up on Export weights to £142.50 for V Phipps, Banbury and equal money for Dadbrook Farms, Thame both at 45.5kg. P Edwards, Stratford Upon Avon saw £140.50 at 43kg and R A Deeley £140.50 for 44.5kg, Overall heavies really tallying up and with our limited Commission band vendors really reaping rewards today. Today 194 Hoggs selling over £150. Breaking £160 saw 61kg from White Bros, Atherstone at 61kg, R & M Arrowsmith down from Thrapston with 59.5kg to £160 for Suffolks P Edwards 59kg to £163 for Texels but top of the tree today a return to these Shores from SM & CR Colinswood selling 64kg to £165.50.

A proper trade throughout and buyers happy to push on to refill empty fridges following Easter. The sun is shining, life is opening out and the trades good!! At Easter we give special thanks for all your efforts throughout the year and indeed your Custom!!

Auctioneer: Tom Wrench

PRIME HOGGS : UNDER 45.5kg SQQ 310p/kg								
Per Kilo								
Beltex	35.00kg	350ppk	Bailey & Moore					
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Texel x	34.00kg	344ppk	Wychwood Organics					
Charollais x	34.50kg	343ppk	J & R Farming Ltd					
Texel x	32.50kg	337ppk	P F Edwards					
Per HEAD								
Texel x	45.50kg	£142.50	VR Phipps					
Texel x	45.50kg	£142.50	Dadbrook Farm Ltd					
Texel x	43.00kg	£140.50	P F Edwards					
Charollais x	44.50kg	£140.50	R A Deeley					
Charollais x	45.00kg	£140.50	R Goodman					

#### **PRIME HOGGS: OVER 45.5kg** Per Kilo Charollais x DJ Hull & Partners 47.00kg 319ppk Texel x 47.00kg 319ppk D G Coombes Texel x 317ppk **Boulton Bros** 46.00kg Texel x 50.00kg 316ppk R H Levinge

A J Breakspear

Per HEAD						
Texel x	59.00kg	£165.50	SM & CR Colinswood			
Suffolk x	59.50kg	£163.00	P F Edwards			
Texel x	61.00kg	£160.00	R & M Arrowsmith			
Texel x	50.00kg	£160.00	White Bros			
Texel x	60.00kg	£158.00	R H Levinge			

314ppk

#### **SPRING LAMBS: 9 FORWARD**

46.00kg

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A few on show today selling to 434p/kg and £132

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Charollais x



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#### **CULL EWES: 255 FORWARD**



Perhaps the dearest we have seen with a lack of quality to show an avg of £118. Numbers short due to the Bank holiday.

Top today Texels from R H Levinge to £160 with strength from R & M Arrowsmith to £155. Suffolks wanted like never before to see £148 from Gate Farming with other White faces to £148 from Pritchard Farms. Suffolks £147.50 and £147 from Messrs Arrowsmith and North with most weighted Ewes of all breeds well over £140. Mules a flyer selling to £131 from Hyde Lane Farms others £127 from R Levinge and £126 P Bates. Trade for all throughout and a shortage of Supply the problem of the day nationally.

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EWES					
Texel x	£160	R H Levinge	Suffolk x	£147	J North & Son
Texel x	£155	R & M Arrowsmith	X Bred	£146	Pritchard Farms
Suffolk x	£148	Gate Farming	Suffolk x	£145.50	R J Batchelor
X Bred	£148	Pritchard Farms	Texel x	£145	R M Calcott
Suffolk x	£147.50	R & M Arrowsmith	Texel x	£145	R M Calcott

#### **STORE HOGGS: 18 FORWARD**

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A very small entry today £81 - £85 for Bailey & Moore.

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

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## THURSDAY 1ST APRIL STORE CATTLE SALE



Trade rumbles on at speed and buyers out in force to receive the high quality of cattle on show at Stoneleigh.

We as ever started with the Cows seeing a 2017 Hereford Cow with 3 month calf at foot from Len Mathews take £1420.

Onto the Feeding Bulls and Pedigree producers AJ Bostock walked away well compensated selling Charolais Bulls to £940 at 10 months with others £810 and £805. A F Thompson showed weighted Storey Bulls to £1080 at 15 months.

Young Cattle retain a massive audience and first man in the ring S Daly saw Blue Heifers leave at £1200 for only 8 months proving best quality and sure Bets are the key to trade. 11 month Old Blondes from Roger Wixey saw £1005 and £1000 with others £990 whilst sisters to £830. A super draw from R A Stephens this year, a pleasure to sell, saw a wonderful avg of £1014 for the 29 forward seeing strength and genuine shape for the 12-13 months Limousins top at £1180 and then see seven Steers sold to three new homes at £1050 and a single Angus Steer £1010. Sister the real show of the run with the top six making £1060 others £1020, £1000 and £985. Quality just kept coming today with out annual Spring consignment from A North & Son, Lower Quinton showing a run that buyers travel for. This super run of genuine Cattle topped at £1300 for only 13 months of age Limousin x Blue Steers with others all born in February selling to £1260, £1225 x3, £1245 x3, £1215 £1150 and £1135. Sisters to £1095 and £1070. A credit to Messrs North and their efforts. Up the ages and A Neary, Solihull sold to £1060 at 19 months for Blue Steers whilst selling 14 month Angus to £930. Another super run from Leicestershires OJ & JM Guest who managed to top the day with 21 month old Simmental Steers to £1510!! And as though to prove it not a fluke his next genuine Store saw £1400. Blue Steers to £1160 and Charolais £1145 for 17 -18 month Steers. A Single 14 month quality Limousin Steer to £1020. Heifers just the same quality to see £1210 x3 at 19 months with younger 15 months to £1065.

Aged Stores from Messrs Barnett, Fillongley made a mockery of previous valuations when topping at £1360 for Blue Steers 21 months of age with a pair of Angus brothers £1345 19 months other pens full of Angus £1200 and £1150 with Herefords £1280 for big pens full and Blues matching the mark at £1280 and £1200. A wonderful Blue from a true British Friesian saw the Heifers kick off well at £1300 with Blondes £1015. To prove the young artist Barnetts supremacy he then went on to sell Holsteins to £1005. Another annual caller K Welsby showed the most genuine frame and haired cattle to sell Simmentals 17 months to £1230 and £1190,£1160 and others £1130. Sisters regularly over £1055. K Finch travelled across to see South Devon Heifers to £1160 for a pair at 25 months of age. We go again with the Show and Sale on the 15th where we expect a yarding over 500.

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**THURSDAY 15TH APRIL** 

SHOW & SALE OF STORE CATTLE
PLUS MORNING SALE OF EWES WITH LAMBS AT FOOT

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