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## MARKET REPORT FOR MONDAY 1ST MAY 2023

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

Prime Steers to 349p/kg & £2151
Prime Heifers to 342p/kg & £2064
Prime Bulls to 292p/kg & £1856
Cows to 254p/kg & £1875
Prime Hogg SQQ 318.5p/kg (2171 Avg £156)
Prime Hoggs to 386p/kg & £190
Prime Lamb SQQ 357p/kg (334 Avg £146

Ewes to £186 (334 Avg £116)

Calves to £390 (78)



#### **THURSDAY 11TH MAY**

SALE OF STORE CATTLE,

SATURDAY 13TH MAY

SALE OF BREEDING CATTLE & EWES WITH LAMBS AT FOOT

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### **CATTLE: 183 FORWARD**



**FAT CATTLE: 87** 

May Day Bank Holiday, the start of the 5th month already. How time does fly. Again no change in the beef trade. Trade remains very similar week in week out. Perhaps looking shaper today due to the lack of high end. The not so good being promoted up.

Robert Barker two weeks on the trot now topping the Steers and Heifers. Bullocks to 349 and Heifers to 342ppk.

Tom Reeve getting to take home two toppers today, one the Bullock at £2151 and we need not say. ... Miss Taylor.

Tillbrook Farms in the Heifers at £2064.

Andrew Coombes making his trip worth while with handy weight Bulls at £1856 or 292ppk, also tops the Cows at 254ppk or £1874.

See below for more top prices. More Cattle required on a weekly basis.

Auctioneer: Emma Coupland (07808 271218)

#### Len Eadon 1999-2022 Tribute page

#### THE PASSING OF BRIDGET PRICE

It is with heartfelt sadness we announce the passing of Bridget Price formally of Tysoe. The funeral of Bridget will be on Saturday 13th May at 12.00pm at St Michaels Church, Llanfihangel ystern llweern Monmouth, NP25 5HL

Top prices per Head	'			FA	
Charolais x	788kg	£2151	R & T Reeve	Y	
Limousin	764kg	£2139	R H Maycock & Sons	Y	
Charolais x	754kg	£2103	DJ Hull & Partners	Y	
Limousin	774kg	£2082	R H Maycock & Sons	Y	
Angus	756kg	£2079	D J Hull & Partners	Y	
Top prices per Kilo					
Limousin x	594kg	349ppk	R W Barker & Son	Υ	
Limousin x	668kg	301ppk	D J Hull & Sons	Y	
Angus	626kg	300ppk	G Ratcliffe		
Baz (Bull)	514kg	292ppk	A G Coombe	Y	
Baz (Bull)	596kg	291ppk	A G Coombe	Y	
HEIFERS					
Top prices per head				FA	
Charolais x	794Kg	£2064	Tillbrook Farms	Y	
Charolais x	662kg	£1886	R W Harrison & Sons	Y	
Limousin x	642kg	£1874	D J Hull & Partners	Y	
Baz	568kg	£1874	A G Coombe	Y	
Limousin	580kg	£1873	GJ & MR Tolley	Y	
Top prices per kilo					
	496kg	342ppk	R W Barker & Son	Y	
Limousin		<u> </u>	100	Y	
Limousin Baz	568kg	330ppk	A G Coombe	l t	
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Baz			GJ & MR Tolley		

### Prime Cattle & Cows arriving late

520kg

Baz

321ppk A G Coombe

From next Monday we reserve the right to remove the commission cap off cattle that arrive after 8:30am on a Monday.

Please could you ensure you also book them in with one of the numbers on the back page.

Many thanks

cows				
Top prices per head Cow	'S			FA
Baz	738kg	£1874	A G Coombe	Y
Hereford	694kg	£1464	D J Hull & Partners	Y
South Devon	816kg	£1460	E T Jackson & Sons	Y
Blonde	674kg	£1341	Townsend Farms	Y
Top prices per kilo				
Baz	738kg	254ppk	A G Coombe	Y
Hereford	622kg	211ppk	D J Hull & Partners	Y
British Shorthorn	876kg	201ppk	P Honour & Son	Y

SHEEP: 2875 FORWARD PRIME HOGGS: 2171 FORWARD SQQ 318.5P/KG AVG £156 99

Hoggs; All in Avg £156!!!

A larger show on a Bank Holiday receiving a flying trade albeit Buyers in short Supply with some deciding demand not great enough to take on Stock during the Holiday. An SQQ of 318.5p/kg though a real return. Export weights in great demand but less Customers on parade for the Export Hoggs. Top today 386p/kg at 36kg for N Deeley just beating the Lincolnshire Supporters with RW Barker & Son with 44.5kg Beltex to 382p/kg and faithful leader Woody 41 and 39.5kg to 372 and 370p/kg. Proper meat and finish from T Ives, Buckingham saw 44kg to 370p/kg. Best Hoggs all over 350p/kg throughout. First cross Export Hoggs regularly 330p/kg. Heavies a consistent Sale but in truth a large Supply throughout, of middle of the road weighted Hoggs. Best weighted Hoggs well chased with Beltex 46.5kg from T Ives full of meat seeing 366p/kg whom also sold 47kg to 354p/kg whilst Jim Wallis sold Beltex x 50kg to 348p/kg and 46.5kg to 348p/kg. More lean Hoggs on show today and Meat is needed as Hoggs try to keep Abattoirs focusing upon them as opposed to Spring Lamb.

An all in Avg of £156 telling the Story of the day.!

Export Hoggs topping in the lump at a massive £170 for 44kg for RW Barker & Son with Ives Transport 44kg to £163 and 45.5kg to £163 with others £162. Weight topping the trade at £190 for 55kg for Messrs Barker & Son with Super Beltex. N G Adams over from the Cotswolds saw 68kg to £179 with T Ives 56kg at £178 and J Wallis 52kg to £176 today 13 Vendors passing £170.

Meat is the Key. TEETH UP SHEEP REMAIN ILLEGAL TO SELL IN FULL CARCASS FORM IN GB. THIS IS DUE TO FSA STANDARDS. TO SELL SHEEP WITH ERUPTED TEETH FALLS UNDER THE MIS-DESCRIPTIONS ACT AND THEREFORE VENDORS ARE LIABLE FOR ANY DISCOUNTS. PLEASE MARK ANY SHEEP WITH TEETH MISSING!

Auctioneer: Thomas Wrench

#### PRIME HOGGS SQQ 318.5p/kg Per Kilo under 45kg Beltex 36.00kg 386ppk N Deeley RW Barker & Son Texel 44.50kg 382ppk Texel 41.00kg 372ppk M.I Woodward Texel 39.50kg 370ppk M J Woodward Texel 44.00ka 370ppk T Ives Per HFAD Texel £170.00 R W Barker & Son 44.50kg Texel 44.00kg £163.00 T Ives Texel 45.50kg £163.00 T Ives Texel T Ives 45.50kg £162.00 £161.00 Texel 44.50ka T Ives Per Kilo over 45kg T Ives Texel 46.50kg 366ppk Texel 47.00kg 354ppk T Ives **Beltex** 50.00kg 348ppk J Wallis J Wallis Beltex 46.50kg 348ppk **Beltex** 50.00kg 346ppk F H Everett & Son Per HFAD Texel 55.00kg £190.00 R W Barker & Son Texel 68.00ka £179.00 N G Adams 56.00kg Texel £178.00 T Ives Beltex 52.00ka £176.00 J Wallis

# SPRING LAMBS: 326 FORWARD SQQ 357 P/KG AVG £146

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Lambs; All in Avg £146!!

More Lambs on show and a much better quality throughout with the renowned Spring Lamb producers for this area back on form.

Best Lambs over 400p/kg today with P Cobley's Texels to 416p/kg at 38kg and G R Hallifields Beltex 35kg at 406p/kg. M H Fox sold 40kg to 390p/kg. Clean well finished Lambs 40kg and below regularly 365p/kg plus. Weighted Hoggs to 402p/kg for 46kg from P Cobley returning a top of £185. M R Grindal 54kg to £180 and Messrs Cobley 45.5kg at £174.

Weight should be avoided in the coming weeks with Heavy Hogg meat easily found. 37kg to 40kg well finished Lambs should be the Standard.

**Auctioneer: Thomas Wrench** 

**CULL EWES: 334 FORWARD** 



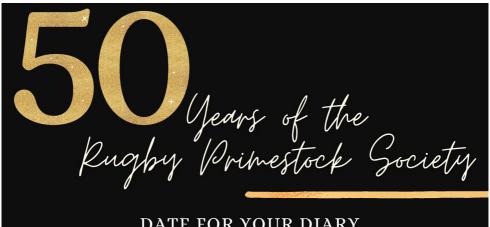
#### Ewes:

Less about as advised to Vendors with a number of Buyers giving the Sale a miss. Normal Service next week when Ewes will be wanted!!

A good trade today with an Avg of £116 throughout. Topping at £182 for RFS with Tex x and J Robb £175. Best Ewes in short Supply and no weight on show. White faces all £170 plus. Suffolks to £160 and £151.50 with run of the Mill size £135 plus. Mules to £121.50 fro M & C Morris with Welsh Mules to £122.50. Generally £112 plus.

Auctioneer: Thomas Wrench

EWES					
Mule	£186	R Griffin	Texel	£175	J Robb
Texel	£182	R F Staveley Ltd	X Breed	£171	J Mitchell
Texe;	£175	J Robb	Texel	£170	R F Staveley Ltd



DATE FOR YOUR DIARY
FRIDAY 1ST DECEMBER 2023, STONELEIGH PARK

Sunday lairage is now open from 9am-3:00pm Gates close 3:00pm **STRICTLY.** 

#### **CALVES: 78 FORWARD**

All shapes, sizes and breeds present for today's Bank Holiday market, but plenty of buyers as well which enhanced trade significantly

Good runs today from Whetstone Pastures, Pilkington Farms, Dowlers, Cartwright & Mann

Top price went to Peter Hemmings for a lovely British Blue Bull realising £390

Other highlights were Haydon James British Blue to £380 and Phil Dysons Limousin Bull to £370  $\,$ 

British Blue Bulls £160 to £390
British Blue Hfrs. £210 to £230
Limousin Bulls. £300 to £370
Simmental Bulls. £290 to £315
Simmental Hfrs. to £285
Angus Bulls. £145 to £300
Angus Hfrs. to £240
Hereford Bulls. £139 to £165
Friesian Bulls. £10 to £65

#### Weaned Calves

Messrs RR Barrett & Son sold 6mo British Blue Steers to £490, 3mo British Blue Bulls £390 to £400, 3 mo British Blue Heifers to £340, 3mo Holstein Bulls £200 to £210

Next sale is 15th May... Next show & sale is 29th May

Auctioneer: Tim Webster

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STORE CATTLE

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Another extra date for the Fixture list and again more new faces. Trade must be reported as stronger again for a mediocre yarding and some younger Cattle £50 dearer on the week. Heavier Cattle a swift trade and stand on for the week.

Starting with new Vendors Hutton Livestock we saw Bulls 11 months of age to £870 for Limousin and £790.

Young Cattle a swift trade with Badger Fencing selling Bucket Calves to £865 for Simmental Steers 7-8 months. Limousin to £840 and Blues £815. Shorthorns in massive demand and Hague & Sons Ltd sold Steers 11-12m at £1185 & £1175. Another new face as Shaun Steered a full Hinckley Supporters Bus down today with 33 grand Bucket reared Cattle down from Fisher & Ridgway whom saw an avg just shy of £900 topping with Angus 12m to £1165 and £1005. Hereford Steers 11-12m made £1000 and £1020 and Blues £960. Sisters saw Angus at £880 & £870. L C Threadgold showed hairy framed doing Cattle when selling Limousin Steers 12 months of age to £1180. Traditional Herefords from yet another new Vendor when C & Taylor LLP, Warwick sold Herefords 13m of age to £950. Messrs Plumb then with Shorthorn Steers 13 months to £1145 and £1090. Simmentals from MC & MI Herbert saw 12m Steers at £1095 and 15m Heifers to £1120 and £905. Another week for RS Beaty & Sons selling Simmental Heifers 15m to £1260, £1160, £1140 and Steers 11m to £1095.

Buyers at Ringside for all qualities but two deep for best end sorts. R W Cross showing real shape at 13-14m of age selling to £1490, £1380 and £1350. Next at 15 month old Blonde from Messrs Liggins to £1100. Shorthorn time again then when selling for J Plumb 15-16m Steers seeing £1350,£1240 and £1190. Angus have been a harder sell in 2023 but the quality still hold a premium seeing RL Roots down from Leicester with Angus 18-19m at £1485 and £1305 with Heifers to £1245. EC Parker& Son yet another week of Supplying the perfect Store Cattle with shape hair and growth selling 17m Charolais Heifers to £1380 and £1315. LC Threadgold then back to the ring to Sell Angus Steers 18m to £1560. Claybank Pigs then with Bucket sorts 19m at £1235 for Simmental Steers. And Evergreen Enterprises venturing south to sell Blues 20m at £1295. Messrs Liggins with an annual Sale of Blondes to see massive interest topping at £1395 at 23m and Angus £1405. Angus 22m to £1420 and Blonde Heifers £1290. J Waterfield showing Lim Slip Heifer 25m to £1270. Top for the day though Jane Gilbert selling Limousin Steers 20 -23m at £1600 and £1650. Another super day#

WE NOW LOOK TO THE WEEKEND BREEDING COW DAY WITH A SPECIAL ENTRY OF PEDIGREE LIMOUSIN FROM HONESBERIE LIMOUSINS. PLEASE WATCH OUT FOR ANNOUNCEMENTS.

**Auctioneer: Thomas Wrench** 

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#### STORE LAMBS

Store Lambs : 36 Forward

Smaller entry but stronger prices, all selling £70 to £122

The tops were from Mr C White

Ewes & Lambs

An odd outfit selling to £50 per life

Goats

Pen of 6 goats £92 per life

Auctioneer : Tim Webster

# \*\*FAT CATTLE TIMINGS\*\* COWS 8:30AM PRIME CATTLE 9AM



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MAY 11th &25th

JUNE 8th

JULY 13th

AUGUST 10th

SEPTEMBER 14th

OCTOBER 12th &19th

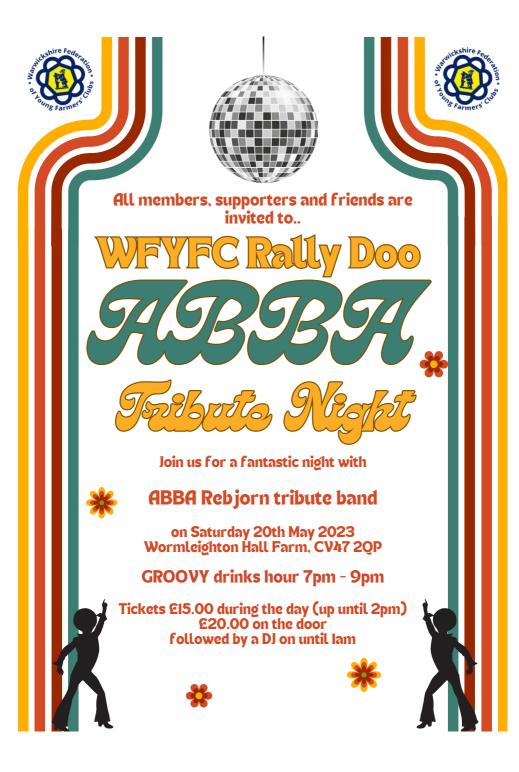
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# HONESBERIE

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THURSDAY 11TH MAY SALE OF STORE CATTLE **SATURDAY 13TH MAY** 

SALE OF BREEDING CATTLE & SMALLHOLDERS SALE

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